

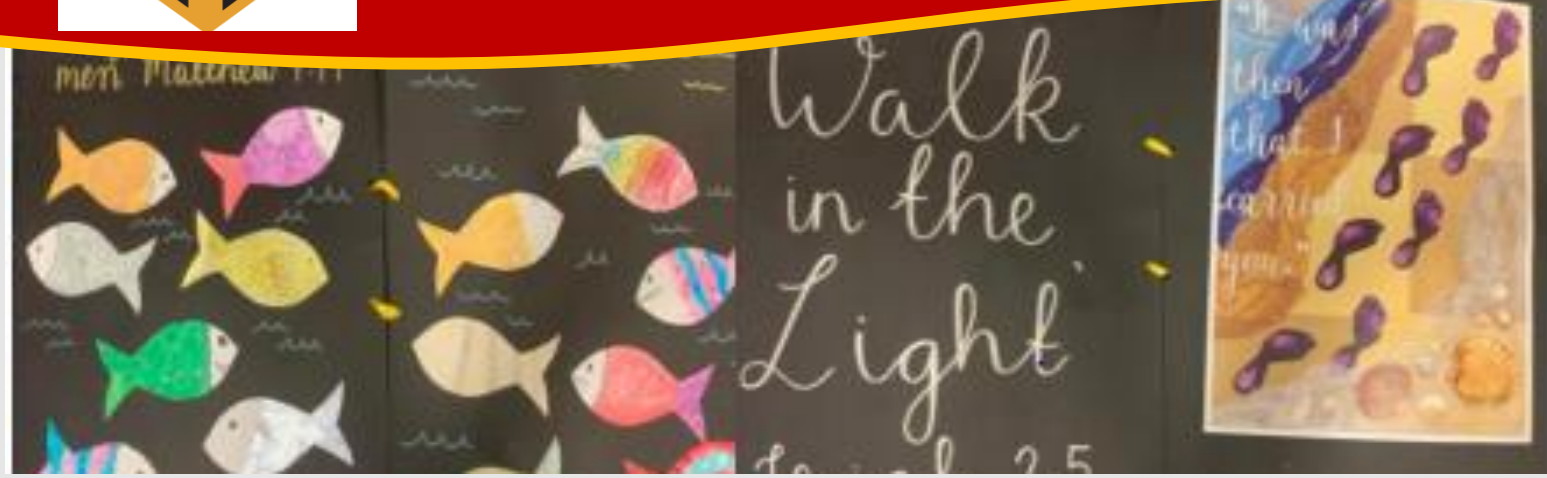


# St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Newsletter 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026



***“Walking together in the Light of the Lord.”***

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

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for all your support this week: the Lent Reflection, parking arrangements and our oatly biscuit sale are examples of just a few! The building works have begun and will become more visible throughout next week. WE will continue with the same arrangements detailed in the letter until further notice.

Next week, Breakfast Club, Sporty Scholars, StylesStars and Hotshots will be running at their usual times; all other clubs had their final sessions of the term this week. Booking information for next term's clubs will be sent to parents alongside this newsletter.

We are holding a Coffee Morning on Wednesday, please do come along and invite family members and parishioners too. If you are able to donate any shop bought cakes for the event, please deliver these to the School Office by 3.30pm on Tuesday.

Next Friday marks the end of term and we will be holding a non-uniform sale in aid of Mary's Meals on this day in exchange for a donation of £1. We encourage all the children and staff to wear blue and white; the colours of the charity.

We hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

**Best wishes,  
Miss Marum**

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## Treasure Within – RISE Theatre

Children at St Gregory's embarked on a very special treasure hunt on Tuesday. They were tasked with the mission to find seven treasures: one for each of the Catholic Social Teaching principals. We explored Dignity of the Human Person, Family and Community, Dignity of Work, Solidarity and the Common Good, Rights and Responsibilities, Option for the Poor and Vulnerable and Stewardship. The day began with a show, where we met our Rise Theatre actors Rosie and Nicole, aka Charlie and Robyn who led us through a series of activities which helped us to discover treasures to achieve our mission. We had a brilliant day, immersed in all things Catholic Social Teaching!



## Term Dates

Term ends: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### **Pentecost Term 2026**

Term starts: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2026

**Bank Holiday: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

Term ends: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026

**Half Term: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026-Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

Term starts: Monday 1<sup>st</sup> 2026

Term ends: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2026

Find full term dates [here](#).

## Lent Reflection

The Lent Reflection was a wonderful occasion on Wednesday. The students of the four Catholic schools led us beautifully through the Stations of the Cross with times of reflection and song. Well done to the eighteen dedicated members of our Choir who represented St Gregory's, plus the additional congregation support!



**Thank you to everyone who supported.**

## Raise Some Dough with Oaty Biscuits

Thank you for supporting Mary's Meals once again, by buying oaty biscuits today – these linked to the oat-based meals used by the charity. Thank you to Coombes our catering company who kindly donated all of the biscuits so all proceeds from the sale can go straight to Mary's Meals! Next week, we have our coffee morning on Wednesday at 10.15am. Families, friends and parishioners are all invited.



## From Suffragettes to Servants: Year 2's Historic Adventure at Holdenby House



This week, Year 2 visited Holdenby House, a historic country house in the beautiful Northamptonshire countryside. We spent the day immersing ourselves in some of the history we have been learning as part of our "Movers and Shakers" project. We were joined by Queen Victoria herself and Annie Jones, a suffragette. The children participated in a variety of learning opportunities, including making tokens for a suffragette rally, writing letters to Prime Minister Lloyd George using ink and quills, sketching in the gardens, making herbal remedies and even being trained to be one of the Queen's house staff! The children certainly had a memorable day - well done to them all for their enthusiasm, creativity and curiosity!



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## Stepping into Ancient Greece

Years 4 and 5 recently took part in an exciting workshop to support their project: *Groundbreaking Greeks*, where they shared their learning and discovered many new facts. The children enjoyed re-enacting the myth of Medusa, debating the 'greatest' Greek god through drama, and learning about the Ancient Greek Olympics through an energetic action game. They showed great enthusiasm and eagerly engaged in each activity.



## Fairy Tales Come to Life

Reception and Year 1 recently took part in a fun fairy tale workshop, where they brought *The Three Little Pigs* to life through drama and role play. The children explored how characters might feel and used facial expressions, voices and body language to help tell the story. It was a joyful, imaginative session and the children showed wonderful confidence and enthusiasm throughout.



**SPORTY SCHOLARS**  
**St Gregory's Catholic Primary School**  
**After School Clubs**

Timings: 3:25-4:30pm

 **Dates**  
14th April - 9th July 2026

Please book online and there is a maximum of 20 places only

 **Tuesday Tennis**  
Y1-Y6

 **Thursday Football** **Thursday Gymnastics**  
Y1-Y6 Y1-Y6

**BOOK NOW** 

**More Info / Bookings** visit our website: [www.sportyscholars.com/clubs](http://www.sportyscholars.com/clubs)

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# COFFEE MORNING



*Join us in the School Hall for a hot  
drink and sweet treats to help us raise  
vital funds for the work of Mary's  
Meals!*

◆◆ 10:15am - 11.15am ◆◆

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March**

St Gregory's Catholic Primary School, Grange Road, NN3 2AX

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# NON-UNIFORM

WEAR WHITE & BLUE FOR MARY'S MEALS

# DONATION OF AT LEAST £1



# FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

Year 2 will have PE on this day, please make sure clothing and footwear is appropriate.

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