



The Sacred Heart Standard

UIΘGD so that, in all things, God may be glorified...

18th June 2019

Dear Parents, Children, Staff & Governors,

Inspire a generation

Trinity Term

3rd June - 18th July 2019
Inspire a generation...

FAST MEETING: The FAST Meeting on Tuesday 18th June 2019 has been postponed to a later date.

THE BIG SLEEP-IN!

DATE: FRIDAY 28 JUNE 2019 TIME: 8PM

TO: SATURDAY 29 JUNE 2019 TIME: 8AM

KS2 children are invited to a sleepover, at the school, in aid of Cornerstone's Safe Haven night shelter.

Entertainment & breakfast will be provided.

Bring your own snacks, sleeping bag or blanket, pillow.

£10 minimum sponsorship or admission applies, to be brought on the night.



BIG SLEEP IN 2019: KS2 children are invited to a sleepover at school in aid of Cornerstone's 'Safe Haven' night shelter. This will take place on Friday 28th June 2019 at 8pm until 8am on Saturday 29th June. Entertainment and breakfast will be provided. Bring your own snacks, sleeping bag or blanket, pillow. £10 minimum sponsorship or admission applies to be brought on the night.

SUMMER CELEBRATION: After the success of last year's event, this year, we are hosting our Summer Celebration on Friday 12th July 2019. If any families /

community members would like to rent a stall, at a fee of £20, please contact the main office via email (office@sacred-heart.bolton.sch.uk) or telephone (01942 634681).



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SCHOOL MEALS: Meals are provided at no cost to families for children in Reception, Y1 & Y2. For KS2 children, the cost of school meals is £1.40 per day. Meals are ordered on a term-by-term basis. The cost for next half term is £47.60 which will cover 3rd June – 18th July 2019. Cheques should be made payable to BMBC, and sent to the main office.

Please ensure when changing your child's meal arrangements you inform the office prior to this.

2018-2019 TERM DATES:

AUTUMN TERM 2018	SPRING TERM 2019	SUMMER TERM 2019	STAFF INSET DAYS 2018-2019
Term begins: Wednesday 5 th September 2018	Term begins: Tuesday 8 th January 2019	Term begins: Tuesday 30 th April 2019	Monday 3 rd September 2018
Half-term: Monday 22 nd October – Friday 26 th October 2018	Half-term: Monday 18 th February – Friday 22 nd February 2019	Bank Holiday: Monday 6 th May 2019	Tuesday 4 th September 2018
Term ends: Friday 21 st December 2018, 2:15pm	Term ends: Tuesday 16 th April 2019, 2:15pm	Half-term: Monday 27 th May – Friday 31 st May 2019	Monday 7 th January 2019
		Term ends: Thursday 18 th July 2019, 2:15pm	Wednesday 17 th April 2019
73 days	66 days	51 days	Friday 19 th July 2019
190 Pupil Days			5 days
195 Staff Days			



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2019-2020 TERM DATES - UPDATED:

AUTUMN TERM 2019	SPRING TERM 2020	SUMMER TERM 2020	STAFF INSET DAYS 2019-2020
Term begins: Wednesday 4 th September 2019	Term begins: Tuesday 7 th January 2020	Term begins: Tuesday 21 st April 2020	Monday 2 nd September 2019
Half-term: Monday 21 st October – Friday 25 th October 2019	Half-term: Monday 17 th February – Friday 21 st February 2020	Bank Holiday: Friday 8 th May 2020 *Note change from 4 th May for VE Day 75 th anniversary	Tuesday 3 rd September 2019
Term ends: Friday 20 th December 2019, 2:15pm	Term ends: Tuesday 7 th April 2020, 2:15pm	Half-term: Monday 25 th May – Monday 1 st June 2020	Monday 6 th January 2020
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SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME:



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Enrolment meeting: Monday 10th September, 7:30pm, Parish Centre

Children's sessions: [9-10am, Parish Centre]

Session 1: Saturday 6th October 2018

Session 2: Saturday 10th November 2018

Session 3: Saturday 12th January 2019

Session 4: Saturday 9th March 2019

Session 5: Saturday 13th April 2019

Session 6: Saturday 11th May 2019

Parents' Meetings: (7:30pm, Parish Centre)

Session 1: Monday 12th November 2018 – The Sacraments*

Session 2: Monday 11th March 2019 - Reconciliation

Session 3: Monday 13th May 2019 – Holy Eucharist



Presentation Mass: Sunday 7th October 2018, 11am

Christingle Service: Sunday 9th December 2018, 2pm

Reconciliation Service: Monday 18th March 2019, 6:30pm

First Holy Communion: Saturday 8th & 15th June 2019, 11am (*date preference made : 12th Nov)

ATTENDANCE: Last week's attendance chart. Our winners for last week were Year 1 with 96.78%.

	Year Group	Group Attendance %
1 st	Year 1	96.78
2 nd	Reception	95.17
3 rd	Year 3	93.39
4 th	Year 5	92.55
5 th	Year 6	92
6 th	Year 4	91.67
7 th	Year 2	90.33



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EVENTS UP TO SUMMER HOLIDAYS: You are most welcome to our assemblies, Masses and other events, coming up soon. Provisional dates are as follows:

Wed 19 th Jun:	Sacred Heart New Intake Coffee Mornings – Times tbc
Thurs 20 th Jun:	Sports Day
Fri 21 st Jun:	3B Class Assembly at 3pm
Mon 24 th Jun:	2C Class Mass in Church at 9:30am
Fri 28 th Jun:	4W Class Assembly at 3pm
Mon 1 st Jul:	5G Class Mass in Church at 9:30am
Tue 2 nd Jul:	Leavers Celebration Afternoon at 1:45pm.
Thurs 4 th Jul:	Y6 Transition Day 1 to St Joseph's High School
Fri 5 th Jul:	Y6 Transition Day 2 to St Joseph's High School
Fri 5 th Jul:	Move up Day
Fri 5 th Jul:	New Intake Morning and Afternoon sessions
Mon 8 th Jul:	5D Class Mass in Church at 9:30am
Wed 10 th Jul:	Y6 Leaver's Assembly at 1:30pm
Fri 12 th Jul:	Reception Class Assembly on Reception Achievement
Fri 12 th Jul:	Summer Celebration
Tue 16 th Jul:	Whole School Leaver's Mass in School at 9:30am
Thurs 18 th Jul:	Sacred Heart Summer Term Ends at 2:15pm

Thank you for your continued support as we **walk** together.

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LITURGY

Mon:	Mary, mother of the Church	Mass	9.30 am
Tue:	St. Barnabas	Exposition	6.30 pm
		Mass	7.00 pm
Wed:	Feria	Mass	9.30 am
Thurs:	Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest	Eucharistic Service	9.30 am
Fri:	Dedication of the Cathedral	Rosary	9.10 am
		Mass	9.30 am
Sat:		NO CONFESSIONS	
		1 st Holy Communion	
		Mass	11.00 am
	Trinity Sunday	Vigil Mass	6.00 pm
Sun:	Trinity Sunday	Mass	9.30 am & 11.00 am

Please remember in your prayers all the sick and all who minister to them.

MASSES RECEIVED

Colin Ford, Patrick and Kathleen Kavanagh, Alan Kinsella, Fr. H. P. McCarroll

LATELY DEAD

Raymond Groves

CARITAS

There has been a wonderful response by parishioners following the presentation by Shaun Ryan of Caritas last weekend. We need a team leader to pull the interest together and it would be constructive if those interested in Caritas work could attend the Community and Outreach meeting on Tuesday, 2nd July at 7.30 pm in the small meeting room.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

We pray for those children who have celebrated their First Holy Communion this weekend and for those children who are looking forward to this event next weekend, Saturday, 15th June at 11.00 Mass. Please keep them all in your prayers as they make this important step in their faith journey.

PATRONAL FEAST – THE FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday, 28th June, 2019

There will be a Mass to celebrate our Patronal Feast at 7.00 pm on Friday, 28th June, followed by a buffet in the parish room. It will be an opportunity to wish Father Richard well in his retirement.

SAFEGUARDING

The Diocese Safeguarding team are attending Sacred Heart Church to support the completion of the outstanding DBS (police checks) on Saturday, 29th June between 11 am and 1 pm in the parish room. If your DBS check is 3 years or more old, you volunteer with Children's Liturgy, the Sacramental Programme, Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist in church or to the sick, are a Minister of the Word or are a Sacristan then you will need to complete a DBS check if you haven't already done so. DBS packs will be available from the back of church from 15th June, for you to complete prior to the 29th June. Thanks - Cathy and Michelle

APF MISSIONS

The summer magazine 'Mission Today' is at the back of church for anyone who has a red box and doesn't have their box collected.

'AN EVENING OF HOPE'

'An Evening of Hope' – An ecumenical concert of Prayers and Music to celebrate the Hope Jesus brings to Bolton is being held in the Victoria Hall, Bolton on Saturday, 15th June, 2019, 7 – 9 pm. Tickets priced £5.00 are available.

THANK YOU for Ascension Offertory Collection £186.62
last week's Offertory collection £703.64

SAINT OF THE WEEK

ST. BARNABAS



born in Cyprus, he became a companion of St. Paul in his journeys, before returning to Cyprus to preach the Gospel. His name means "Son of Encouragement".

SCHOOL NEWS



TRINITY TERM: Our Trinity Term began last week. On Friday, each class celebrated with a Pentecost Party, lighting fire from the Paschal Candle. The sound of wind played around the school all day, representative of the Holy Spirit.

GOVERNOR NEWS: You can download our latest newsletter from the Governing Board at www.btl.ly/2Xtk948 or by visiting our website.

THANK A TEACHER: Governors congratulate our Y5 teacher, Mr C Goulding on being recently shortlisted and judged for the National Teaching Award for outstanding new teacher of the year. We await the decision of the judging panel.

ACADEMY UPDATE: We are delighted that our Executive Headteacher, Mr M Johnson, has been appointed by Trust Directors to the post of interim Catholic Senior Executive Leader (CSEL) for the St Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Multi-Academy Trust (CMAT). With Mr Johnson in this key role, we are further assured of a smooth transition to Academy, with his deep commitment to Catholic education influencing the future direction of the CMAT. We thank Mr Johnson for his transformative work at Sacred Heart since May 2000, and his leadership as Headteacher since January 2006 – a time which has seen the complete re-development of our school site, considerable pupil and staff achievement, and us being a key player for the common good in the school-led system. We are sure you join us in wishing him well during this secondment.

CORNERSTONE: We visited Cornerstone this week with clothing and food. Thank you to all who support our appeal, and continue to send in food and clothing for the needy.

HEART TSA - PGCE: We are now recruiting for the 2019-20 programme. Search BLS 3DU on UCAS Teacher Training, and contact us at school for further details

PENTECOST POSTERS

There are a selection of posters, at the back of Church, to celebrate Pentecost. The posters have been produced by the children of our school. Please take one and pop it in your window this week.

QUARANT 'ORE

The Oratorian Community at St. Chad's, Manchester, will be holding the Quarant 'Ore from Friday, 21st June to Sunday, 23rd June, 2019. Details are on the notice board at the back of Church.

ST. JOSEPH'S RC HIGH SCHOOL HORWICH

SUMMER FAIR, 29th JUNE – 12 – 3 pm - See Notice board for full details

CHURCH ROTA

The new rota for Ministers of the Word and Eucharist is available for collection from the green folder on the table in the entrance hall

SAFEGUARDING YOUR CHILD

May I remind all parents that children should be accompanied by an adult when using the toilet facilities.

