



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School
'With Christ in our hearts, together we grow'

***"But you, Lord, are a shield around me, my
glory, the One who lifts my head high".***
Psalm 3:3

School Newsletter No 1
Advent Term 1
18th September 2020

Key Dates for Parents/Carers:

Friday 16th October 2020—INSET DAY (School closed to pupils)

Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October 2020—Half Term

Monday 2nd November 2020—Term Starts

Monday 2nd November 2020—Individual Photos (Fraser Portraits)

Tuesday 8th December 2020—Flu Immunisations = Reception to Year 6

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a lovely week of sunshine we have been blessed with. The children have all settled into school life and have become well adjusted to the procedures put in place for their safety.

The staff and I wish you and your families a very restful weekend.

God Bless

Mrs Holden
Headteacher



The World's Biggest Coffee Morning is Macmillan's biggest fundraising event



People all over the UK host their own coffee mornings and donations on the day are made to Macmillan. The official date for the World's Biggest Coffee Morning is Friday 25th September.

As a school we would normally hold a coffee morning, but this year is an exception due to COVID.

This Year we would like to encourage parents to hold a Macmillan picnic with their family and donate on the link below:

<https://thyg.uk/BUU004678606>

We encourage parents to email their pictures to school at pa@olopprimary.co.uk to share how they celebrated this event.

Thank you for your continued support.



School Awards – week ending 18th September

**Attendance— should be 95% or higher
on a regular basis**



<u>Year band</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Nursery	87.2%
Reception	96.9%
Year 1	94.8%
Year 2	87.7%
Year 3	95.6%
Year 4	90.5%
Year 5	96.6%
Year 6	90.0%
Whole School Attendance: 92.0%	
KS1 Class of the Week is: 2SH St Thomas Moore (100%)	
KS2 Class of the Week is: 5KD St Ethelbert (99.2%)	

Star of the Week

Reception	Gabriella—RHA	Nathan—RLC	
Year 1	Keira—1EH	Troy—1MB	
Year 2	Sakina— 2SS	Karolina—2HL	Haamail—2SH
Year 3	Marley—3MP	Victoria—3JR	Martyna—3CK
Year 4	Riley— 4OS	Aoife —4SP	Muhammad— 4BS
Year 5	Jakub—5KD	Sirien—5RG	Mariem—5AP
Year 6	Darsh—6RL	Abigail—6TH	Amelia—6SS

Key Message and Reminders



English - Readers (Oxford Reading Tree)

As reading books were not returned to school last year due to school closure, could we remind parents to kindly return any outstanding books from last year. Children can bring these to their class teacher from next week. Thank you for your co-operation.

Please may we remind you that the closing date for parent governor applications is Friday 25th September 2020.



Community Postings

Congratulations to those children who took their First Holy Communion on Saturday 12 September, the Feast of the Holy name of Mary. It was a great privilege to witness them taking their First Holy Communion at Our Lady of Peace Church, Burnham.

This sacred event was attended by Our Lady of Peace staff, parents and a limited number of guests.

Thank you to Father Joseph Udoh, the teams of catechism teachers and cleaners who made this possible.

