

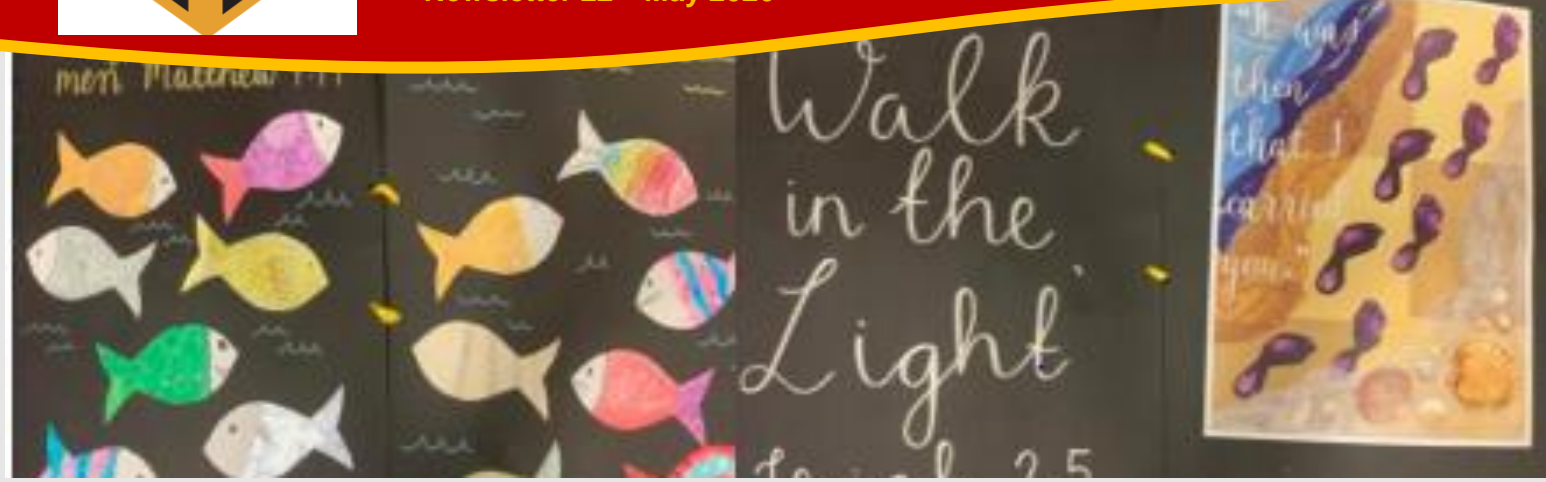


St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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"Walking together in the Light of the Lord."

A Message from Miss Marum...

Dear Parents and Carers,

It is hard to believe that we have reached another half term break and that the next half term is the final one of this academic year; it certainly has flown by!

There is still lots to look forward to next half term: trips for Reception, Year 4 and Year 5; Year 6's residential; the opening of our After-School Care Club; Sports Day, which will be held for all the children on Tuesday 23rd June; welcoming our new Reception cohort and their families and much more!

We are delighted to share the wonderful news that Ms Cowell is getting married over the half term break (she has even ordered perfect weather for the occasion!) When we return to school on 1st June, Ms Cowell will officially become Mrs Duffy. We would like to wish her and her husband every happiness as they begin this exciting new chapter together. Congratulations from all of us at school!

We wish you all an enjoyable half term and hope you enjoy a Bank Holiday weekend full of sunshine!

**Best wishes,
Miss Marum**

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Roman Adventure at Chester House

Year 3 had a fantastic start to the week with a visit to Chester House to learn more about the Romans. The children took part in exciting fieldwork activities using maps outdoors and enjoyed making clay oil lamps during a workshop session.

Throughout the day, they learnt about everyday life in Roman times, including Roman buildings, routines and the archaeological discoveries that have been made in Northamptonshire. The children also had the opportunity to examine real Roman artefacts and even write their names in Latin, just as Roman scribes would have done.

The children behaved beautifully throughout the visit and showed great enthusiasm and curiosity as they discovered so many new facts about Roman life.



Term Dates

Pentecost Term 2026

Term starts: Monday 13th April 2026

Bank Holiday: Monday 4th May 2026

Term ends: Friday 22nd May 2026

Half Term: Monday 25th May 2026-Friday 29th May 2026

Term starts: Monday 1st June 2026

Term ends: Friday 17th July 2026

Find full term dates [here](#).

SATs are complete – showtime begins!

Year 6's attention has turned to their exciting production: The Jungle Book! The children have already begun learning the songs and auditioning for roles which has created lots of excitement!

"I am feeling excited and nervous!

Everyone is working hard to make this the best production yet!

There are so many good roles; I have auditioned for Shere Khan and Bagheera!"



A Fantastic PTFA Disco

A huge thank you to our PTFA for organising another fantastic school disco. The children had a wonderful time dancing, singing and enjoying the evening with their friends.

There was fun, laughter and plenty of energy, and it was lovely to see so many smiling faces! We are very grateful to the PTFA and all of the volunteers who gave their time to make the disco such a success.



Celebrating First Holy Communion!

It is First Holy Communion season! Children who belong to Sacred Heart Parish received their First Holy Communion last weekend, and it is the turn of those who belong to the Parish of St Gregory the Great tomorrow.

We thank our parish priests, Fr Brendan, Fr Christopher and Fr Wayne; the catechists and the children's families for supporting the children on their faith journey.

Please keep all of our First Communicants in your prayers (including Anthony and Nadia who have celebrated their First Holy Communion in Poland) in your prayers as they continue to grow in God's love.



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