



# Newsletter

Love one another as I have loved you—John 13:34

Friday 18th October 2024

At Sacred Heart School we:

**LEAD** with fairness & empathy

**SERVE** with kindness & consideration

**COMMUNICATE** with respect

**ACT** with love

## 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

In the Gospel this week, James and John ask Jesus for positions of honour. Jesus teaches them that true greatness comes from serving others. He came not to be served but to serve and give His life for many.

Jesus's response turns worldly ideas of power and authority upside down. True leadership in the Kingdom of God is about humility and service, not seeking honour for oneself. He calls us to follow His example.

This lesson challenges us to examine our desires and ambitions. Are we seeking personal glory, or are we willing to serve others selflessly? True greatness is found in humility and service, as shown by Jesus.

**Prayer Intentions:** We pray for world leaders—that they serve with humility and selflessness for the common good

**Collective Worship Newsletter:** Please find the newsletter for October by clicking on this link [www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/](http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/)

## Virtue to Live By

Our Current Virtue to Live By is **Thankfulness**

Our Virtue to Live by:

### Thankfulness

I am grateful for all I have and  
praise God for all he has given  
me.

"Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever."  
Psalm 106:1

## Gospel Assembly



Building on the theme from earlier in the term, that to be great in God's sight, they must put others first, children will learn in this assembly that through Jesus' service and self-sacrifice, He won for them the greatest prize – the joy of eternal life with Him in Heaven!

Going Forth: How are you going to serve others this week?

# Information / Messages

**Readathon:** A reminder that our Readathon finishes on Sunday. Don't forget to return your log sheets to be in with a chance of winning the class prize and pay sponsor money via ParentPay.

**Hardship Fund:** At the suggestion of some parents, we have added a payment option on ParentPay for a hardship fund. Any donations to this fund will be used to support families to access FOSH events and school trips. Thank you for the donations received so far.

**CAFOD Fundraiser:** Thanks to all who donated to support CAFOD's important work.

**S6 Foodbank:** Our collection point for the S6 Foodbank will be in the hall entrance until half term if anyone would like to donate dried foods or toiletries.

**Term Dates:** Sent with the newsletter are the term dates for this school year and next. Please ensure you have an up to date version as inset days are subject to change.

**Inset Day:** Next Friday (25th October) is an inset day and school will be closed to pupils.

**Y1 Resources:** Mrs Mills is looking for the following resources if anyone can help: Water and sand play toys, Lego figures, Lego wheels, Brio builder / Meccano-type toys

**Parent Pop In:** The pop in planned for Thursday 24th October has been postponed

**Clitherow Feast Day:** Children in Clitherow (blue) house can wear their PE kit on Thursday

## Dates for your Diary

### Saturday 19th October

Prospective Parents Open Morning 10am

### Monday 21st—Wednesday 23rd October

Y4 Residential

### Tuesday 22nd October

Book Look 3.20pm

### Thursday 24th October

Clitherow House celebration

Break up for half term

### Friday 25th October

Inset day—school closed to pupils

### Monday 4th November

Return to school

### Wednesday 6th November

Y6 Class Mass 1.15pm

### Friday 8th November

School Discos –on ParentPay



### Monday 11th November

Y5 Class Assembly 9am

### Tuesday 12th November

Odd Socks Day

Parents' Evening

	"Virtues to Live by" 
YR—Arthur S	YR— Oliver
Y1— Api	Y1— Olivia
Y2— Erin	Y2— A
Y3— Lyra	Y3— Cohen
Y4— Ziora	Y4— Tessa
Y5— Olivia	Y5— Kayden
Y6— Louvell	Y6— Suzie



1st— Ava

2nd— Iri

3rd—Zayden

Most active class— Y4



1st—M

2nd— Oliver

3rd— Mikaela