



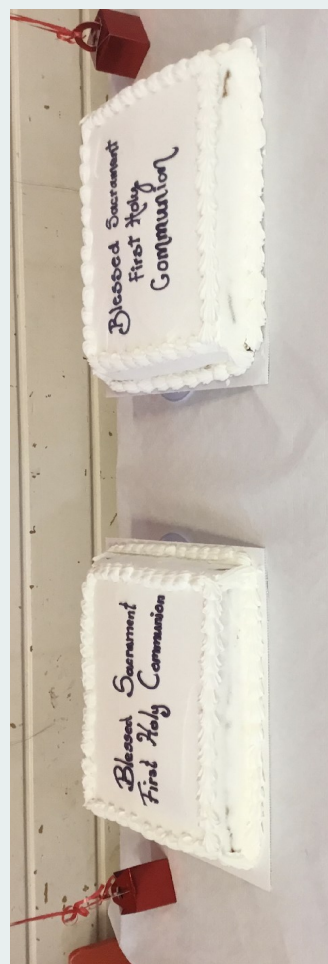
Blessed Sacrament Catholic
Primary School

Religious Education and Catholic
Life Newsletter

“Aim High – Live life to the full”

THANKSGIVING MASS

Congratulations to our Year 4, 5 and 6 children who celebrated their Holy Communion this half term. They had a final special Thanksgiving Mass on Friday 23rd June 2023 with Father Stephen.



WEDNESDAY WORD

**This week's Wednesday Word is
'Listening.'**

'Good communication helps us to grow closer. It is so important to listen' Pope Francis. Ask your child if they know someone who is a really good listener. Who does your child like to listen to? Do they know people who speak with kindness and love, and want good things for them and others? Listening to

Jesus and acting on his words helps us to become the best people we can be. A weekly sharing of Sunday's Gospel with our families. Download your copy [here](#).



Community and Parish News

Keep up to date with news and events in the parish. Download the [parish newsletter](#).

Children's Liturgy

Please feel free to download and use weekly worksheets with your children at home.

<https://www.blessedsacramentaintree.co.uk/childrens-liturgy>

PAUSE FOR REFLECTION

*Dear Lord,
May we make our homes places of relaxation,
joy, love, peace and safety.
May we be generous and considerate,
not thinking only about ourselves,
but helping others enjoy the blessings of the summertime.
Lord God, Creator of all things,
guide our steps and strengthen our hearts
during these months of summer and vacation days.
Grant us refreshment of mind and body.
May we constantly strive to make a meaningful difference
in the lives of our loved ones and in the world around us
as we enjoy the warm days of summertime.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.*

Amen.





First Holy Communions

Please contact the church directly if your child has missed their First Holy Communion and you would like them to prepare for it next academic year. The programme will begin in October and run monthly through to April. Sessions will take place on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 4pm at church.

October 16th, 17th & 18th
November 20th, 21st & 22nd
December 18th, 19th & 20th
January 22nd, 23rd & 24th
February 19th, 20th & 21st
March 18th, 19th & 20th



Food Club

Thank you so much for all of your contributions towards our Food Bank Scheme. We have had a wonderful response overall again this half term – thank you!

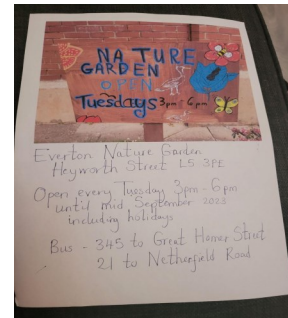
There are collection bins in the main school, infant and junior building foyers. Any donations are welcome.

If you would like access to anything from the food bank, please speak to someone from the Wellbeing team. We ask for £2 per bag.



John Muir Award

Some of our children attended a celebration at Everton Gardens for our John Muir Award. Our children have been extremely fortunate to access the John Muir award for the past few years. This award is a natural environmental award scheme that encourages people of all backgrounds to connect with, enjoy and care for wild places. It is non-competitive, inclusive and accessible. You can visit/volunteer every Tuesday from 3pm - 6pm. Pop in over the summer holidays!



Mass Times

Friday 21st July 9:15am/2pm - Weekday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 22nd July 4:30pm - Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time
– Vigil Mass

Sunday 23rd July 10am - Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



Feast Days/Holy Days

TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD (6 AUGUST)

The feast commemorates the transfiguration of Christ on Mount Tabor

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (15 AUGUST)

We celebrate the happy departure of Mary.

THE QUEENSHIP OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (22 AUGUST)

Mary was assumed into Heaven by Jesus and the angels.

Rocket

Some of our children have been taking part in an exciting project called "ROCKET". This project has been developed in partnership with children across Liverpool, to train up groups of children within schools to be resilient champions! Rocket stands for (Resilient, Open, Caring, Kind, Equal, Togetherness). They have been exploring, resilience and what it means, mental health, things that makes them happy or sad, scenarios that can arise where we can support each other, and the importance of being a good friend. The children have the chance to have their say around what positive things they'd like to do in their school to promote and spread kindness! Here are some of the children hard at work!





Leavers' Mass

On Friday 14th July we celebrated our Year 6 children and had a special Leavers' mass at church. The children have been absolutely fantastic all year. We wish them the very best and good luck in their new schools.



Have a wonderful summer everyone! We will see you all on Monday 4th September for our new school year!