

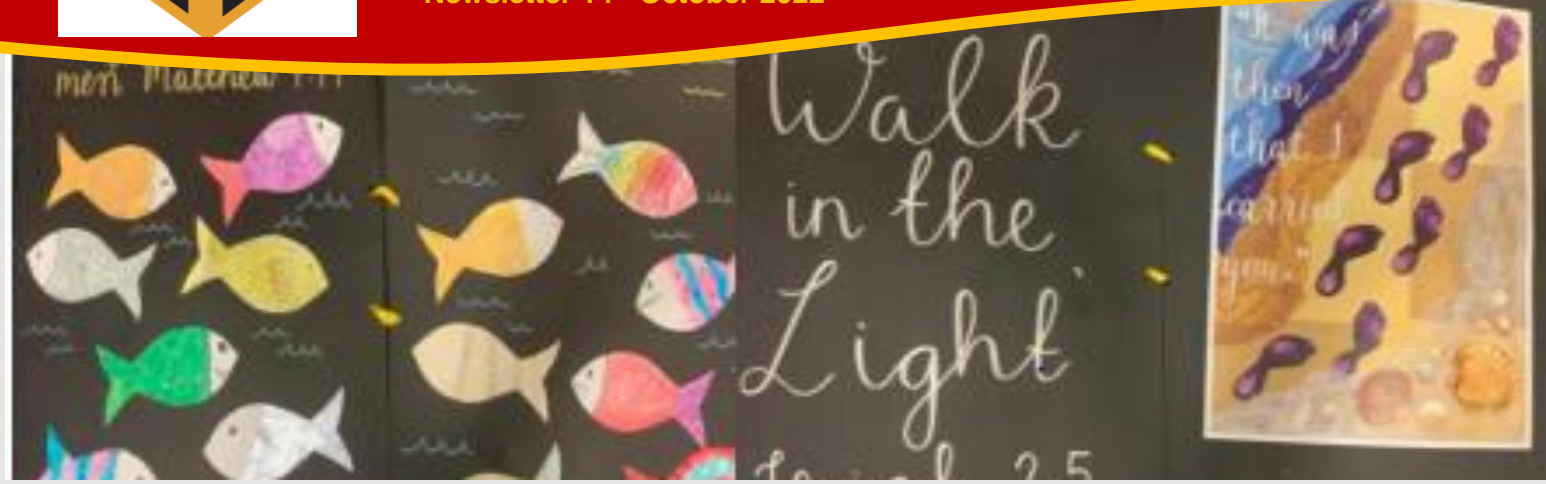


St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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“Walking together in the Light of the Lord.”

A Message from Miss Marum...

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to all the families who supported the PTFA Pre-Loved uniform sale today by purchasing items and also to those parents who donated so many items. It was a really successful event that we hope to repeat in the future.

In other news, we raised over £85 for MacMillan Cancer Support at the end of last month, well done and thank you to everyone who supported this event.

Our children have been busily designing Christmas designs as part of the annual Cauliflower Cards initiative. If you have placed an order for products that feature your child's artwork, please return your child's artwork to school by **Wednesday 19th October**.

Finally, we look forward to seeing you all at Parents' Evening on Tuesday and Wednesday evening next week. Please remember to book your appointments online if you haven't already!

We hope you have a peaceful weekend.

Best wishes,

Miss Marum

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St Bernadette's Relics

Our Year 3 class, St Bernadette Class, were invited to attend the Schools' Assembly at the Cathedral on Wednesday and venerate the relics of their class' Patron Saint. Each child received a bottle of holy water from Lourdes, a booklet about St Bernadette and a prayer card to take home. The children were a credit to our school and we received many compliments about their attitude and behaviour from the public.

Several members of our school community have visited the relics whilst they have been in our town: Mrs Netherwood led the singing in the torchlight procession on Tuesday, Miss Forrestall led the rosary to the congregation on Wednesday evening and Elise visited with her family on the same evening.

Which familiar faces do you recognise in the photos at the bottom of the page?!

Term Dates

Advent Term

Term starts: Monday 5th September 2022

Term ends: Thursday 20th October 2022

(INSET Day on Friday 21st October)

Half Term: Monday 24th October 2022-Friday 28th October 2022

Term starts: Monday 31st October 2022

Term ends: Friday 16th December 2022

Find the calendar [here](#).

Link to Hope Shoebox Appeal

Next week, each of our classes will be putting together a shoebox with practical gifts for a family or an elderly person living in Romania, Moldova, Ukraine or Bulgaria. **We ask for your help in this**, by purchasing one of the items on the list. You may like to work with your family to donate a whole shoebox as a gift yourselves. We ask that all donated items to class shoeboxes are brought in by **Thursday 20th October** and all shoeboxes completed by families are brought to school by **Monday 31st October**.

Junior Duke Award Presentation

Congratulations to the pupils who have completed their Junior Duke Award. These children have been invited to the first of our termly presentations and tea party to be held at **2.30pm on Wednesday 19th October**. If your child is interested in beginning the Junior Duke or taking up the next challenge for their year group, please leave a message at the School Office for Mrs Yuen who will contact you with the details of how to begin at the start of next half term.



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