



BBC Radio Merseyside

On Friday 13th February, BBC Radio Merseyside visited school to speak with the group working on *Freddie's Friendly Corner*. They were so impressed with the children that they invited them to take part in a live interview. The girls represented the school brilliantly, and we can't wait for the official opening of the corner. Use the following link to see a BBC News article about our day: [Schoolkids 'had superb idea' to tackle isolation - BBC News](#)



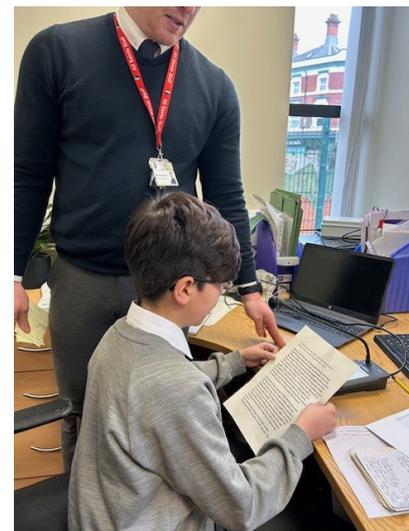
Visit from Councillor Simic

Recently we welcomed local councillor Lena Simic to school. A group of our Year 6 pupils met with her to discuss road safety and explore possible solutions to some of the issues we face around keeping our roads safe. Thank you, Lena, for taking the time to visit and listen to the children's ideas.



Weekly Lenten Gospel Reading

This morning our Friday Lenten Gospel reading was read by Nastoooh in Y6. Thank you, Nastoooh for reading so beautifully!



Green for Freddie's Friendly Corner

A huge thank-you to everyone who donated. We raised over **£480**, which means we now have more than enough to purchase all the resources needed to bring the corner to life. Your generosity is truly appreciated.



PE Kit Reminder

A gentle reminder that on your child's PE day, they should come to school wearing the official school PE kit, as this forms part of our school uniform. We know mornings can be busy, and we really appreciate your support in helping children arrive ready for the day.

To help keep everyone comfortable in colder weather:

Children may wear a plain black base layer underneath their PE kit.

They are also welcome to wear their school jumper or cardigan over the top if an extra layer is needed.

PE days are not "own clothes" days, and keeping to the school kit helps us maintain a sense of belonging and consistency across the school.

If you need to purchase any items, PE kits are available from the school office.

Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep our uniform standards high while ensuring children feel comfortable and ready to learn.

Year 1 Independence at Morning Drop-Off

We kindly ask that all Year 1 children say goodbye to their grown-ups at the bottom of the steps each morning and then make their way up to class independently. This small routine helps build their confidence, supports their growing independence, and prepares them well for the expectations of Year 2.

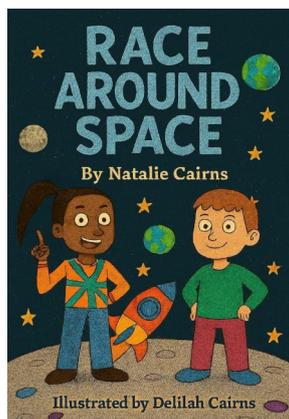
This approach also helps us maintain a safe and secure environment on site by reducing congestion around the classrooms.

Thank you for your understanding and support as we help the children take this next step. If you or your child feel they need a little extra help with the transition, please speak to a member of staff. We're always here to support you both!

Mrs Best - Author!

Mrs Best has written a book that her daughter has illustrated. Here is the amazon link:

<https://amzn.eu/d/00luBwFg>



Allergies

I'd like to remind everyone of our commitment to keeping All Saints Catholic Primary School a safe and inclusive environment for all children. We have several pupils with severe nut allergies, and for their safety, we must ensure that no products containing nuts are brought into school.

Please be vigilant when preparing packed lunches and snacks, checking ingredient labels carefully to avoid items such as peanut butter, Nutella, cereal bars with nuts, and other nut-based products. Even trace amounts can pose a serious risk.

Your support in this matter is deeply appreciated and helps us protect the health and wellbeing of every child in our care. Thank you for working with us to keep our school community safe.

Our News

If you have any news that you would like to share with us for our newsletter, please email Sharon McTigue at s.mctigue@allsaintsanfield.co.uk with a photo or a brief outline of the event - we would love to share it!

Headteacher's Presentation Award! Presentation Pickle!!

This is awarded to children who have applied their beautiful handwriting across the curriculum to other pieces of work.

This week it is Myla and Orla in 5F.
Well done!

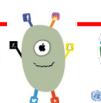


Headteacher's Award

Leon Jackson

Robert Halford

Logan McIntosh-Owens



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W/B 23 rd February Weekly Theme: Promoting Peace	Acts of Kindness Challenge	Acts of Kindness Challenge	Acts of Kindness Challenge	Acts of Kindness Challenge	Acts of Kindness Challenge Purple-Themed Own Clothes Day (£1 donation)
W/B 2 nd March Weekly Theme: Participation	Sponsored Readdathon	Sponsored Readdathon	Sponsored Readdathon	Sponsored Readdathon	Sponsored Readdathon
W/B 9 th March Weekly Theme: Stewardship	Walk/Cycle to School Week	Walk/Cycle to School Week	Walk/Cycle to School Week	Walk/Cycle to School Week Switch Off Day	Walk/Cycle to School Week
W/B 16 th March Weekly Theme: Solidarity	Nursery Big Lent Walk - 9:00am Reception Big Lent Walk - 2:00pm	Year 1 Big Lent Walk - 9:00am Year 2 Big Lent Walk - 2:00pm	Year 3 Big Lent Walk - 9:00am Year 4 Big Lent Walk - 2:00pm	Year 5 Big Lent Walk - 9:00am Year 6 Big Lent Walk - 2:00pm	Hive & Hummingbird Big Lent Walk - 9:00am
W/B 23 rd March Weekly Theme: The Common Good		Easter Themed Crazy Hair Day (£1 donation)	Lenten Trail	Easter Service - morning	



All Saints Lent

Timetable 2026

FREE WASHING/ DRYING SCHEME



Struggling to afford the cost of doing the washing?
Clothes drying around the house causing mould?
Wanting a warm space to connect with your local community?

Kitty's Launderette is a community launderette situated on Grasmere Street, L5. We work to support our community through our Free Washing/Drying scheme while also providing a warm social space with free cups of teas and coffees and free Wi-Fi

The scheme allows you to use our machines for one wash and one dry per week. This allows us to keep the scheme open to as many people as possible with the resources available.

To find out more please give us a call or pop into the launderette and chat to one of our team!

Opening Times:

Mon - Thurs 9am - 8pm
Friday 9am - 6pm
Sat - Sun 10am - 6pm
CLOSED WEDNESDAYS

77 Grasmere Street, L5 6RH
0151 260 8951

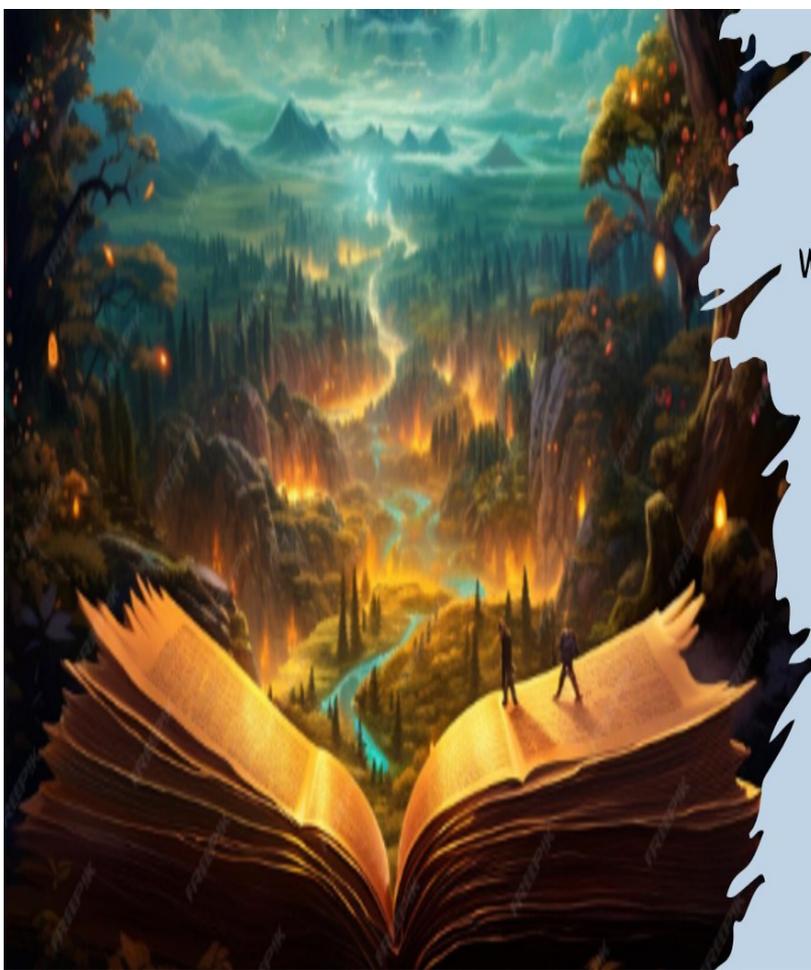


WORLD BOOK DAY 2026

We think reading is **MAGIC!**

Help us celebrate World Book Day by dressing up as your favourite magical character and enjoying a day of spellbinding stories.

Thursday 5th March 2026



Attendance and Punctuality

It is important that your child is on time for school each day, so that they can benefit from a full day's education. A reminder that holidays during school time are not authorised whatever the circumstances and a local authority fine will be issued. If you do take your child on holiday, please inform us before you go as it could become a safeguarding issue if we cannot contact you. Please report any absences before 9.00am via Seesaw or telephone call. If you have any difficulties getting your child to school and especially around lateness please contact Mrs Kelly. If you are taking your child out of school during the school day, you must show a letter/email/appointment card. Please do your best to make appointments outside of school hours.

Absence Reporting – Seesaw

When reporting an absence please make sure you select both the 'Absence Reporting' and 'School Office' options as well as your class teacher. This will ensure the right staff are receiving the information needed and you are not being contacted unnecessarily. If you are sharing information regarding collection of a child or appointments they may have, please make sure you select the 'School Office' option as well as your class teacher. Thank you!

Supervision After School Hours

We would like to remind you of our after-school supervision policy to ensure the safety and well-being of all our students. Please be aware that there is no supervision available for children after the end of the school day. It is important that all children are picked up promptly at the end of their school day.

For safety reasons, any child who is not collected by 3:30pm will be placed in our Night Owls provision. This ensures that all children are supervised in a safe environment until they can be picked up. Please note that there is an £11 charge for this service, which will be billed to parents. We appreciate your cooperation in ensuring that all children are picked up on time and that our school remains a safe and secure place for everyone. Thank you for your understanding and support.



If your child is 30 minutes late every day they miss 2 and a half hours a week. That works out at 4 days a term and 12 days a year!

If your child is between 5 and 16 years old and is a registered pupil at school, it is your legal responsibility to make sure they attend regularly.

If your child misses 1 day of school a week they miss 7 and a half weeks a year. This is more than half a term of learning!

Prayer and Liturgy

Second Sunday in Lent

This week we hear about something very special that happened to Jesus while he was on a mountain with three of his friends. His appearance changed as his face and clothes shone like the sun. This also changed the lives of his friends as they realised that Jesus was the Son of God. We can make changes to how we live our lives to play our part in making the world a better place for everyone. Let's think about how today.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 17:1-9

Six days later Jesus took with him Peter and the brothers James and John and led them up a high mountain where they were alone. As they looked on, a change came over Jesus: his face was shining like the sun, and his clothes were dazzling white. Then the three disciples saw Moses and Elijah talking with Jesus. So Peter spoke up and said to Jesus, "Lord, how good it is that we are here! If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah."

While he was talking, a shining cloud came over them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my own dear Son, with whom I am pleased – listen to him!"

When the disciples heard the voice, they were so terrified that they threw themselves face downwards on the ground. Jesus came to them and touched them. "Get up," he said. "Don't be afraid!" So they looked up and saw no one there but Jesus.

As they came down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Don't tell anyone about this vision you have seen until the Son of Man has been raised from death."

Jesus goes to the top of a mountain with Peter, James and John. When he gets there his appearance changes – his face and clothes shine with light. How do you think the disciples feel when they see this?

A voice comes from a cloud, saying: "This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him." Whose voice do you think this is? How do you think the disciples feel when they hear God's voice? The disciples are very afraid, but Jesus tells them not to be. Then everything looks normal again. How do you think we can listen to God? Do we need to climb a mountain? We can hear God's voice when we stop and pray. When we make time for God in our lives. And when we make the right choices in how we treat others.

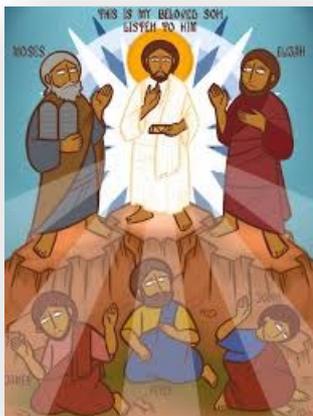
The disciples' lives are changed by what happened on the mountain. They now know just how special Jesus is – that he is God's Son. They have seen his face shine like the sun and they have heard God speak to them.

Our lives are changed by Jesus too. Jesus lives in all of us. He asks us to always try to do what is right, to stand up for what we believe in and to help other people. Jesus calls us to show God's love to others. Our love for one another can also shine out like the sun as we treat all people as we would want to be treated.

People all around the world are different but they were all made by God. Every person is unique and special.

CAFOD is a charity which supports people who are poor around the world as they work to change their lives for the better. People like Obayedul in Bangladesh who has had training and created a floating garden, so that he can grow crops even when there is flooding. Obayedul has also shared the new skills he has learnt with other people in his village, to help the whole community.

What will you do this Lent to listen to God and to play your part in building a better world? How will you make sure your love for other people shines out like the sun?



*God of love,
help us to share the light of your love
with one another and to play our part
in building a better world.
Amen.*

Stars of The Week

Richie - R1 - for working extremely hard in all areas of his learning this week
Ruairi - R1- for his wonderful curiosity during our new theme 'From Farm to Market'

Olly - R2 - for good handwriting formation
Maggie - R2 - for excellent blending in Phonics



Joseph - 1S - for great work in English
Grace - 1S - for great work in maths
Mabel - 1F -for having an amazing first week at All Saints!
Nashla - 1F -for fantastic work using tens frames to subtract!



Hunter - 2B - for a fabulous setting description
Cece - 2B- for an excellent representation of a plant's life cycle
Freya - 2J - for fantastic balancing in PE and overcoming her fear of performing
Bonnie - 2J - for brilliant adding of money in Maths

Macey - 3P - for an excellent piece of artwork
Liam - 3P - for beautiful presentation in his English work



Eleyna - 4B - for outstanding progress with handwriting
George - 4B - for outstanding efforts in all subjects



Mila - 5J - for an impressive use of vocabulary in her poem
Alice - 5J - for showing resilience and improvement in her Writing

Lewis - 6S - for a big improvement on his handwriting
Olivia - 6S - for a fantastic piece of writing

Georgie - Hummingbirds Class - for being a kind friend

Kendall - Dragonfly Class - for using full sentences to communicate her wants and needs

Zak - Firefly Class - for leading yoga

