

# St Gerard's Catholic Primary School

## Newsletter Week 5

# 2nd October 2025



#### Message from Mrs Baxter

The next teacher training day will be on Friday 3rd October 2025— enjoy the extended weekend with your wonderful children!

The staff are looking forward to spending the day with our colleagues from the St. Francis Trust.

#### Monday Morning Prayer

Every Monday morning we invite children and parents to begin the week in prayer and join staff over in church from 8.15-8.30. For the month of October we will say a decade of the rosary

Please do join us if you can!

#### **Diary Dates**

**6.10.25-8.10.25** Year 6 Bikeability **6.10.25** Year 5 STEM trip to Magna **6.10.25** Friends of St. Gerard's Meeting 2pm

**7.10.25** Flu Vaccine

**9.10.25** Little City Workshop for Class 1 and Class 2

**10.10.25** Cross Country

16.10.25 Feast of St. Gerard Mass at 2.00pm

17.10.25 Primary league football

21.10.25 School Photographer

**21.10.25** F2 Welcome Mass 11.00am

**22.10.25** Black History Month assembly 9 30am

**22.10.25** Year 5/6 Residential Meeting 3.30pm

24.10.25 St. Gerard's Fun Run

24.10.25 Break up for Half term

## **Next School Mass**

Our next school mass will

Tuesday 7th October at 10.00am



#### Friends of St. Gerard's

We are so blessed to have a wonderful group of parents, grandparents, carers, aunties, uncles and friends who support our school family in so many ways!

Our first meeting will be held on Monday 6th October at 2.00pm in the school hall. We are always looking for new members so please come along to our first meeting.

#### Welcome Mass for Parents and Children in Foundation 2

We would like to invite all our new parents and children to our Welcome Mass on **Tuesday 21st October at 11.00am. EVERYONE Welcome!** 

### **Black History Month**

On the 22nd October at 9.30am there will be a special assembly celebrating Black History Month. Each class will be given an opportunity to enter a special writing competition. Some of the winning entries will be shared during the assembly.

#### **Parents Consultation**

Our First Parents meeting will be held on 6th November from 1.00pm – 6.00pm. Information will be sent via Arbor.

#### This weeks special mentions

Birthdays: Daisy, Violet, Ruairi, Melody & Ava

#### **Parking**

We do ask that Parents do **not** drop off/ pick up at the side of the school reception. We also ask that once your child has been dropped off/collected that you leave to make space for other cars. Thank you for your understanding