



*We show our love for God, in the way we treat each other.
Together we follow Jesus, by learning, and sharing our gifts.*



SS Peter & Paul's Catholic Primary School

The Good Shepherd Catholic Trust



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UNICEF article of the month: Article 29

Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well. We are now approaching the last week of term and many emails and messages have been sent out to ensure you have the opportunity to collect PE bags and your children's books. Monday 13th July is the last day to collect all belongings; any books not collected by this date will be disposed of. It is really important you return your child's school reading book and home learning equipment; there will be a minimum charge of £5 to replace any books not returned, some of which are brand new and have a much higher replacement cost.

I am delighted to announce the winners of book cover competition, who will all receive a book token prize - see our Twitter feed and Facebook for all the photos. The entries were absolutely amazing and so imaginative; we even had some parents getting involved!

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Hageos, Sarah Micajah, Karanveer Konakshi, David Jasroop, Dhviya	Aishani	Angeline Alan, Roman Archita, Rhia Karolina, Mayan Sahanya	Janelle Mithu Prabjot Simran	Karina Jahmani	Josiah Harman	Jia Ryley Arshjot

We say goodbye to Y6 on Wednesday 15th July at the outdoor mass, 2.30pm on the school field. This will be an opportunity for the children to say goodbye and give thanks for their time at SSPP; I hope to see **ALL** the Y6 children and families.

Thursday 16th July is the last day for YR, Y1 and key worker's children; we finish at 1.30pm on this day.

The full operational plan to reopen the school to all children in September will be on the school website next week; there will be some important changes to the school day and entry to and from the school site, therefore it is important you read the information carefully. Please continue to check your emails throughout the summer holidays in order to receive the most up to date information and be aware of any further changes. Father Andrew will be celebrating mass for the Parish on our school field on Sunday 12th July at 9.30am- weather permitting.

I wish you all a lovely safe weekend. God Bless.

Mrs Johnson
Headteacher

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Gospel: Matthew 13:1-9.

Jesus tells us a parable about planting seeds. It shows us how important it is that the seeds land on the right kind of ground to grow, but it also tells us something about ourselves.

“Once there was a man who went out to sow corn. As he scattered the seed in the field, some of it fell along the path, and the birds came and ate it up. Some of it fell on rocky ground, where there was little soil. The seeds soon sprouted, because the soil wasn't deep. But when the sun came up, it burnt the young plants; and because the roots had not grown deep enough, the plants soon dried up. Some of the seed fell among thorn bushes, which grew up and choked the plants. But some seeds fell in good soil, and the plants produced corn; some produced 100 grains, others sixty, and others thirty.”
And Jesus concluded, “Listen, then, if you have ears!”

The seed that falls on the path is like those people who hear what Jesus is saying but don't really understand it or listen to it properly.

The seed that falls on the rocks is like the person who hears what Jesus asks of us and starts off really excited about it, but who gives up following him as soon as it is difficult.

The seed that falls in the thorns is like someone who hears what Jesus says but concentrates too much on having the best things, the most money, rather than on being the person Jesus wants us to be.

The seed that falls on the rich soil is like someone who hears what Jesus is asking, understands it, and lives their life as he asks them to.

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

God of life, help us to hear your word. Guide us to understand it so that we may grow to live our lives the way you want us to. We ask this through Christ our Lord,
Amen.

STAR PUPIL AWARDS



EYFS		KS1		Lower KS2		Upper KS2	
RA	Karanveer	1K	Aishani	3I	Simran	5B	Heimrad
RS	Abhi	1M	Rethushna	3N	Kishan	6R	To all of 6R
		2B	Rishvesh	4B	Josh	6B	To all of 6B
		2P	Alan	4S	Kaylan		

Congratulations to all our Star Pupils, the teachers have found it difficult to choose, as so many of you are working hard at home! You may be on next week's list!

Keep up the good work!

