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Friday 19th April



MASS TIMES THIS WEEK AT ST GEORGE AND ST TERESA

19th May— Pentecost

Saturday 5.30pm

Sunday 8.45am (Children's Liturgy—please come along as a family)

10.30am

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a busy few weeks! Eastertide is finishing and we are preparing for the feast of Pentecost on Sunday.

Nursery and Reception classes wore red clothing today to help them with their learning about this special celebration about the coming of the Holy Spirit.



Year 6 have been sitting their Key Stage 2 SATs tests this week. They've worked ever so hard preparing for them and gave their all during them. We are really pleased and proud with their efforts. Well done, Year 6!

It doesn't stop there for Year 6 as they are off to Alton Castle next week with Mr Blewitt, Mrs Ansell and Miss Williams for three days of fun, team-building, prayer and reflection. Please keep a close eye on our Twitter/X page for updates @stgandtschool

Year 5 thoroughly enjoyed their trip to PGL in Boreatton Park and came home full of tales of adventure and experiences they'll never forget.



School celebrated the feast of the Ascension last week and we also had a beautiful May Procession in school (see next page for more details).

Have a great weekend!

Best wishes,

Mrs Flanagan and Mr Hainie.

L. Flanagan and S Hainie

PTFA

Huge thanks to our fantastic PTFA who organised a packed-out bingo evening including brilliant food from Debbie last Friday night. A fun time was had by all.

Please support our summer fayre on July 5th in any way you can. Every penny helps!



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This half term, we are focussing on the virtues **eloquent** and **truthful** in what they say of themselves, the relations between people, and the world.

The latest Wednesday Word is available at <https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/pentecost?pid=MTA101634&v=129.1>



Year 3 have been really busy during this sacramental period for them. They received the Sacrament of Reconciliation from Father John, who was most impressed by their reverence and knowledge of the sacrament.

As part of their preparation for First Holy Communion, Year 3 also received a visit from One Life Music. Their enthusiasm for what they learned during and after this was fantastic. Please continue to keep year 3 in your prayers during this important time.



Last week was the feast of the Ascension. EYFS and KS1 had a service in school and KS2 went to church and joined in with other parishioners from our community to celebrate Mass.





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Also last week, we had a beautiful **May Procession**. The flowers brought in adorning the statue of Our Lady and the wonderful weather all contributed to a very special occasion. However, the most pleasing part was seeing the children, family and friends all coming together to pray to Mary and see Father John crown our Queen of Heaven.



Sports Updates

Lots going on in our sports. Year 3 and 4 are off to benchball and cricket festivals next week. Year 1 are making great strides in improving their cheerleading routine ready for that festival in a few weeks.



The whole school (including staff) are getting ready for next Friday's skip-a-thon when we will be sponsoring our skipping to support Cafod in providing community water supplies to people who need them. Please help the children to help others by supporting their sponsorship and any practice they might be doing at home. See <https://worldgifts.cafod.org.uk/products/community-water-supply> for more details.





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MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Well done to Year 1 - our top attenders over the last four weeks.

Year	Attendance
Nursery	91.9%
Reception	95.2%
Year 1	98.2%
Year 2	93.7%
Year 3	97.8%
Year 4	93.9%
Year 5	96.9%
Year 6	94.9%



Parking around school

We ask you to be considerate to our neighbours when parking.

Thank you for your continued understanding and co-operation.



Potholes

There are some potholes in the car park area. We have arranged for these to be repaired in the summer. In the meantime, please tread carefully around them.

Nut free school

Please remember we are a nut free school. Even traces of nuts brought in by one child can have serious implications for other children.



St George and St Teresa's time to shine!!!

Headteacher's award

Nursery: Thomas

Reception: Declan

Year 1: Harry

Year 2: Dylan

Year 3: Joseph

Year 4: Alyssa

Year 5: Louis

Year 6: Year 6



Catholic Social Teaching

Nursery: Luke

Reception: James

Year 1: Henry

Year 2: Aida

Year 3: Matilda

Year 4: Henry

Year 5: Penelope

Year 6: Jacob



Pride and presentation award



Nursery: Charlie

Reception: Flynn

Year 1: Phoebe

Year 2: Maeve

Year 3: Ayla May

Year 4: Wynter

Year 5: Ava

Year 6: Jack

Art and Design award



Nursery: Arthur

Reception: Cillian

Year 1: Jemima

Year 2: Eira

Year 3: Lily-Rose

Year 4: Leila

Year 5: Isabella B

Year 6: Grace

Dates for your diary summer term 2024

23rd May St Chad's Good Shepherd Mass

24th May Skipathon

27—31 May Half-term Holidays

3—7 June Year 5 Bikeability

Saturday 8th June 11.00 First Holy Communion

Tuesday 11th June 9.45 Whole School Communion celebration Mass - school

19th June Class photos

24th June 9.30 KS2 Sports Day (Reserve 27th June)

26th June 9.30 EYFS/KS1 Sports Day (Reserve 28th June)

5th July PTFA Summer Fayre Thursday 18th July 9.45 Whole School leavers/end-of-term celebration Mass - school

Class Masses at Church led by each class – 8.45. We would like classes to lead a Mass at church on a Sunday.

June 9th Year 3 (FHC)

June 23rd Year 4

June 30th Year 6

July 7th Year 5