



Newsletter

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

Friday 26th June 2026

At Sacred Heart School we:

LEAD with fairness & empathy

SERVE with kindness & consideration

COMMUNICATE with respect

ACT with love

13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

The Gospel this week presents a difficult teaching. Jesus says that anyone who loves family more than Him is not worthy of Him. At first, this may seem harsh, but Jesus is not asking us to reject our loved ones. Instead, He is calling us to put God first in our lives.

Loving God above all does not mean neglecting family. It means that our faith should shape every part of our lives, including how we love others. When God comes first, our relationships become stronger because they are built on truth and love. True discipleship requires commitment, even when it is challenging.

Jesus also talks about the rewards of following Him. Those who welcome His messengers, even with something as simple as a cup of water, will be blessed. This shows that small acts of faithfulness matter. Discipleship is not just about big sacrifices; it is also about daily choices to serve God.

This Gospel reminds us to examine our priorities. Do we put God first, or do other things take His place? Are we willing to follow Jesus, even when it is difficult? When we choose God above all, He gives us the strength to live as true disciples.

Prayer Intentions: Pope Leo's Prayer Intention for June: For the values of sports

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

Collective Worship Newsletter: Please find the newsletter for June by clicking on this link www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/

Virtue to Live By

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

Our Virtue to Live by:

Wisdom

I take time to think about what I must do and ask God and others about it.

I help others to make the right choices.

"Be wise in the way you act; make the most of every opportunity. Let your conversation be always full of grace so that you may know how to answer everyone." Colossians 4:5-6

Celebration of the Word

TenTen Resources

Amazing Mysteries:
The Church

On the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, we remember the amazing mystery of the Church! Children will discover that the Church (built on Peter's faith and preached by Paul) helps us to grow in faith and confidence to live out our Christian Mission. They are invited into the mystery of the Church as they continue to build a close friendship with Jesus.

Information / Messages

Warm Weather: Thank you to our school community for their patience and support this week during the challenging hot weather we are currently experiencing. Our children have adapted brilliantly to the changes we have made to routines etc. We look forward to a drop in temperature next week, but ask that children continue to bring a filled water bottle, sun hats and wear sunscreen.

Reading: Well done to these children who reached words read milestones on Renaissance — Apolonia, Munachi, Cara H, Essi (50,000), Benedicta (100,000), Oliver P, Mehetabel (250,000) and Sam P, Niamh (500,000)

Summer Fair: This has been postponed until Friday 3rd July due to the heat warning. We hope you can still join us for this wonderful event.

Summer Raffle: If you have spare raffle tickets at home, please return to school so we can resell them before we draw it at the Summer Fair

Safeguarding / Online Safety: Sent with the newsletter this week is a guide for parents on creating family rules for using devices

Art Showcase: On Tuesday 7th July, we will be holding our whole school art showcase in the hall. Please do call in after school to have a look at your child's work and enjoy seeing what other classes have produced.

Transition: Earlier this week, you should have received a letter about arrangements for transition and the staffing structure for next year. Our whole school transition day takes place on Wednesday 1st

Dates for your Diary

Monday 29th June

Y3 swimming

Tuesday 30th June

Y3 Creswell Craggs trip

Y6 Talent Show 5.30pm (p)

Wednesday 1st July

Transition Day

Thursday 2nd July

Trust Choir rehearsal

Friday 3rd July

Holy Communion celebration

Non-uniform—bring a bottle

Summer Fair 3pm (p)

Monday 6th July

Y3 swimming

Tuesday 7th July

Clarinet showcase 10.30am (p)

Y3 class saint sharing 3pm (p)

Whole school art showcase 3.20pm (p)

Wednesday 8th July

Whole school circus workshops

	
YR— Gabriel	YR— Wisdom
Y1— Thelma	Y1— Theo
Y2— Anna-Sophia	Y2— Sam
Y3— Nehemiah	Y3— Obi
Y4— Gabby	Y4— Ethan
Y5— Tessa	Y5— Edward
Y6— Larry	Y6— Frankie



1st— Leo S

2nd— Jack Gi

3rd— Max I

Most active Y3



Tommy —Y1

Chimdi —Y3



1st— Max I

2nd— Noah

3rd— Carson