

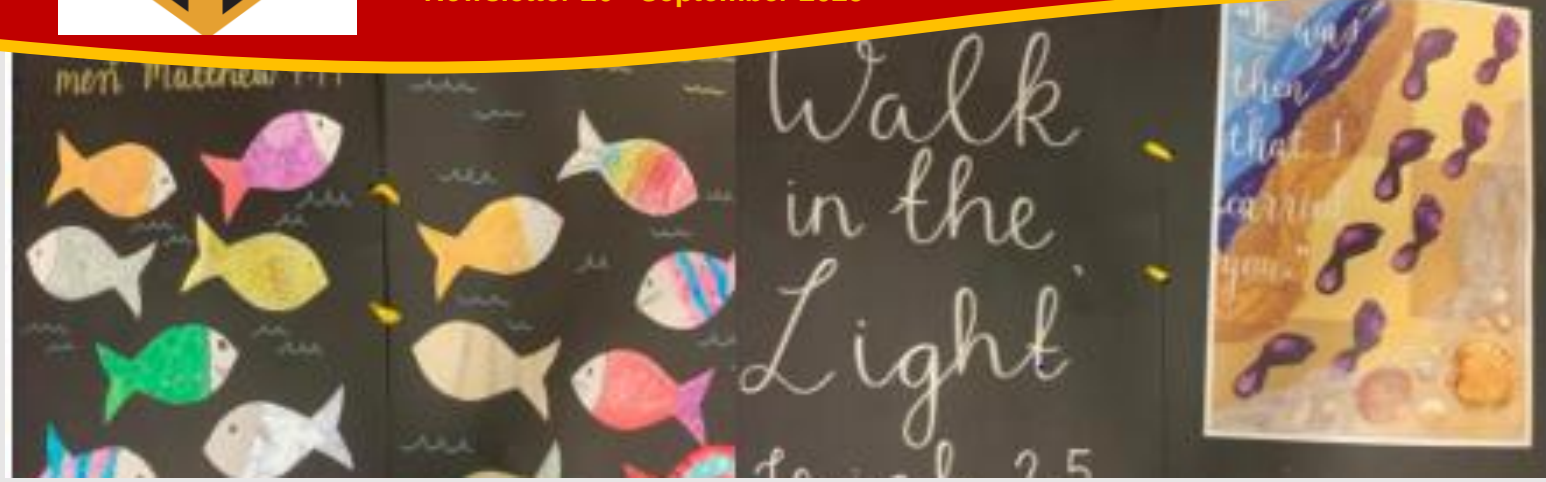


# St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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***"Walking together in the Light of the Lord."***

## ***A Message from Miss Marum...***

Dear Parents and Carers,

We've had another good week in school; so many of the children have been really impressing us with their behaviour and responsiveness to learning so far this term – well done to them all!

Thank you for all your contributions for the Cathedral Food Store today; we have enjoyed the day in non-uniform and we look forward to delivering the donations to the Foodstore in the coming weeks.

Please do take note of events happening in our parishes over the next few weeks, there's lots happening including registration for First Holy Communion; if your child is in Year 3 or above and has been baptised in the Catholic Church, then now is the time to register them for First Holy Communion preparation; the next sacrament in their spiritual journey.

We hope you enjoy the weekend!

**Best wishes,  
Miss Marum**

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## Portraits and Poses

Year 2's Art project is called Portraits and Poses. The children have already worked on sketching techniques to draw each other using careful observation. This week, they began their work on their final outcome for this unit of work: a self-portrait using a variety of media including pastels, collage and watercolours. We look forward to their final pieces!



## Term Dates

### **Advent Term 2025**

Term starts: Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
September 2025

Term ends: Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October  
2025

### **Half Term: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2025-Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025**

Term starts: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
November 2025

### **INSET Day: Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025**

Term ends: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
2025

Find full term dates [here](#).

## Local Parish Events

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September:** 'Vale et Salve' – Farewell to Fr Andrew and Welcome to Fr Christopher – Mass at 7pm.

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October:** Gregory Care Quiz – to raise proceeds for Gregory Care

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October:** 2026 First Holy Communion registration at Sacred Heart.

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October:** 2026 First Holy Communion registration at St Gregory the Great.

More details on the [parish newsletter](#).

## Parents' Evening

It's the final few days to book your Parents' Evening appointment using MCAS.

Please remember to attend your appointment on either Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September or Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> October.

We look forward to seeing you there!



## News from our Nursery

We've had lots of new children join our Nursery this term and they are all doing a brilliant job of learning the Nursery rules and routines, making friends and participating in all of the activities they have on offer each day.

In RE this week, the children have been learning that we are all invited to be a part of God's family. The children learned that a Baptism is a very special occasion. The children acted out a baptism, using water, oil and a candle. The children used the words the Priest or Deacon would use: 'I baptise you in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.'



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## **HOLIDAY COURSES**

### **OCTOBER 27th - 31st**

**Enjoy fun football camps,  
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**9am - 3.30pm**

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