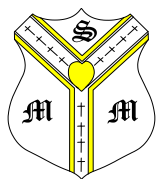


Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School Newsletter



Friday 3rd September

WELCOME BACK

On Thursday morning, it put a huge smile on all our faces to see all our Year 1 and Year 2 children walking in through our school gates. The children looked so happy and relaxed to be back in school. Thank you to all our parents who made this happen. The children have made a wonderful start to the new school term.



This week, we also began welcoming our new reception and nursery children who visited school with their parents. We can't wait to get to know you all.

Church gates

Thank you everyone for your patience in entering the school grounds and for following the one way system. It is very much appreciated and made for a very calm, smooth start to the school year.

Please do not park in front of the church gates even when they are closed. Services often take place in the morning very soon after the children have entered school.

Please do not park on the zigzags in front of school. The Zigzags was designed to allow clear access to emergency services to the school site.

I believe the police were very close to towing a car on Thursday morning.



A Prayer for the Start of the School Year

Lord God, bless our school as we enter a new year – may ours be a community of welcome and hope.

Watch over our pupils – so that they grow in understanding and love.

Encourage our staff – so that their service reveals your generosity and mercy.

Inspire our leaders – so that their actions show forth your wisdom and justice.

Loving Father, through the Trinity you teach us the importance of relationship, help us work together to accomplish your mission:

that all your children may have life to the full.

Amen.

(Mission Together)





ST MARGARET MARY'S CHURCH

Masses will take place on Thursdays at 10.00a.m.
Saturdays at 5.30p.m. and Sundays at 10.00a.m.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Saturday at 5pm

Please follow this link for the parish newsletter
[St Margaret Mary's Catholic Infant School - Parish Newsletters
\(stmargaretmarysinfant.com\)](http://stmargaretmarysinfant.com)

Baptisms Please contact Fiona and Laura, our co-ordinators, by email: smmbaptisms@outlook.com
Baptism celebrations are now permitted. Each family are given 15 minutes for the baptism of their child with up to 15 guests and the Service takes place at the Font. Thanks to Fiona and Laura who co-ordinate the baptisms and help on the day of baptism.



DELI BAR

In our school canteen, there is a brand new choice for our children; the deli bar. If parents have chosen sandwiches for the child's lunch the children will go to the new deli bar.

The children will be able to choose for the usual choice of sandwiches or they would choose a wrap or a roll. They will also be able to choose from a range of salad and pasta salad.

SURVEY MONKEY PARENTS EVENING

Last term, we conducted parents evening virtually using an online system. This allowed parents and teachers to meet virtually and discuss their children. We would like to know if parents would like to continue with this method or go back to an in person meetings in school.

Please follow the link below to complete a very brief survey to let us know what you think.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/CHD5J8F>

