



**ST MARGARET CLITHEROW CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**

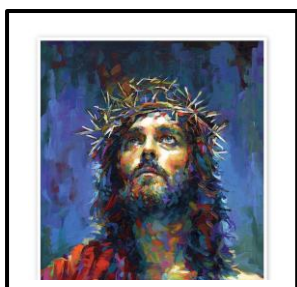
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**Learning for life, loving God  
Ourselves and others  
Valuing all of His creation  
Enabling us to do our best**

## **NEWSLETTER No 33 - 6 June 2025**

### **Reflection**

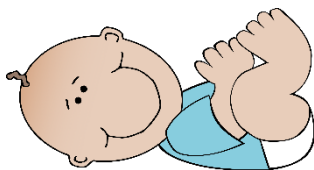


Jesus' prayer is that we know the name of God as our holy and righteous Father. In Prayer and liturgy the children were able to understand that our faith unites us as one body and one spirit by the one hope by which we are all called.

'I made known to them your name, and I will continue to make it known, that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.' John 17:26

### **STAFF NEWS**

We would like to share the news that Mrs Marshall is expecting a baby! We are all very excited for her and Mr Marshall, and send our congratulations to them both - we await their little arrival later in the year.



We have also welcomed two Uni students from Switzerland who will be spending three weeks with us whilst they are doing their Teacher training. We would like to extend a warm welcome to them both.



Pope Leo XIV releases his first monthly prayer intention for the month of June, inviting the faithful to pray "that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from His Heart, learn to have compassion on the world".

### **THIS WEEK**

Welcome back to school and to our final term of the academic year! Again, this term is full of fun activities and events for the children to enjoy across the school. Please check the school calendar, the Newsletter and ParentPay to keep abreast of events happening so you don't miss anything.

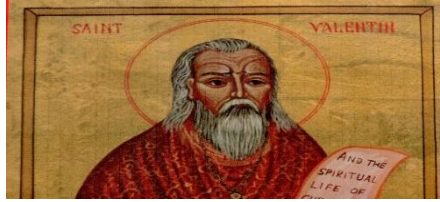
Despite seeing some sunshine this week, the weather is still unpredictable, therefore this is just a little reminder that all children should have a named raincoat in school for playtimes. Thank you.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Year 3 will be going on their school trip to Herstmonceux Observatory next Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> June. We are hoping for good weather!

### CLASS NAMES

Last call for our Saints names! The children need to choose a Saints name and write some information about that Saint, on a piece of paper and place it in the suggestion box in the Sanctuary. We look forward to receiving their ideas and naming our new classes!



### ART COMPETITION

Last opportunity for entries to the art competition! There are lots of great prizes on offer including the opportunity for entrants from Yr4 - 6 to win one of 30 places to the National Gallery in London. Please hand your entries to Mrs Scott or the school office by next Friday morning.

This week my **Headteacher Awards** go to: Isla & Willow (Rec), Albie & Ben (Yr1), Mabel & Adret (Yr2), Oscar A & Flynn (Yr3), Malcom & Lily (Yr4), Eva & Aerin (Yr5) and Emily & Nieve (Yr6). Well done for all your hard work and dedication to your learning this week. We are very proud of you all!



### FATHERS DAY BREAKFAST

We are holding our Father's Day breakfast on Friday 13 June at 8am. Please sign up via ParentPay stating the name of the adult (father/grandfather/uncle) that is attending and the number of children attending with them so we can purchase enough food. The event will be held on the field, however, depending on the number of bookings, it may need to be cancelled if the weather is poor and we are unable to hold it indoors.

The **deadline is Wednesday 11 June at 3.30pm. We cannot accept any bookings after this date.** Please check your booking before you arrive as you will not be able to join the event if you have not booked and we would not wish for you to be disappointed. Please do not put staff in a difficult position if you are asked to leave as we will not tolerate verbal abuse or unkindness towards our staff.

We will be serving croissant, brioche rolls, and pain au chocolates. A donation towards the cost of the food would be very welcome and will be collected on the day. Thank you.

### RESIDENTIAL TRIP - SEPTEMBER 2025

This is just a reminder that the full and final payment for the residential trip for the current Yr5's is due by 30 June at the latest. Please pay via ParentPay.

### SMC HOLIDAY CLUB

Places are filling up for the summer club, send your completed forms to [ARC@st-margaret-tonbridge.kcsp.org.uk](mailto:ARC@st-margaret-tonbridge.kcsp.org.uk) or drop them to the office as soon as possible. Places will be confirmed once payment has been received on ParentPay. Thank you.

## ADVANCE NOTICES

Please note that there is **no** running club next Thursday, 12 June.

We look forward to seeing many of our new September Reception parents at the Welcome talk on Wednesday 11 June, 6pm in the school hall. This is a great opportunity for parents to ask questions, look at uniform sizes and hear from our Reception class teachers.

Our Yr5 pupils will be attending St Gregory's for a Secondary School experience day on Thursday. They take part in some lessons and have various activities arranged for them during the day, including visiting the canteen for lunch. This is a great way for the children to experience life in a secondary school.

## SPORTS MORNING

Our sports mornings, weather permitting, will be held on Tuesday 24 June for Reception and KS1 and on Wednesday 25 June for KS2. We will run a programme of various races and you will then be able to join your child for a picnic lunch on the playground should you wish to. Further details will be in next weeks Newsletter.

## ATTENDANCE REPORT

Overall attendance to date: 95.12%

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

You can also find more events on our school calendar:

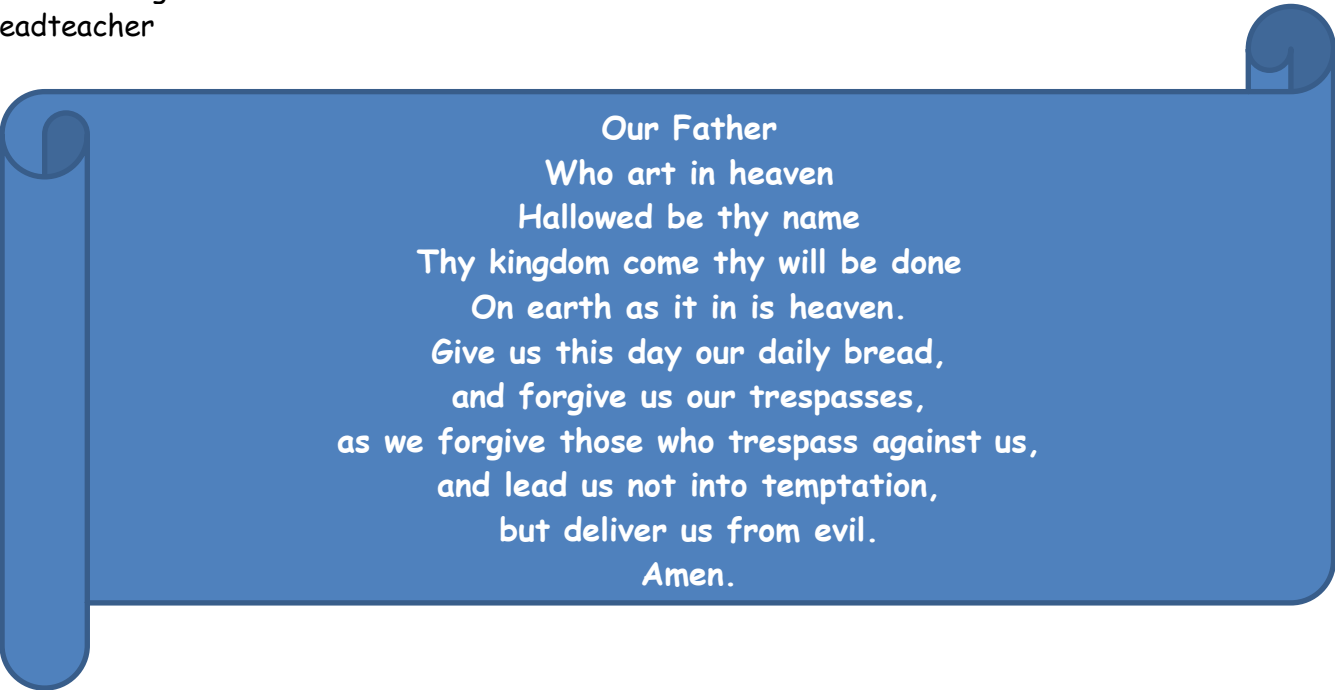
[Calendar | St Margaret Clitherow Catholic Primary School \(stmargaretclitherowschool.org.uk\)](http://stmargaretclitherowschool.org.uk)

16 June - Storytime (new reception parents) 2.30pm

18 June - Parent Prayer Group & 3pm

19 June - Reception Class/Yr6 Class and team photos

Fiona Oubridge  
Headteacher



Our Father  
Who art in heaven  
Hallowed be thy name  
Thy kingdom come thy will be done  
On earth as it in is heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us,  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
Amen.