



St Peter's Catholic Primary School Newsletter



Service Tolerance Peace Endurance Truth Enjoyment Respect



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Friday 3rd July 2026



Summer Term

Principal's Welcome

We have enjoyed another lovely week at St Peter's, filled with learning, laughter and God's many blessings. Our Transition Day was a great success, and the children settled beautifully into their new classes, showing confidence and enthusiasm for the journey ahead. We hope our Year 6 pupils enjoyed their transition experiences too.

Today, our Year 1 children visited Weston-super-Mare with their families, and I am sure they had a wonderful time creating special memories together.

The next two weeks will be very busy, so please keep an eye on ClassDojo for updates and reminders.

God Bless,
Mrs Mellor

Year 6 Production

We are looking forward to welcoming our Year 6 parents and families to watch their production of 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory'
Dates for the production are:

Wednesday 8th July at 6pm

Thursday 9th July at 9am

We know you will enjoy it as much as we are!



After School Clubs

As you may be aware, changes to Government funding mean that schools are having to review how some services are provided.

We are exploring options for continuing after-school sports clubs from September 2026 and would like to gather parents' views.

Please can I ask you to complete the short expression of interest form linked below.

[Click Here](#)

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This newsletter is available to view on our school website



July is dedicated to...

July – Month of the Precious Blood of Jesus

Throughout July, the Church honours the Most Precious Blood of Jesus, reminding us of the great love Christ showed through His sacrifice for us. As we begin this month, we are encouraged to reflect on God's mercy, give thanks for the gift of salvation, and grow in faith through prayer, kindness and service to others.



Catholic Social Teaching: Solidarity of the Common Good

This term we focus on Catholic Social Teaching: Solidarity and the common good which calls us to recognise that we are one human family, responsible for caring for each other and working together to ensure that everyone can flourish and live with dignity.



Gospel Reflection

This Sunday's Gospel reminds us that Jesus welcomes everyone who comes to Him with a humble and open heart. He invites those who are tired, worried or carrying burdens to find rest in His love and guidance. As a school community, let us remember to trust in God, support one another and find comfort in knowing that Jesus walks alongside us each day.



Jesuit Virtues:

Attentive

Being attentive means listening carefully with an open heart, noticing the needs of others, and being fully present to God and those around us.

Discerning

Being discerning means thoughtfully reflecting and seeking God's guidance to make wise choices that are loving, just, and in line with our values



Pope Leo's Prayer Intention

July: For respect for human life

This month, Pope Leo invites us to pray for respect and protection of human life at every stage. As a school community, we give thanks for the gift of life and remember that every person is uniquely loved by God. May we treat one another with kindness, dignity and compassion, recognising the value and worth of each individual.



Parish

Please click [here](#) to be taken to the parish website where you will find a range of helpful information, including the parish newsletter Frontpage

Mass Times



St Peter's
Saturday 10am Sunday 8.45am

St Rose of Lima
Sunday 11.30am



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OUR LADY AND ST
BRIGID'S
B31 1AB



Weekly Celebrations

Each week we shine a spotlight on the amazing achievements of our children...

Good Work

YR	Ri'cairo
Y1	Weston Trip!
Y2	Oliver
Y3	Georgie
Y4	Chloe
Y5	Kosisonna
Y6	Marnie

Special Mention

YR	Ralph
Y1	Weston Trip!
Y2	Whole Class!
Y3	Kaitonna
Y4	Ayo
Y5	Teddy
Y6	David

Attendance

YR 	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
97.5%	95.78%	95.28%	95.83%	91.36%	81.67%	92.12%

Well done to ... Reception!
Whole School Attendance to date: 96.4%



House Points This weeks winners are...

St George's 	St Patrick's 	St David's 	St Andrew's 
3rd	2nd	4th	1st 

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Whats on in the local area...



sense

Connect and Play

For children aged 0 – 8 with complex disabilities.

What?
Our Connect and Play sessions are an opportunity to encourage children to explore the world around them in a friendly, supportive environment.

Run by Sense's Connect and Play Team, it's a chance to meet other families, build a sense of community, share advice and learn about what we do.

Who?
Connect and Play sessions are for children aged 0-8 with a combination of 2 or more of the following conditions – Vision or Hearing Impairment, Autism, Learning Disabilities, Global Development Delay, Physical Disabilities such as Cerebral Palsy

We also have extra support for anyone who is on the Neurodevelopment Pathway to find out more.

Where?

When?

Time?



Afasic
voice for life

Is your child or a young person you know transitioning from year 6 to year 7 this Summer? ☒

Does this young person have Speech, Language and Communication needs? ☒

Getting Ready for Secondary School

Online National Course

Afasic is providing a FREE online Transition Course for Year 6 students across the country with Speech, Language, and Communication Needs (SLCN) who will be starting Secondary School in September 2026.

Summer Holidays 2026

Get in touch for more information

TCC@afasic.org.uk

Or scan QR code to enroll



www.afasic.org.uk



Edgbaston Family Hub celebrates:

20 years

of:

Doddington Green Children's Centre

Snacks

Raffle

Free books

Bubble Show

TUG O'WAR

DJ

Glitter Tattoos

Ice Cream Van

Family Games

Doddington Green Children's Centre

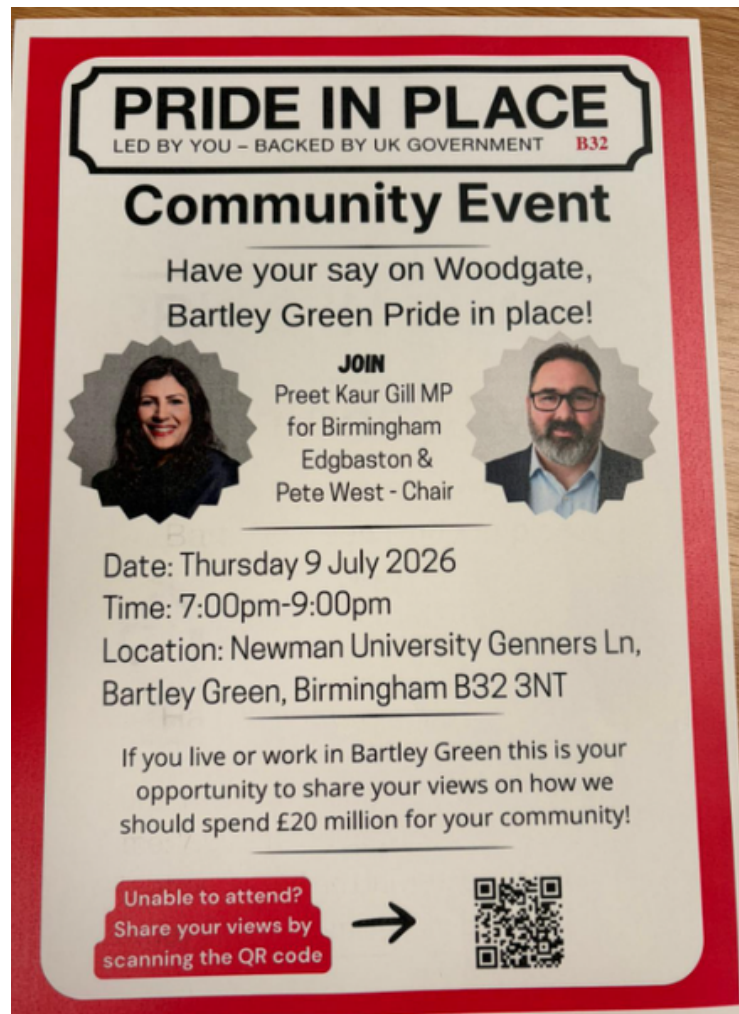
Date: Wednesday 22nd July 2026

Time: 10.30am - 1.30pm

Contact: 0121 477 6440 for further details....

BEST START IN LIFE

BARNARD'S



PRIDE IN PLACE

LED BY YOU – BACKED BY UK GOVERNMENT **B32**

Community Event

Have your say on Woodgate, Bartley Green Pride in place!

JOIN

Preet Kaur Gill MP
for Birmingham
Edgbaston &
Pete West - Chair

Date: Thursday 9 July 2026

Time: 7:00pm-9:00pm

**Location: Newman University Genners Ln,
Bartley Green, Birmingham B32 3NT**

If you live or work in Bartley Green this is your opportunity to share your views on how we should spend £20 million for your community!

**Unable to attend?
Share your views by
scanning the QR code**



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LUMEN CHRISTI'S
SHINING LIGHTS
PRESENT

PADDINGTON
WICKED
CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY
MARY POPPINS
SHREK
HAIRSPRAY
MATILDA
ANNIE
THE SOUND OF MUSIC
THE GREATEST SHOWMAN
THE LION KING

A NIGHT AT THE
MUSICALS

THURS 09 JULY, 5-7pm
at St Thomas Aquinas Catholic School

FREE ENTRY
FREE ENTRY
FREE ENTRY

The wonderful choir of St Peter's will be taking part in the Lumen Christi Night at the Musicals!

The children in the choir from Years 3.4.5 and 6 will go to St Thomas Aquinas Secondary School to perform Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.

It would be lovely to see families for support.

Thank you



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PRINCIPAL VISIT EVENT!

FRIDAY, 10TH JULY

Drop in between 3.30pm-5.00pm

We have a wonderful opportunity for families to meet the Principal of St Thomas Aquinas Secondary school, Mr Martin.

Come and discover the fantastic opportunities on offer at St Thomas Aquinas Catholic School and connect with our welcoming Catholic MAC family.

A chance to have a 1:1 talk with the headteacher, to ask any questions in a calm environment.

All Key Stage 2 year groups welcome- it's never too early to start thinking about secondary schools!

Don't miss this exclusive opportunity!



Safeguarding and SEND

SEND Team

This is our SENCO Team – here to support children with special educational needs and their families. Please see us if you need any help, or contact us at senco@stpeterc.bham.sch.uk or call 0121 464 6921



Miss Luff
SENCO



Mrs Kenny
Pastoral Mentor

Safeguarding Team

This is our Safeguarding Team – here to keep every child safe and supported. If you need any help or advice, please speak to a member of the team.



Mrs Mellor
DSL



Miss Luff
DDSL



Miss McDonagh
DDSL



Mrs Kenny
DDSL

OPERATION ENCOMPASS

We are an operation encompass school. Therefore school is working alongside the police to ensure support for any child who has been involved in or witness to domestic abuse. Please find more information about this on our website or contact the school office.

Spotlight on Safeguarding

This week we had a water safety assembly and how to keep safe when having lots of fun during the summer holidays. We will continue to revisit these themes over the next two weeks



Remember- Don't play by water. You must be supervised by an adult.
If someone falls in, DO NOT go in the water after them.



What can you do?

Call for help

Tell them to float on their back

Throw something in – a branch or ball

Keep calm

Keep back

[Click Here for some videos of further advice](#)

Pathfinder

Mrs Kenny is our Pathfinder, helping families navigate support and opportunities to ensure every child thrives. She can offer guidance on well being, attendance, and accessing resources.

If you'd like her support, please contact her by email at

a.kenny@stpeterc.bham.sch.uk or
07506 954616.



FAMILY
RELATIONSHIPS



FINANCIAL
SUPPORT



MENTAL HEALTH
SUPPORT



HOUSING SUPPORT



Dinner Menus

We have a three week rolling dinner menu which you can see below.
These are the menus and dates for this half term...

DINE
WITH MIQUILL

This Weeks Menu
WB 06.07.26

WEEK ONE

DINE	
Main	Comfort Indian Pasta Around the World Fish & Chips
Vegetarian	BBQ Chicken Vegetable Hot Pot Rice and Broccoli Meat Feast Pizza Mac & Cheese Wedges, Sweetcorn and Peppers Deli Style Lunches Roasties and Carrots or Broccoli Green Beans Chips and Beans
Sides	Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta Jacket Potato with choice of topping Freshly made sandwiches and Salad Bar are also available Ice Cream Peach Upside Down and Custard Chocolate and Beetroot Brownie Flapjack Rainbow Cookie

WEEK TWO

DINE	
Main	Comfort Indian Pasta Around the World Fish & Chips
Vegetarian	All Day Brunch with Sausage All Day Veg Brunch with Veggie Sausage Pasta Carbonara Cheesy Bean Wrap Honey Roasted Gammon Roast Veggie Sausages Mild Chicken Curry Spinach and Potato Curry Battered Fish Margherita Pizza
Sides	Rosti and Beans Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta Jacket Potato with choice of topping Freshly made sandwiches and Salad Bar are also available Garlic Slice and Salad Mash, Sweetcorn and Peas Whole Grain Rice and Cauliflower Ice Cream Chocolate Sponge and Custard Carrot Cake Summer Fruit & Yoghurt Crunch Chips and Peas

WEEK THREE

DINE	
Main	Comfort Indian Pasta Around the World Fish & Chips
Vegetarian	Beef Burger Veggie Burger Pasta Bolognese Bake Vegetable Pasta Bake Roast Chicken Quorn Roast Chicken Pitta Cheese & Tomato Turnover Fish Fingers Cheese and Tomato Pizza
Sides	Herby Potatoes and Green Salad Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta Jacket Potato with choice of topping Freshly made sandwiches and Salad Bar are also available Garlic Slice and Sweetcorn Roasties, Broccoli and Gravy Wedges and Carrots Ice Cream Banana Sponge and Custard Lime and Courgette Cake Shortbread Chips and Peas, Beans

WEEK COMMENCING: 27/04, 18/05, 08/06, 29/06, 20/07, 31/08, 21/09, 12/10

Fresh Bread and Salad is available daily with a choice of Yoghurt, Mousse, Jelly or Fruit instead of dessert

🥕 Heat Wave.. number 2!

Looking at the weather, it promises to be getting very warm again next week. Therefore, there will be changes to the school meals menu.

Monday and Tuesday Meals will be as advertised on the week one menu

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Miss Dudley will provide the cold deli lunches again. This will be a range of sandwiches (tuna, cheese or ham) a fresh salad bar-including colslaw and potato salad and cold pasta dishes



Life at St Peter's ...

Saint Peter and Paul Day

On Monday, we celebrated the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, with a special focus on Saint Peter, our school's patron saint. The children enjoyed a fantastic day filled with fun activities, including an inflatable assault course, ice lollies, own clothes and creative art activities.

As a Catholic school, it was also a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the faith, courage and leadership shown by Saints Peter and Paul as they shared God's message with others. A great day was had by all, celebrating our faith and school community together. ✝️💖🎉

Year 1 Weston Visit

Year 1 had an amazing time at Weston-super-Mare today! The children were delighted to spend the day at the beach with their friends and families, creating wonderful memories together. We enjoyed playing on the sand, bouncing on the bouncy castle and, of course, treating ourselves to a delicious ice cream.

It was a fantastic day filled with fun, laughter and smiles.

Thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us and supported the trip—we couldn't have done it without you! ☀️🏖️🍦



Reception Parent Lunch

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who joined us for our Reception Parent Lunch. It was wonderful to see so many families sharing a meal and spending special time with their children in school.

We hope you enjoyed the experience and the opportunity to see lunchtime through your child's eyes. The children were delighted to welcome you, and we loved seeing the smiles and conversations shared together. Thank you for your continued support. 🍽️😊



BREAK THE RULES DAY!

FRIDAY 10TH JULY

**50P PER RULE
OR £3 TO
BREAK ALL THE
RULES**

1. WEAR SCHOOL UNIFORM

2. NO TRAINERS

3. NO UNHEALTHY SNACKS AT BREAK

4. NO CAPS OR HATS IN CLASS

5. NO CRAZY HAIR STYLES

6. NO NAIL VARNISH

7. NO JEWELLERY

WE ASK THAT YOU RESPECT THAT SOME RULES CANNOT BE BROKEN - NO FIZZY DRINKS OR NUTS PLEASE! PLEASE SEND IN THE CORRECT CASH ON THE DAY IN A SEALED AND NAMED ENVELOPE WITH A LIST OF RULES THAT YOU ARE BREAKING.

Events of the Year

Diary Dates 2025-2026

Below, is an overview of diary dates for the next academic year. All dates are subject to change so please be mindful of this. If there are any changes, we will give you as much notice as possible.

Our 'Gifts from God' praise assembly will be held on a Friday morning, 9am-9.30am.

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	ALL
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07.07.26	Y5 Back to Backs Trip	See Letter
09.07.26	Y6 Production	9.15-10.15am - school hall
10.07.26	School Reports out to parents	Wednesday 8 th July 6pm Thursday 9 th July 9.15am
14.07.26	Y6 Leavers Mass	
15.07.26	School Report Drop in	3.40pm-4.40pm - classrooms
17.07.26	Break up for the year	2pm break up
20.07.26	INSET DAY	



This Week in Pictures...

