

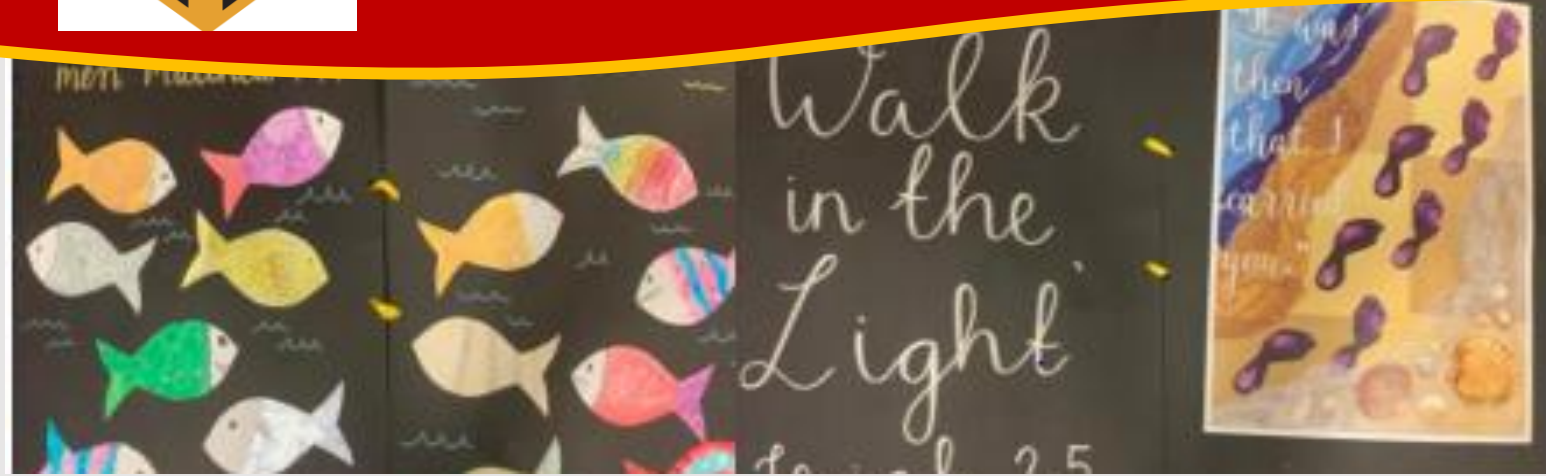


St Gregory's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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"Walking together in the Light of the Lord."

A Message from Miss Marum...

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was wonderful to see so many families attend Parents' Evening this week. The teachers all appreciated meeting you officially as your child's new class teacher. Thank you for taking the time to come and find out more about your child's learning.

Our Year 6 children enjoyed a slightly different afternoon on Thursday. Our girls were invited to visit Northampton School for Girls for a very special and inspirational STEM event, which they all thoroughly enjoyed; this certainly piqued their interest and aspiration! Our boys enjoyed an enriching afternoon of PE, sponsored by the PTFA.

Cauliflower Card designs will have been brought home today please do consider ordering your child's design following the information on the sheet.

Pupil Leadership is also well underway for this year. Several of our teams were awarded their badges this morning – please look after them and wear them with pride each day!

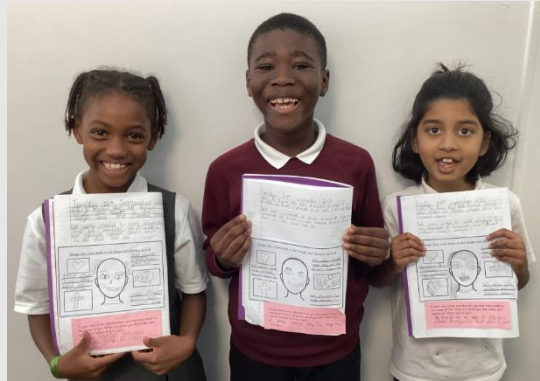
**Best wishes,
Miss Marum**



Made in the image and likeness of God

In RE this week, St Bernadette Class have been learning what it means to be made in the image and likeness of God. We discussed how we are all created equally and how we are all called to work together to be stewards of God's creation. We spent some time reflecting on our own 'imago dei', and thought about what this means for us.

We also enjoyed making links to our school rules and values and identifying ways we can be mindful of those around us and seek to see the face of God in them.



Term Dates

Advent Term 2026

Term starts: Thursday 3rd
September 2026

Term ends: Friday 23rd October
2026

Half Term: Monday 26th October 2026-Friday 30th October 2026

Term starts: Monday 2nd
November 2026

INSET Day: Friday 27th November 2026

Term ends: Friday 18th December
2026

Find full term dates [here](#).

Look how much we've changed!

As part of their 'Long Ago' project, the children in Nursery have been learning about when they were babies. The children enjoyed guessing who was who from their baby photographs and explored how babies develop into children, teenagers and eventually adults as well as discussing how they have become more independent over time.



Cauliflower Cards

Children from Nursery to Year 6 have created a Christmas Card design. This is a **fundraising project** for the school. The children will have brought their artwork home. Please do consider ordering your child's artwork.

You will need to submit your order online and then you must bring your child's artwork back to school by 14th October so it can be sent off. All ordered items will be delivered to school in December.



Building Numbers with Bricks!

In Maths, children in Reception have been learning to match a quantity to the correct numeral. They have been developing their understanding that numerals represent a specific number of objects.

To make this learning practical and engaging, the children have been using Duplo bricks to build towers, carefully counting the number of bricks and checking that their tower matches the numeral they have been given. They have been encouraged to count carefully, touch each brick as they count and check their answers.



Aspiration-Resilience-Awareness-Compassion