



Have Faith... In yourself... In others... In God.



SAVE THE DATE: Easter Bingo

*Huge thanks to all who were able to support our non-uniform day on Wednesday by bringing in chocolate will which be used to create hampers as prizes for our **Easter Bingo** event.*

Wednesday 18th March in the School hall

Doors open 5:30 for **6pm start** **Finish 8-8:30pm**

Tickets are priced at **£1** and are available to buy now from the school office.

Please note that children of school age require a ticket.

School Nurse Drop-in sessions at Lancaster Christ Church

Our School Nurse, Kelly Morgan, will be in school **between 9 and 10.30am** on the following dates for parents to pop in and discuss any concerns / ask questions relating to their child's development, health and wellbeing:

Thursday 19th March, Thursday 16th April, Thursday 21st May, Thursday 18th June, Thursday 16th July.

No booking necessary - just call in!



Spring Term Parents Evenings

3.30pm - 5pm: Tuesday 24th March
(Years R, 1, 2, 3, 4 & 6)

3.30pm - 7pm: Wednesday 25th March (all years)

3.30pm - 5pm: Thursday 26th March (Year 5)

Appointments can be booked from 12 noon on Monday 16th March using the School Cloud App:

<http://christchurchlancaster.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Reception Stay and Play: Expressive Art & Design

Friday 20th March 2026 from 2.20pm.

Please bring resources to help your child to create an Easter bonnet.



School Worship



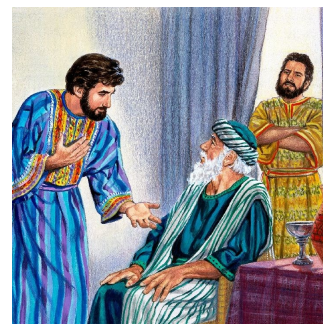
This half term, our Collective Worship will focus on the value of **Forgiveness**:

"Forgive us for doing wrong, as we forgive others." **Matthew 6:12**

On Monday, our theme was "Being Sorry".

We thought about how important it is to show that we are sorry, rather than just saying it. Some children acted out short scenarios and we considered whether they seemed like they were really sorry, or whether they were just saying the words.

On Wednesday, we revisited the parable of the Prodigal Son, focusing this time on the perspective of the son's brother, who demonstrated the 'Forgiveness isn't always easy', which will continue to be our theme next week.



Year 3 / 4 Sports Hall Athletics

On Thursday after school, Y3 & 4 had a taste of athletics against 5 other schools, thanks to the team at LHSSN and LMC. Each child tried a different event: running, jumping and throwing with huge smiles on their faces. They will return next week to try some different disciplines, including sprinting, long distance running and jumping. Well done everyone!



We are *living our vision!*

Work of the week:

Congratulations to the children whose work was celebrated this week:

Rec: **Ada:** Writing

Year 1: **Ada F:** Maths

Year 2: **Willow:** Geography

Year 3: **Anna-Rae & Nancy-May:**
English

Year 4: **Lucas:** Art

Year 5: **Jack:** Art

Year 6: **Logan:** English

Peer Awards:

The following children have been recognised by their peers this week:

Wyatt (Y3)

Achievements out of school:

Congratulations to the children whose achievements outside of school were celebrated this week:

Ada (Rec): Rainbows badge

Ada (Y1): Cheerleading award

Rose (Y1): Swimming award

Rosa (Y1): Swimming award

Theia (Y2): Swimming award

Thomas (Y3): Football award

Clara (Y3): Football award

Hazel (Y3): Football award

Lucas (Y4): Swimming award

Isla (Y5): Cheerleading award

We are so proud of you all!

Luke 1:37

Congratulations!

The following children have been celebrated in assembly this week:

Rec: Hannah Ollie

Year 1: Ben Isaac-James

Year 2: Mashal Joseph

Year 3: Kai Aria

Year 4: Alfie Elsie

Year 5: Disal Nancy

Year 6: Orla Poppy R

House Team of the Week

The winner of the House Cup this week was...



Gregson & Bartlett

Congratulations!



Year 5 / 6 Sports Hall Athletics Final

Congratulations to our Year 5 / 6 Athletics team who came second overall in the Sports Hall Athletics League at LMC after school on Friday 3rd March. The team scored a total of 206, placing them only 5 points behind the overall winners. A huge well done to all who took part, and thank you to Mrs Dewar for accompanying the children.



Key dates for your diary:

[Term dates](#) for the 2025 - 2026 academic year are available to view on our school website

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Tuesday 24th March 2026: 3.30pm - 5pm: Parents Evening (Rec, Years 1, 2, 3, 4 & 6)

Wednesday 25th March 2026: 3.30pm - 7pm: Parents Evening (all year groups)

Thursday 26th March 2026: 3.30pm - 5pm: Parents Evening (Year 5)

Friday 27th March 2026: School closes for Easter

Monday 13th April 2026: School reopens

Monday 4th May 2026: May Day Bank Holiday

Thursday 7th May 2026: INSET day

Friday 22nd May 2026: School closes for half term

Christ Church, Lancaster

A vibrant, inclusive, worshipping community



You're warmly invited to join us for:

Services this Sunday:

8.30am Holy Communion (*said service*)
10.30am All Together Eucharist for
Mothering Sunday.
6pm Evening Prayer



Midweek services:

Wednesday 5.30pm Meditation and
6pm Evening Prayer
Friday 9.30am Eucharist

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We hope you can join
us for our next
Choir Church Eucharist
in the School Hall
at 3.15pm on
20th March
Beautiful music, food for the soul,
time to reflect and pray.
Choir Club meets every Tuesday
Luncheon in the Shared Area -
everyone welcome,
bring your water bottle!
Like more info?
Contact Rev'd Carol Backhouse
vcarolbackhouse@gmail.com
Or Ines, Ines Omer (Choir Director)
jagondowill@btinternet.com

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LITTLE SEEDLINGS
A stay and play baby and toddler group
9-10.30am every Tuesday
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Palm Sunday 29th March

10.15am Palm Procession
Starting from Low Moor
(Junction of Derwent/Quemmore Road)

10.30am Eucharist
to remember Christ's Entry into Jerusalem

6pm Taize Eucharist for Holy Week

Hosanna to the Son of David



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THE GREGSON
COMMUNITY & ARTS CENTRE
10-15 ROBINSON LANE, LANCASTER LA1 1YF
Coffee with the Curate Mondays
Fancy a chat? Have a brew on me.
No booking required
10am - midday on Mondays at The Gregson Centre
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Mothering Sunday at Christ Church, Lancaster

Sunday 15th March
10.30am Eucharist

Everyone warmly welcome.

Remembering before God the ups and downs
of parenthood and childhood.



With a collection
of toiletries for
local Refugees.



For enquiries about Christenings, Weddings and Funerals;
and for pastoral and faith support, please contact:

Rev'd Carol Backhouse
Vicar, Christ Church, Lancaster
revcarolbackhouse@gmail.com. 07857 449724

Our Prayer for this week:
God of love, passionate and
strong, tender and careful: watch
over us and hold us all the days
of our life; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. **Amen**

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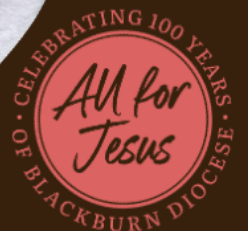
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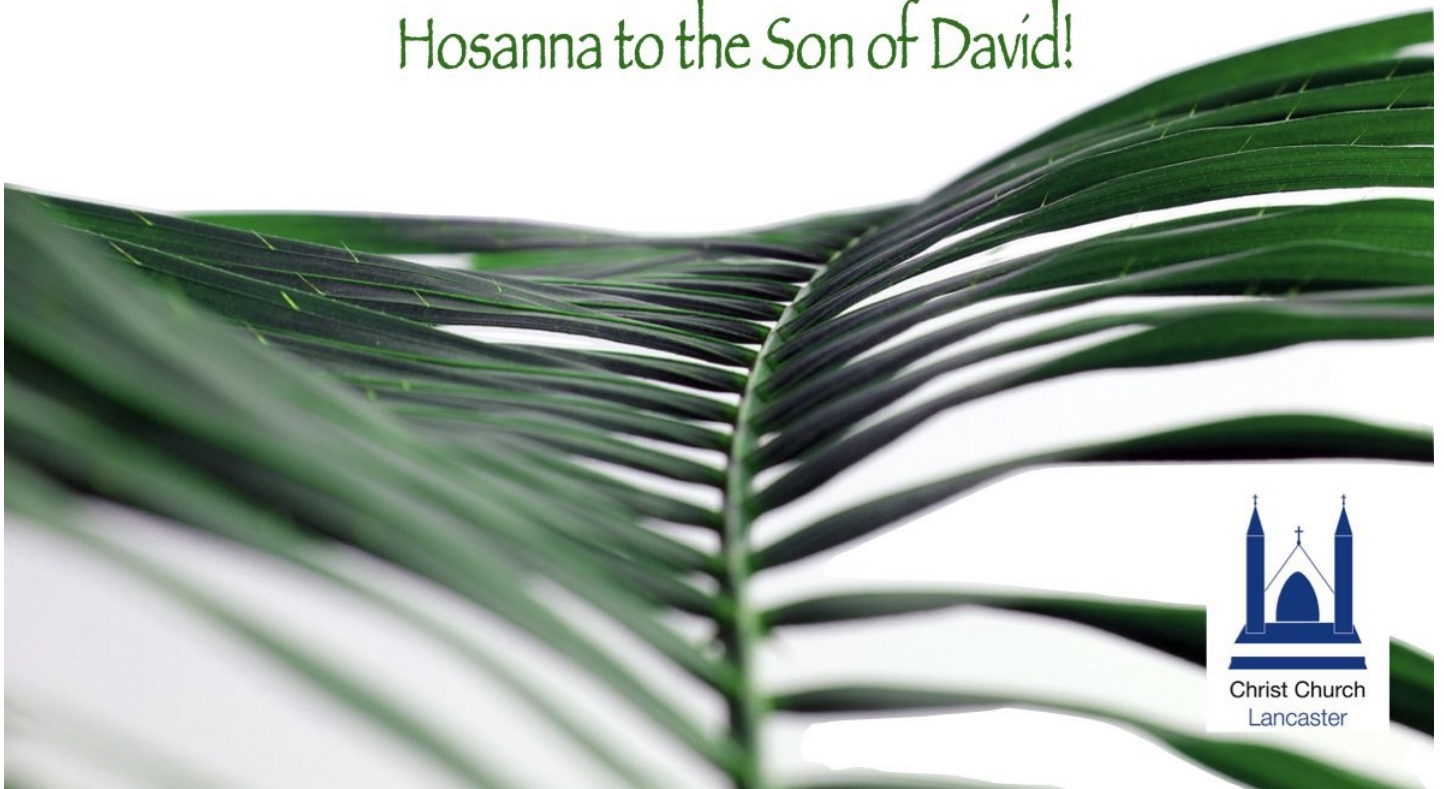
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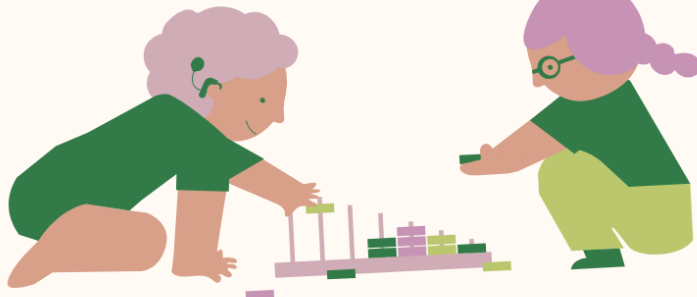


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- FINANCE
- EMPLOYMENT
- PARENTING/ TRIPLE P ADVICE
- EMOTIONAL HEALTH & WELLBEING
- RELATIONSHIPS



**EVERY SECOND WEDNESDAY
OF THE MONTH
9:30-11:30AM**

**TOYS AVAILABLE TO KEEP
YOUR LITTLE ONES
ENTERTAINED TOO.
EVERYONE WELCOME**

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FACEBOOK- LANCASTER AND MORECAMBE FAMILY HUBS



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1 PM
TO

3:30 PM



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Facebook- Lancaster and Morecambe Family Hubs

LANCASTER YOUTH FOLK ENSEMBLE



FOLK DAY OPEN REHEARSAL

SATURDAY 21ST MARCH

2026

10:30-3:30PM

VENUE:

LANCASTER METHODIST CHURCH
SCOTFORTH ROAD,
LANCASTER, LA1 4TE



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DODGEBALL

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Dodgeball Birthday Parties are a fast, fun and friendly opportunity to spend time with your friends. Including a variety of dodgeball games all played to music!

All the parties are delivered by a qualified Dodgeball coach, working in local Primary Schools for 30+ years. I am CRB checked and insured.

VENUE - Slyne-with-Hest Memorial Hall

Please contact Scott to discuss alternative venue options

PARTY OPTIONS

Cost - £90 for up to 10 children - £5 for each additional child - both party options include free drinks for all the children and Memorial Hall venue hire.

OPTION 1:

2 hour Dodgeball Party with lots of different Dodgeball games and music!

OPTION 2:

1 hour 30 minutes of Dodgeball Party games and music plus 30 minutes use of the party room!

Minimum of 8 children required and a maximum of 28

Dodgeball parties are suitable for children aged 6+

If you would like to book or discuss a Dodgeball Birthday Party please contact Scott on 07434827757



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