



## Together at St Oswald's, we love, learn, respect and appreciate

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### Reflection

In this Sunday's gospel, Jesus tells us a story about a Pharisee and a Tax Collector which teaches us how to pray and have a good heart.



Merciful God, you know us through and through, and you forgive us when we have done wrong. Help us to know when we have made a mistake and to come to you in prayer each day Amen.

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### Year 1 Class Assembly

This morning our Year 1 children sang, played and delivered their assembly beautifully. Thank you to Mrs Gambles and Miss Ross for guiding and preparing the children so well for their special performance. Thank you also to parents for helping the children learn their lines. They looked amazing in their head dresses and we loved their creative art work.

Parents, family and friends who came along to support the children yesterday were very impressed and left some lovely comments for the children:

**"Such a beautiful performance. Well done to the Year 1 children and teachers. Brilliant!!"**

**"Thank you for an amazing wonderful assembly. The children have practised and worked so well. Thanks to the teachers."**

**"The staff and children have clearly worked really hard. It was a beautiful celebration of God's creations with absolutely fabulous singing and dancing!"**

**"Absolutely beautiful so much work. Well done Year 1. You are all things bright and beautiful."**

**"Such wonderful singing and very clear and confident speaking! Very well done."**

**"Wonderful and uplifting. The children did great!"**

**"Thank you so much to bring us this wonderful performance. They are all super stars. I really enjoyed it!"**

**"Lovely singing. Amazing effort from all of Year 1."**

**"Amazing! Well done, the singing was wonderful and the children all seemed to really enjoy themselves!"**

Thank you to everyone who came along to support the children.

### Open days for EYFS (Nursery & Reception Classes)

Our next Open Day is next **Friday 7th November**, 1.30– 2.30pm. Please share this date with anyone if their child is starting school (Reception) next September 2026.

Please come and take a look around our wonderful new nursery, everyone is welcome.



You will meet our EYFS team and take a look around our Nursery and Reception classrooms and outdoor facilities. You will get a feel for our lovely school and have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have.

Anyone who would like to visit please contact the school office on 01925 813015.

Parents, carers, prospective or current - everyone is welcome!

#### Tour dates and times are below:

Friday 7 November, 1.30pm–2.30pm

Thursday 20 November, 2.30pm –2.30pm  
& 6pm–7pm





## St Oswald's Facebook page

Thank you to everyone who has followed our new Facebook page. Please click on the link below to follow the page if you already don't, here you can find out about all the fantastic events that happen in school!

<https://www.facebook.com/share/15UCgdChqp/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

Please, if you have not already, complete the Google form, that has been sent out to all parents/carers via email, to give permission for your child to appear on the School Facebook page.

The page will help you to keep up-to-date with events and happenings in school.



The google form for photo permission can be found [here](#).

### St Oswald's Firework Spectacular

There are a limited number of tickets still available for the school firework event please purchase on ParentPay or at the school office.

Reminder under no circumstances are people allowed to smoke/vape or drink alcohol on the school premises. Please **DO NOT** bring your own fireworks/sparklers.

Also all persons under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult at all times.



### Royal British Legion - Poppy Appeal 2025

Once again, St Oswald's will be supporting the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal. The Royal British Legion works hard to offer support to serving and ex-service men and women and their families.

Poppies will be on sale in school from Monday 3 November in the run up to Remembrance Sunday which is on Sunday 9 November. There will also be Royal British Legion reflectors, paper poppies and wristbands for sale.

### Welcome Back Year 6

Today our Year 6 children returned to school from their 4 day residential trip to Conover Hall.

They have had a great time and have all returned happy (and a bit tired) with lots of lovely memories.



Thank you to Mrs Orwin, Miss Nesbitt, Mrs Truran and Mr Critchley for looking after the children on this visit and ensuring they were safe and had the best time!

### Other Faith Week - 'Judaism'

On Thursday 6 November, the children in all classes will be learning about aspects of the Jewish faith. We will welcome our annual visitor, Ann Angel from the Jewish community in Manchester, to help us with our learning.



Learning about other faiths is part of our Religious Education Directory scheme of work which all schools in Archdiocese of Liverpool follow.

### Harvest Foodbank Friday Collections

Thank you so much to parents/carers for their contributions to the Harvest Foodbank Friday collections supporting Warrington Foodbank, who help people in need in our community.

Your kindness and generosity is really appreciated.



Thanks also to our Mini Vinnies, who have promoted, collected and sorted all the items brought in.



**Change to PE Days**  
**Autumn 2 Term 2025**

Some class PE days will change after the half term holiday - PE days for next half term are as follows:

**Nursery** - Tuesday & Thursday

**Reception** - Tuesday & Friday

**Y1** - Monday & Tuesday

**Y2** - Monday & Tuesday

**Y3** - Tuesday & Thursday

**Y4** - Thursday (swimming) & Friday

**Y5** - Wednesday & Thursday

**Y6** - Wednesday & Friday

Children should wear the correct PE uniform to school on their PE days. Please ensure that trainers are black in line with our uniform policy.

**Whole School Attendance**

October 20–24 2025

Class	Attendance Percentage
Rec	97.3%
Y1	96.3%
Y2	97.6%
Y3	97.5%
Y4	95%
Y5	96.6%
Y6	<b>98.3% - Excellent</b>

98%+ Excellent

96 - 97% Good

95% Satisfactory

91-94% Unsatisfactory

<90% Poor

**Whole School attendance this week was 96.8%**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO YEAR 6 WITH THE BEST ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK**



**Diary Dates**

**Friday 31 October**

Deadline for Year 6 Applications for Secondary School

**Monday 3 November**

School reopens—Autumn 2 half term

Other Faith Week—Judaism

**Tuesday 4 November**

Year 5—Smoke Tent

Firework Extravaganza at St. Oswald's, 6pm gates open

**Wednesday 5 November**

Flu Immunisations Reception—Y6

**Thursday 6 November**

Judaism assembly/workshop in school with Ann Angel

**Friday 7 November**

Celebration Assembly—9am

**Monday 10 November—Friday 14 November**

Anti-Bullying Week

Theme—Power for Good

**Friday 14 November**

Celebration Assembly—9am

**Monday 17 & Tuesday 18 November**

Parent Consultation meetings

**School Meals 3—7 November 2025**

**Monday 3 November**

Vegetarian Sausage Roll (v)

Herby diced potatoes and baked beans

**Tuesday 4 November**

Pork Sausage with creamed potatoes served with

seasonal vegetables (v)

**Wednesday 5 November**

Beef burger in a bun served with herby diced potatoes and salad

Vegetarian burger in a bun (v)

**Thursday 6 November**

BBQ Chicken served with potato wedges (v)

**Friday 24 November**

Crumbed coated chicken served with chunky chipped potatoes, peas or baked beans

Oven baked fish stars

Quorn Nuggets (v)

**Jacket potato option also available daily.**

*(All options are subject to change if needed).*

[School meals now cost £3.05 per day](#)



A limited number of tickets are now on sale for our firework night via ParentPay or the school office!

St. Oswald's Catholic Primary School  
presents

# FIREWORK

## *Spectacular*

*A Night of Dazzling Lights,  
Food, Refreshments & Snacks*

Join us for an evening filled with awe and wonder and a breathtaking firework display. Bring your friends and family for a night of dazzling lights, fun and memories.

**TUESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2025**  
**6PM GATES OPEN, FIREWORKS AT 6.30PM**

£5 per ticket / £20 Family ticket,  
get yours now from the school office or phone  
01925-813015