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Thought for the week:
 'Only look back to see how far you have come.'

The Pope's Monthly Intentions for September 2021



An Environmentally Sustainable Life
 We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

Dear Parents

Friday 24th September

Google Classroom

Thank you for your continued support with helping us establish the new homework project. We have had some very positive feedback this week along with minor teething issues with a programme called *Wonde* which seems to have duplicated some logins. If you have any difficulties logging in please notify us and Mrs Coates will email you with a solution and new confirmed log in. Between now and half term we will endeavour to send sheets home that are being put onto Google Classroom to ensure a smooth transition.

Y6 Transition

It was lovely to see Mr Beckett (Assistant Head) from Cardinal Wiseman visit us this week with some Year 11 pupils. Feedback from our Y6 pupils that visited St Edmund Campion on Wednesday for their Open Evening was very positive. A reminder to parents that the deadline for all forms for Secondary School Transfer is the end of October. If you need any help with this matter please do not hesitate to contact the office.

School Parliament

Our School Parliament councils met today for the first time to plan and share ideas for the term ahead. I am looking forward to seeing and hearing all their ideas. Watch out for more information on our school website.

Y5/6 Mass

Thank you to Fr Leonard and the pupils and staff for a lovely mass this morning. It truly is uplifting to see and hear the children partaking in our Collective Worship once again. We are looking forward to many more shared opportunities for worship with our school and church community.

Curriculum Update

Y3 and Y4 have spent time this week in Design and Technology. Year 3 have been investigating Pneumatic Systems and made 'Monster Boxes' and Y4 were investigating and building Electrical Circuits. Please look at our Twitter feed to see the amazing projects they have undertaken this week. Thank you to Mrs Attwood our D&T Co-ordinator for her support with these projects this week.

Diamond Celebration

This year our school is 60 years old! We are planning some special events to take place around the feast of St Margaret Mary in October. The Parliament will be helping us to decide on what activities to do on that day and we hope to have a celebratory mass for KS2 in church. I will write to families nearer the time with more information.

Many thanks for your continued support and co-operation.
 Mrs J Logue

Prayer of the Week

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed by thy name. Thy kingdom come, they will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation and deliver us from evil.

Amen



Diary Dates

There will be no school mass in church on Friday 1st October.

Learning Corner

Google Classroom has launched this week.

All work can be completed and submitted online via a laptop or a tablet. If you wish, the work can also be printed off and handed in.

Alternatively, your own document or photo can be created and attached to submit to teachers.

Assembly Awards:	Gospel Virtues	Achievement	Good Work
Nursery	Yemariam	Nancy-Lou	Eden
Reception	Dabe & Mercyel	Marnie & Orla	Maximus & Rieon
Year One	Kurt & Jacob	Mya & Luca	Salvador & Adam
Year Two	Matt & Jasmine	Xavier & Skyler	Evelyn & Kamssy
Year Three	Richard & Aurelia	Miller & Samuel	Kacper O & Amelia
Year Four	Franciszek & Hope	Amelie & Adam K	Maryanne & Natania
Year Five	Bethany & Jos Jordan	Ava M & Valentina S	Brodie-Leigh & Shay
Year Six	Adonay & Steve	Victoria & Lilly	Shelly-Mai & Melissa



**Siena, Grace T, Violet W, Hanna E
and Cleopatra F-D**



*Snippets of News from our
School Parliament*

Our School Parliament Leaders in Year 6 have been appointed. Congratulations to Triumph, our Liturgy Lead, Millie, our School Council Leader, Daisy Ella, our Eco Council Leader and Alicja, our Wellbeing Lead.

A message from Miss McCarron and the School Council:

Thank you for all your generous donations today. The School Council are grateful for your help and are really pleased with the collection they have been able to send to our Food Bank.

Attendance for this week is:

It is vital that your child is on time and in school every day, unless there is a medical reason for them not being here. If your child is off school and we haven't seen them, you may receive a visit from myself, Mr Mulligan or Mr Barton as part of our Safe and Well checks. Please remember that our children have a right to an education - this is laid out in [UNICEF's Article 29 - A Right to an Education](#).

Article of the Week



Our overall attendance : 94%

ATTENDANCE WINNERS THIS WEEK:

EYFS Attendance = 93% Y1 Attendance = 92%
 Y2 Attendance = 96% Y3 Attendance = 93%
 Y4 Attendance = 95% Y5 Attendance = 95%
 Y6 Attendance = 95%

Article 29 -Goals of Education
 Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities for the future.



Good attendance at St Margaret Mary means being in school at least 95% of the time [180-

