



## St Teresa of Lisieux Catholic Primary Academy

Bulletin Number 9: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025

### A message from the headteacher

I would just like to begin this Friday's newsletter by saying a really **BIG** thank you to you all. Thank you for your understanding in what was a really 'eventful' day for you all. We had had to make a number of decisions in a short space of time and we made sure that we listened to, and followed the advice and guidance that was made available to us. Your children's safety will always be our number 1 priority. A huge thanks also, to our wonderful staff who were calmness personified and made sure everyone was looked after.

It was lovely to meet up with parents this afternoon for the coffee afternoon. Nearly double numbers on last week! Spread the word please... These events will become a regular feature next year and will really support a strong partnership between home and school. Thanks for giving up your time and your honesty.

### Religious Education and Catholic Life of the school

This week, as we celebrated the Feast of Corpus Christi, we were reminded of the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist and the importance of community and service. Through prayer, reflection, and acts of kindness, our school family came together to honour the gift of the Body and Blood of Christ. The children reflected on how they can live out Jesus' love in their daily lives-by sharing, caring, walking humbly with God.

On Monday Year 4 and the choir joined together with schools from across the All Saints MAT for a very special Service of Blessing at the Anglican Cathedral. It was a beautiful celebration full of prayer and song and the children represented themselves and St Teresa's wonderfully.





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As part of the 'Common Good' topic in RE, Year 6 have been highlighting the importance of supporting Fair Trade organisations and produce. They have left us with a question (please see below) certainly something to think about...



### Young Leaders Award Community Action

Congratulations to our 'Young Leaders' who have been diligently working away at Sedgemoor Hub to create a wonderful outdoor garden area for the residents to enjoy. It looks amazing and thanks to all their efforts, the wilderness has been transformed into a beautiful space. Servant leadership in action!





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### First Holy Communion School Celebration

To mark children making their First Holy Communion we are holding a special school celebration on **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2025**. Candidates from Years 4 are invited to wear their communion clothes as we all join together for mass at St Teresa's of Lisieux, Church in the morning with Father Tony. The mass time will be **10.00am**. On our return to school the children will get changed into their party clothes to continue the celebrations. Children who did not make the sacrament are also invited to bring party clothes to get changed into, too. It is sure to be a wonderful occasion where lifelong memories will be made.

### Sports Days in pictures





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### Sports for Champions

A massive thanks to you all for making sure our Sports for Champions morning ran smoothly. We managed to raise over £1000 which is fantastic and will help towards new equipment for our school! We really appreciate your support and generosity. It was a brilliant day!





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### #kNOwKnifeCrime campaign

On Tuesday 24th of June, Miss Warner and Mr Seddon and 10 Year 6 children took part in a special relay run to raise awareness and funds to tackle knife crime.

The event ended at Holy Name Catholic Primary School with all the runners from the local schools coming together to receive a medal.



### Extra-curricular clubs

Enrichment/after school clubs taking place week beginning **30. 06. 2025. All clubs finish at 4.15pm.**

#### **Monday**

Reception – Multi-Sports club  
Y1 and Y2 – Italian club  
Y3 and Y4 – Reading club  
Y4 – TT Rockstars club  
Y5 and Y6 - Choir  
Y5 – Maths booster

#### **Tuesday**

Y2 – Computing club  
Y3 – Orienteering club  
Y3 and Y4- Craft club  
Y4 – Games club  
Y5 and Y6 – Reading club  
Y5 and Y6 – Girls Football  
Y5 – Reading booster

#### **Wednesday**

Y4 – Computing club  
Y5 and Y6- Cricket club



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### Thursday

Reception – Lego club  
Y1 and Y2 – Story club  
Y1 and Y2 – Football club  
Y4 – Girls Football  
Y5 and Y6 – Young Leaders  
Y5 – Computing club

### A final thought

**You can't always be perfect, but you can always be kind**

Take care,

Mr Paul Ackers

### **Key dates up until the end of the of July 2025**

Bike Right Year 5	Week beg 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2025
City wide transition day- meet your new teacher day	Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025
Reception 2025 – New Starter Meeting	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> July 2025 – 2.00pm
ALIVE Well-being Week – details TBC	7 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> July 2025
Year 6 bowling trip	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 2025
Year 1 Trip Farmer Teds	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July 2025
First Holy Communion Celebration	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> July 2025
Year 6 'sleepover/non-sleep over'	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> July 2025 – timings to follow
Prize Day in Church	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July 2025 KS1 – 10.00am KS2 – 1.45pm
Year 6 Leavers Mass	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2025 – 10.00am
Year 6 Disco	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2025 - 5.00-6.30pm
Finish for summer at 1pm	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July 2025