OUR LADY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2026

Anti-Bullying Week



This week, we celebrated Anti-Bullying Week, beginning with a special whole-school assembly to raise awareness about the importance of kindness, respect and standing up to bullying. Throughout the week, the children took part in a range of activities, including decorating their own odd socks, making anti-bullying promises and writing positive affirmations to celebrate themselves and others. Everyone made a fantastic effort to spread positivity, show kindness and think about how their actions can make a difference. We are so proud of the way the children have embraced the message and strived to make our school an even happier, safer and more welcoming place for everyone. Remember, small acts of kindness can make a big difference!

Gospel Assembly



Our Gospel Assembly this week explored the Gospel of Matthew 25:31–46, celebrating the Feast of Christ the King. Our Wednesday's Word was 'Service'**,** reminding us of the importance of showing compassion, kindness and mercy to those around us, including our classmates, families and wider community. We reflected on Jesus' message that whatever we do for others, we do for Him. The children were given a special mission: to look out for someone who may be feeling lonely or sad and take action to make a difference. This message linked beautifully with our Anti-Bullying Week theme, as we encouraged the children to be 'Upstanders, not Bystanders' – to speak up, show kindness and take positive action when they see someone in need. We were reminded that even the smallest acts of service and compassion can have a huge impact on others.

League Football Match

A huge well done to all the children who have taken part in the football league, proudly representing our school! We are incredibly proud of the way they have demonstrated fantastic teamwork, determination and sportsmanship throughout, showing kindness, respect and encouragement towards their teammates and opponents alike. They have been wonderful ambassadors for our school both on and off the pitch. We are so proud of everyone involved. Well done, everyone! ⚽🏆





Welwyn Garden City welcome Christmas!

The festive season is nearly upon us in Welwyn Garden City, and they are celebrating with live performances and festive entertainment.

There is something for everyone to enjoy as we come together as a community to welcome the most magical time of the year!

📆Saturday 21st November 2026
🕑12 noon – 6pm
✨Christmas Lights Switch-On & Fire Show at 6pm
📍Welwyn Garden City Town Centre

Find out more here: **www.wonderfulwgc.co.uk/wgcxmaslights26**

BIRTHDAYS:

We would like to wish the following children and staff a very happy birthday for this week:



Early years	Yuneka
Year 1	
Year 2	
Year 3	Leo and Andrei
Year 4	Vimal
Year 5	
Year 6	

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

23rd November:	Mass for Year 4 and Year 5 children at the Church (9.30am) Parents/Carers invited.
30th November:	Occasional Day - School closed to children
1st December :	Advent Reflections begin at 8.40am

