



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

Girls Football County Qualifiers

After qualifying in the local tournament way back in September, our Yr 5/6 girls football team headed to Fleetwood to represent the Lancaster district in the County Qualifiers. The girls were in Group A facing 8 other, very experienced, teams. The girls fought through every match with huge smiles on their faces, whilst Miss Fish and Miss Nelson cheered them on, frozen from the sidelines.

A mixed bag of results meant the girls narrowly missed out on qualifying for the next round. The girls were so happy that they had a fantastic experience and created memories for a lifetime. Well done to all of you!

Miss Fish is running a FREE Girls Football Club after school on a Friday - booking via ParentPay.



Girls Handball Festival

The final session of the girl's LHSSN handball festival took place this week, with the girls having chance to put all they had learnt in the practice week into action. High energy friendly matches against 7 other schools involved lots of throwing, catching and goals galour! The biggest achievement being the girls giving a new sport a try, coming together as a team and having such a positive experience. Well done everyone!



Year 5 & 6 Athletics Festival

Congratulations to our Year 5 & 6 children who took part in the Sports Hall Athletics Festival at LMC on Tuesday. The children had chance to participate in a range of track and field events and represented school brilliantly!



School Worship



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

"Do not be terrified; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go"

Joshua 1:9

This week we have continue with our theme: 'Courage is rooted in faith', focusing on Joshua 6: Joshua and the Walls of Jericho, and Matthew 14: 22-33: Jesus walks on water.



Our theme for next week is 'Having the courage to stand up for what you believe in.'

Save the Date! Annual Dance Showcase



The children are currently in the process of learning their dances with Miss Helen for our annual Dance Showcase event. This will be held on

Friday 13th February 2026.

Show 1: 1.45pm - 2.15pm Show 2: 2.30 - 3pm

The theme of this years showcase is:

Musicals

Tickets can be booked via Parent Pay and are priced at £1 each. (Maximum of 2 tickets per family in first instance)

Please come along if you can to see the fantastic work that our children have been doing with Miss Helen.

We are *living our vision!*

Work of the week:

Congratulations to the children whose work was celebrated this week:

Rec: **Elliott**: Understanding the World

Year 1: **Rosa**: RE

Year 2: **Mashal** Maths

Year 3: **Emilinë**: English

Year 4: **Matilda**: English

Year 5: **Ronnie**: English

Year 6: **Arya**: English

Achievements out of school:

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

Ollie (YR): Swimming award

Ivie (Y3): Swimming award

David (Y3): Football award

Brigid (Y3): Climbing award

Elif (Y4): Dance awards

Charlotte (Y4) Dance awards

Poppy (Y5): Scouts awards

Isla (Y5): Cheerleading award

Nancy (Y5): Young Writers award

Noah (Y5): Young Writers award

We are so proud of you all!

Luke 1:37

Temporary Parking Restrictions

We have been made aware that Electricity North West will be undertaking works for approx. **5 weeks** from **Monday 26th January 2026** on **Quernmore Road, Macdonald Way and Stone Row Head.**

They have requested **no parking** in these areas for the duration of the works.

For further information call: 0800 1954 141

Congratulations!

The following children have been celebrated in assembly this week:

Rec:	Isaac	Ruby
Year 1:	Winnie	Rocco
Year 2:	Tayo	Eva
Year 3:	Kent	Eli
Year 4:	Daniel	Alfie
Year 5:	Henry	Lil
Year 6:	Logan	Ella

House Team of the Week

The winner of the House Cup this was...



Ashton

Congratulations!



Scholastic Book Fair

School are delighted to be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair from:

Monday 2nd to Thursday 5th February 2026

In the school hall.

The fair will be open for children to visit with their parents / carers at the following times:

Monday: 3.15 - 3.45pm: Reception

Tuesday: 3.15 - 3.45pm: Year 1 & Year 2

Wednesday: 3.15 - 3.45pm: Year 3 & Year 4

Thursday: 3.15 - 3.45pm: Year 5 & Year 6

Cash and card payments accepted!



Key dates for your diary:

Term dates for the 2025 - 2026 academic year are available to view on our school website

(Children will receive a letter if they have been selected to represent school at this event)

Thursday 29th January 2026: Year 5 / 6 Mixed Handball @LMC

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Monday 2nd - Thursday 5th February 2026: Book Fair

Friday 6th February 2026: Eucharist Service in school

Friday 13th February 2026: Whole school Dance Showcase

Friday 13th February 2026: School closes for Half Term

Monday 23rd February 2026: School reopens

Tuesday 3rd March 2026: Choir Church Festival @ Blackburn Cathedral

(Children will receive a letter if they have been selected to represent school at this event)

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



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/>

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 Parish Eucharist with Children's Church



6pm Evening Prayer

Midweek services:

Wednesday 5.30pm Meditation and
6pm Evening Prayer

Quiz Night
Fun for all the Family

Saturday 31st January
Doors open 5.30pm in the Church Hall LA1 3EA

Tickets in advance or on the door
£10/family or £4/individual
Light buffet provided
Bring your own Drinks

A VIBRANT, INCLUSIVE, WORSHIPPING COMMUNITY

CHRIST CHURCH LANCASTER YOUTH GROUP
YEAR 6 UPWARDS
FORTNIGHTLY ON FRIDAYS 3.30 - 5PM

STARTS FRIDAY 30th JANUARY IN THE CHURCH HALL, WYRESDALE ROAD

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT INNES AT
YOUTHMINISTER.CHURCH@GMAIL.COM

YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN THE
LITTLE SEEDLINGS

A stay and play baby and toddler group
9-10.30am every Tuesday

CHRIST CHURCH HALL, WYRESDALE RD., LANCASTER LA1 3EA

1-10AM STAY AND PLAY
10-12.30AM SINGING, SNACKS AND STORIES
No cost, but donations welcome

ALL ARE WELCOME!
A warm, welcoming, inclusive space with proper coffee and chat for grown-ups.

Prm and wheelchair accessible with changing facilities.
07853 791776
FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT REV'D KATHA, DEBRA HEWES

Christ Church, Lancaster

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Bible stories, prayer, faith, and fun for primary-age children!

MEETING DURING THE 10.30AM SERVICE
SUNDAYS IN TERM-TIME

MORE INFO

Please contact Innes (Children's Ministry Leader) 07853 791776
children@christchurchlancaster.org.uk

Fun Stories
Messy Church
Food Crafts
Next meets in the Church Hall at 4pm on the:
4th Sunday of each month

Facebook @ChristChurchLancaster www.christchurchlancaster.org.uk
Wyresdale Road, Lancaster, LA1 3EA
More details please contact Innes (Children's Pastor) 07853 791776 children@christchurchlancaster.org.uk

You're invited to a
Class Reunion Party

Join us for a special reunion of the Christ Church Primary Class of 2025
Saturday 24th January 12-3 p.m.

Christ Church, church Hall, Wyresdale Road
Food, Fun, Music and a chance to catch up!

Contact Innes for details
youthminister.church@gmail.com

See you there!

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 all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free to praise you in Christ our Lord.

Amen



We hope you can join
us for our next
Choir Church Eucharist
In the School Hall
at 3.15pm on

Friday 6th February

Beautiful music, food for the soul,
time to reflect and pray.

Choir Club meets every Tuesday
Lunchtime in the Shared Area-
everyone welcome,
bring your water bottle!

Like more info?
Contact Rev'd Carol (Vicar)
revcarolbackhouse@gmail.com
Or Mrs Jayne Crow (Choir Director)
jaynecrow@btinternet.com





PLEASE JOIN US FOR A

CHINESE NEW YEAR BANQUET

17TH FEBRUARY, 6PM

TICKETS: £10 adult / £5 child

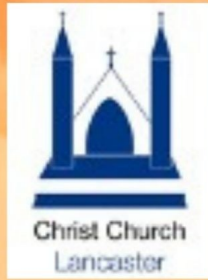
ALL PROCEEDS TO THE CHIMNEY
TOPS AND SPIRES APPEAL

*VEGETARIAN OPTIONS AVAILABLE:
PLEASE INDICATE YOUR PREFERENCES
WHEN YOU BUY YOUR TICKET.*

**CHRIST CHURCH, LANCASTER.
WYRESDALE ROAD, LANCASTER,
LA1 3EA**

*Tickets available from:
curate@christchurchlancaster.org.uk
or at the back of church*





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St John's
Hospice

BEEETLE DRIVE



FAMILY FUN FOR HALF TERM!

Monday 16th February 2026

Courtyard Café @ St John's Hospice

5pm to 8pm

£5 per person

(includes hotdog and drink)

BOOK YOUR TICKET NOW:

www.sjhospice.org.uk/events



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