



St Joseph's Newsletter

A school built on... Faith, Hope & Love

10th March 2025

Thought of the Week

I know that in Lent I should pray more, fast and give alms.

Our School Rules

Be Ready, Safe and Respectful.

World Book Day 2025!

This year we celebrated World Book Day dressing up as mini beasts and focussing our lessons around the story 'Bee and Me' by Alison Jay



Year 6 Careers Day

Thank you to the parents and visitors who were able to give up their time to come into school and speak to Year 6 about their careers.



Ash Wednesday

Thank you to Father Peter and the parishioners for joining us for our Ash Wednesday service in school.



Ash Wednesday
— Lent Begins

Parents' Evening

Parents Evening for children in Y1 - Y6 is on Thursday 20th March from 2pm - 6pm.

Further information will be sent home soon for you to book an appointment via the Arbor system.

Red Door Charity

We collected over 170 boxes of cereal to donate to the Red Door Charity.

Thank you for all your support.



School Reminders

Safeguarding In line with our Safeguarding Policy parents must not enter the school building at drop off or pick up. Please go via the school office if you need to speak to a member of staff. Thank you for your support with this matter.

Packed lunches In line with Health and Safety guidance grapes are not allowed in packed lunches due to the choking hazard.

Free School Meals - If you feel that your child may be eligible for Free School Meals, please contact Bury Council on 0161 253 5858.



Ready



Respectful



Safe

Community Project!



Payments

At St Joseph's, we love to host events for families and the local community to benefit everyone involved, however this comes at a cost. We would love to continue holding events throughout the year, and just ask for parents and carers to help us with this by ensuring payments are made as described on the forms via Arbor. Any help with fundraising in the future would be greatly appreciated.

Head Teacher Awards

FS1 - Ronnie & Easa

FS2 - Klay & Harrison

Y1 - Luca & Karl

Y2 - James & Atlas

Y3 - Mallie & Hugo

Y4 - Teddy & Evelyn

Y5 - Lenny & Kash

Y6 - Matthew & Thomas K

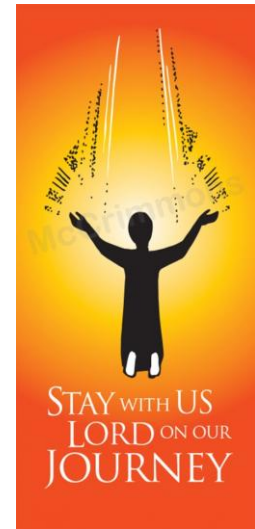
French Cafe

The Key Stage 2 children had a fantastic time at our French Café this morning. Thank you to the wonderful Madame Birtwistle for organising it all.



Children's Liturgy

The next children's liturgy will be on Sunday 6th April at 10am. Please try to bring your child along.



Happy Birthday!

Verity, Harrison, Emil, Jan, Jensen, Orla T, Harriet-Rose, and Mr Dougíl



Prayer for Lent!

*Dear God,
Please help us during Lent to help our community and keep those in need in our thoughts.*

*Amen
Sahana (Year 3)*



Key Dates- Spring 2 Term

Monday 10th March - British Science Week

Tuesday 11th March - Whole School Nerf Workshop.

Wednesday 12th March - 11am - Y3 Class Mass (Parents welcome)

9.30 - 10.45am - Y5 Science Challenge (Woodhey High School)

Thursday 13th March - Year 3 Wild Souls

Friday 14th March - Dogs Trust Whole School Assembly

Tuesday 18th March - 3.30pm - Reconciliation Service Y3 children (more details to follow).

Thursday 20th March - Y6 Exam Support Workshop

2pm - 6pm - Y1 - Y6 Parents' Evening (Booking information will be sent via Arbor)

Friday 21st March - 2.15pm - Easter Rocksteady Concert (Parents welcome)

Wednesday 26th March - Y6 Trip to Lowry Theatre (Pig Heart Boy)

Thursday 27th March - 9am - Y1 Class Assembly. (Parents welcome).

School closes at 2pm on Thursday 27th March for Easter Holidays.

Please note: We will notify parents and carers of any changes to dates, times, etc as soon as we can. Thank you for your support.

Baby and Toddler Playgroup

Our new baby and toddler playgroup has been a great success! Please let your family and friends know that anyone is welcome to join us, we love to see new faces.

We are looking for volunteers to support the running of the playgroup. Please let the office staff know if you are available to support any sessions.

ST JOSEPH'S RCP

**LITTLE ANGELS
BABY AND TODDLER
PLAYGROUP**

**THURSDAYS (TERM TIME ONLY)
10.00AM - 10.45AM**

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**COME AND JOIN US EVERY THURSDAY IN THE
SCHOOL HALL FOR OUR
LITTLE ANGELS PLAYGROUP.**

**AGES 0-4 WELCOME.
NO COST OR BOOKING REQUIRED
JUST TURN UP!**

