



School News 25th September 2026

Good afternoon everyone, I hope you are well. Thank you for your support this week. Please email or ring the office if you would like to get in touch. We will get back to you as soon as possible.

This week's Gospel Matthew 21: 31

Which of the two did the will of his father?

Our class with the best attendance this week is: Year 3 98.4%

This week's winning House: St John Southworth



PTFA disco - tickets on sale from next week at the office – cash or card. £3.50

Road safety

There have been a number of near misses this week. Please can you keep children close by and if you are driving, please drive and park considerately.

Sacramental Programme Y3

If your child is in Y3, please look out for the letter coming home today from Fr Joseph which gives an overview of our Sacramental Programme. If you would like your child to take part, please complete the form and return to school – we will then pass them onto the team at church. Becoming a full member of our Catholic church is a wonderful thing and we look forward to the next stage of your child's journey. Any questions, please get in touch.

Muslim Learner Services

We are pleased to welcome staff from the Muslim Learner Services to school on 29th September. Their team are recommended by the Diocese of Salford, and have worked with primary schools across Lancashire. Included in the visit is:

9am parent workshop

9.45 - assembly

10.15-12 class workshops

Please join us for the parent workshop in the Hall.

Children's Liturgy

This is tomorrow at church, 5.30pm. All are welcome please attend with your child if you can.

Visit from Oliver Ryan MP

It was great to welcome Oliver Ryan, our town's MP to school today. He led a session in the hall with our Year 5 and 6 pupils, then met with the elected members of our School Council. Oliver discussed democracy with us and explained what the role of an MP is. Our children asked thoughtful questions and shared their concerns around issues that affect them such as illegal e-bikes. Oliver has promised to take our questions back to his office and Westminster – democracy in action.

Open Day

No appointments necessary – please call in on Tuesday 20th October either 10-11.30 am or 1-2.30pm.

Burnley Tennis Club

We are very grateful to Burnley Tennis Club who have donated a large number of tennis balls to us.

Breakfast and After School Club

Thank you very much for your patience – we are now able to accept payments so would be grateful if accounts could be settled.

School places for September 2027

Please be reminded of the closing dates as follows:
 Secondary places: 31st October 2026
 Primary places: 15th January 2027

Reading Challenge

Congratulations to Isabella C Y3 who has achieved Bronze Award, and to Hallie W Y5 who has achieved Silver!

Writers of the Week

Rec: Ada Year 1: Cindy Year 2: Kennedy Year 3: Penny Year 4: Isla Year 5: Summer Year 6 : Toby

Headteacher Award Winners

Rec: Mia Year 1: William Year 2: Adley Year 3: Joshua Year 4: Ruby Year 5: Isla Year 6: Toby

