St. Peter's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter 3 Friday 9th October

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Local Parish Mass Times	St Peter's	English Martyrs	St Augustine's
Saturday	6pm		6.30pm
Sunday	9am 10.30am 5.30pm	9am	11am

RE CURRICULUM

EYFS	N/A
Y1	WALT know some ways people care for God's world
Y2	Thinking about how we can bring hope to others.
Y3	WALT: appreciate that people have written psalms to praise creation.
Y4	
Y5	WALT explore what virtue is and consider how the virtues can help me to be a better neighbour
Y6	WALT: show my understanding of how science can lead to a deeper appreciation of God's love.

What a week it has been at St Peter's!!!

We were delighted to welcome **Ofsted** to our school this week. The inspection was an incredibly positive experience and we are extremely pleased with the evaluation of our school, the recognition of the significant improvements that have been made, and the validation that the priorities we have identified for the next stage of our journey are the right ones. As always, inspection is a collective effort and I would like to thank our dedicated staff, governors, pupils and families for the part they play in making St. Peter's such a special place to learn and work. We look forward to sharing the final report with you

A huge congratulations also goes to **Marcio**, who recently took part in a martial arts competition. It was his first competition at the Oxford champions open and he managed to win a total of 5 medals: 2 gold, 2 silver and 1 bronze. We are incredibly proud of his commitment, determination and sporting achievement. Well done, Marcio. We love hearing about the successes our pupils achieve both in and beyond school.



This week we also celebrate the remarkable efforts of **Noah** in Reception, who has been fundraising in memory of his sister, Autumn-Nevaeh. Noah recently donated a privacy pram to Gloucester Maternity Unit, helping to support families during difficult times. We are so proud of his kindness, compassion and selflessness. Through this wonderful act, Noah continues to honour the memory of his beloved sister by helping others.



On Thursday morning, our **Big Breakfast** was a tremendous success. Thank you to Miss Reynolds, Miss Woods and Mr Jalloh for organising such a fantastic event, and to the wider staff team for their incredible commitment, particularly after some very long days supporting the Ofsted inspection. The atmosphere was wonderful, and it was lovely to see so many families join us. Your support and engagement with school events is greatly appreciated and helps strengthen the sense of community that makes St Peter's so special.

A reminder that **International Mass** will take place on Sunday 18th October at St Augustine's Church. This is always a wonderful celebration of faith, culture and community, with parts of the Mass shared in different languages that reflect the diversity of our school family. We would love to see as many families there as possible. St Augustine's is one of the many parishes that St Peter's proudly serves, and the Mass promises to be a joyful occasion for all.

We are also now welcoming families who will be applying for places in **Reception for September 2027**. If you have friends, neighbours or family members with children due to start school next year, please encourage them to visit us and experience all that St Peter's has to offer. Details of our prospective parent tours can be found on our website or by contacting the school office.

A reminder that **Parents' Evening** takes place next week. Please ensure you book your appointment via EduLink if you have not already done so. These meetings are an important opportunity to celebrate your child's achievements and discuss their next steps in learning.

Finally, I would like to offer a sincere **thank you** to the many parents and carers who shared kind words, encouragement and positive feedback during the inspection process. The inspection team commented on the very positive support from the parental community. Your support, confidence and advocacy for our school are greatly appreciated and were warmly received. Thank you for continuing to work in partnership with us as we strive to provide the very best for every child.

Have a wonderful weekend; God bless our amazing school community.

Mr Kurt Doyle

Headteacher

Everybody is welcome to join us for 9am.
Donations will be welcome from Monday 12th October.
Thank you so much, Mrs Devereux



DATES FOR THE DIARY

Tuesday 13th October	**Y3**	**Stone Age Day**	
Friday 16th October	**Y3 & Y4**	**Cheltenham Literature Festival**	**During the school day**
Wednesday 14th October	**Whole School**	**Parents Evening**	**3.30pm– 6.00pm**
Thursday 15th October	**Whole School**	**Parents Evening**	**3.30pm-6.00pm**
Thursday 15th October	**Whole School**	**Photographer**	
Friday 16th October	**Whole School**	**Harvest Festival**	**9.00am**
Tuesday 20th October—Friday 23rd October	**Y6**	**Condover Hall Residential**	
Friday 23rd October	**Whole School**	**Finish for Half Term**	**Normal time**
Monday 26th October	**Whole School**	**HALF TERM**	
Monday 2nd November		**Return to School**	**8.45am**
Monday 16th November		**INSET**	
Tuesday 17th November	**Y6**	**World War II Day**	**Wear WWII constume**
Wednesday 16th December	**Whole School**	**Christmas Jumper Day**	
Wednesday 16th December	**Whole School**	**Christmas Lunch**	

DINNER MENU – w/c 12th October

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Summer Pizza	Spaghetti & Meat-balls	Roast Pork	Greek Chicken Pitta	Fish Fingers & Chips
Tomato	Vegan Burger	Vegetable Loaf	Vegan Bolognese	Cheese & Bean Pasty
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato

DINNER MENU – w/c 19th October

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Tomato Pasta	Pork Sausage Roll	Roast Chicken	Spaghetti Bolognaise	Fish Fingers & Chips
Cheese & Pepper Whirl	Vegetable Greek Macaroni	Vegan Sausage	Coconut Curry	Cheesy Broccoli Frittata
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato