



# St. Peter's Catholic Primary School

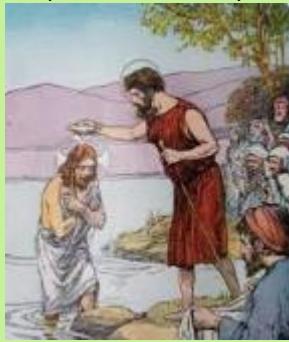


16th January 2026

## Second Sunday of the Year:

Jesus is the Chosen One

John the Baptist told the people that Jesus was the Lamb of God; the special One sent by God.



Do not be afraid,  
God will always love you.  
Whatever you have done,  
God will always love you.  
As a Father loves his child,  
He will always love you.

Always know:  
God's love lasts forever!

Children in school all belong to a family group, and each group is named after a saint.

Through the week, children can win coloured tokens for their family group by living out our Catholic Life and Mission.

Last week's winning group was St. Catherine's group – the pink group.

We will complete the table below each week to show the number of times each group has won:

St Mary	St Catherine	St Teresa of Kolkata	St Bernadette	St Joseph
1 winner				

St Paul	St Francis	St Elizabeth	St John the Baptist	St Vincent de Paul
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## Attendance: Last week of Spring term 1

Week beginning 6 January, 2026

			Number of late marks
1 <sup>st</sup> place	Year 3	99.6	0
2 <sup>nd</sup> place	Reception	99.6	1
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	Year 6	99.6	6
4 <sup>th</sup> place	Nursery	98.7	0
5 <sup>th</sup> place	Year 4	98	3
6 <sup>th</sup> place	Year 1	96.7	0
7 <sup>th</sup> place	Year 2	96.3	4
8 <sup>th</sup> place	Year 5	95.6	3

## Whole school attendance:

**95.6%**  
(so far, this academic year)

A great week for attendance last week, with five classes in the green zone!



Attendance  
Champions last  
school week:  
Year 3



Attendance  
leaders so far  
this year:  
Nursery



## Raffle!

Raffle tickets will be on sale next week – £1 per strip.

All funds raised will be paid into our PTFA account.

We are currently fundraising for I-Pads and for playground equipment.



**In the love of God and neighbour**



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## St Peter's Partnership with Hyde Junior Parkrun

We are excited to share that St Peter's is now a partnership school with Hyde Junior Parkrun! Hyde Junior Parkrun is a free, weekly 2km event for children of all abilities, taking place every Sunday at 9:00am in Hyde Park.

Taking part is simple - families just need to register once online and bring a barcode along to the event.

As a partnership school, we'll be helping promote the events and celebrating our pupils who take part. We look forward to seeing lots of St Peter's children enjoying their Sunday morning parkruns! Find out more here: <https://www.parkrun.org.uk/hyde-juniors/>



## Ten:Ten Resources

<https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers-for-home/parent-newsletter/>

Do have a look at this lovely newsletter – it gives ideas for prayer times at home, and is linked to each Sunday gospel

## Ten:Ten Resources



Each Monday, from 6.15pm-7.15pm, there is a 'Monday re-set' class in our school hall.

Monday Reset is a space to slow down, soften, and return to yourself. This class is for anyone who wants to begin the week feeling calmer, steadier, and more connected. Through mindful yoga, gentle breathwork, and grounding mindfulness practices, we invite the body to release tension and the mind to settle. You'll leave feeling lighter, clearer, and emotionally supported, carrying a sense of calm that stays with you long after the class ends. Come as you are. Leave feeling restored, centred, and ready for the week ahead.

This is led by Sarah Crossley from 'Your Well-Being Company.' Please [click the link](#) to book your place

Sarah would like to warmly invite all family members of St. Peter's children to attend.

(Myself and some of our staff team attended the class for the first time last Monday and thoroughly enjoyed the experience)!

### Class Assemblies

16 January – Year 1  
23 January – Year 5  
30 January – Year 3  
13 February – Year 4  
13 March – Reception



### Masses

*All at 9.15am in St. Peter's main church, or in the side chapel*

25 February – Year 3 (Mass of enrolment)  
18 March – Year 2  
1 April – Whole school Mass for Holy Week and Easter



### Payments via Arbor

Please visit the Arbor School Shop to make payments for:

**Nursery Fund** (Autumn 1, Autumn 2 - £24.50 and Spring 1 now available – £20.30)

### School Meals

**School Fund** (£38 suggested donation)

**Robinwood – Please ensure all payments are upto date**

Thank you for your support



### Packed Lunch Waste

Please note that any leftover food or packaging from your child's packed lunch will be returned home in their lunch box. This is to help you see what your child has eaten during the day.



Have a lovely weekend,

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Mrs Ryan

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