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With Christ at the centre of our  
community, our mission is to live,  
love and learn as Jesus taught us.

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**The Newsletter**  
**Summer term no.3 – 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2024**  
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**PLEASE READ!**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Update since the last newsletter:

- Every class enjoyed the Cricket Festival on Monday, big thanks to the South Ribble Sports Team for running the event.
- Reception had a busy day on Thursday with their trip to Longton Library and their first Sports Day. The whole class were exceptional in all the races, great attitude and super enthusiasm. St Gregory's were the winners!
- The Cake Sale yesterday raised £115.10. Many thanks to Mrs Nowak for all the baking.
- Y1 Sports Day was brilliant with all the children giving 100% Well done to the winning team, St Bede.

**Coming up:**

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May** – Y6 Hockey Festival at Preston Hockey Club 4-6pm (letters issued to the Hockey Team 25<sup>th</sup> April).

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May** - 2.15pm Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 will attend Mass with Fr Michael as it is the Feast of the Ascension.

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May** – 1<sup>st</sup> match of the Girls Football Tournament at Priory Academy 3.45pm – 5.00pm (letters used to the Girls Football Team on 1<sup>st</sup> May).

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup>**-

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May** - Y6 End of Key Stage 2 Tests. **Please ensure that your child is in on time as the tests will start promptly at 9am each day.**

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May** - PTFA Meeting 6.30pm in school. Please come along to discuss the arrangements for the Summer Fair.

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May** - School Meal Promotion – Swing into Spring Lunch: The menu is: Pork/Quorn Meatball Sub, Tortilla Chips & Salad Sticks or Rainbow Vegetable Quesadilla, Mildly Spiced Rice & BBQ Sauce followed by Ice Cream Tub. If your child does not normally have school meals, but would like to have a school lunch on 16<sup>th</sup> May please complete the slip (summer newsletter no.1) and return to school no later than Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May. Payment of £2.50 should be made in advance through ParentPay. Thank you.

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May** - Y4 Parent Assembly 2.40pm in school. The theme is 'First Holy Communion'.

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May** -Sports Day for Y2 2.15pm. Parents are invited to spectate.

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May** - First Holy Communion Masses Y4 10.30am & 12.30pm.

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May** - Children in Y6 will complete an online School Health Needs Questionnaire carried out by the School Nursing Team. This is an OPT IN therefore if you **DO NOT** wish for your child to complete the questionnaire, please contact the school nursing team on 0300 247 0040 (letters sent home 18<sup>th</sup> April).

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May** - Class photographs to be taken.

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** - Y1 visit to Martin Mere as part of their curriculum topic 'Plants' (letter issued 23<sup>rd</sup> April).

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** -Reception visit to Blackpool Zoo on their curriculum topic 'Animals' (letter issued 25<sup>th</sup> April).

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** - 6.30pm New Parents Induction Meeting in the school hall. This meeting is for parents who have a child starting school in September 2024.

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May** -Sports Day for Y3 2.15pm. Parents are invited to spectate.

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May** - PTFA Cake Sale on the playground 3.15pm

**School Meal Promotion: 'D-Day':**

Our next school meal promotion will be on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June. The menu is Battered Dish & Chips, Garden or Mushy Peas or Savoury Cheese Whirl, Chips & Baked Beans followed by D-Day Cocoa Krispie Cake. If your child does not normally have school meals, but would like to have a school lunch on 6<sup>th</sup> June, please complete the attached slip and return to school no later than Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. Payment of £2.50 should be made in advance through ParentPay, our on-line payment system. Thank you.

And finally...  
Enjoy the Bank Holiday weekend!

B Wood  
Headteacher

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**SCHOOL MEAL PROMOTION –'D-DAY' – THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

I would like my child to have a school meal on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June. I will ensure payment of £2.50 is made in advance through ParentPay.

Name of child: .....

Year group: .....

Signature of parent/carer: .....

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