



# St. Luke's Halsall C.E. Primary

Newsletter – December 2025

Our value this half term is 'Compassion'



***Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Dec – Mufti Day  
& PTA Christmas Fair***

***Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Dec – EYFS  
Nativity in School  
9.15am***

***Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Dec –  
Christmas Dinner***

***Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Dec –  
Coverdale Puppets***

***Mon 15<sup>th</sup> & Tue 16<sup>th</sup>  
Dec – Nativity Church  
Services 6.30pm***

***Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Dec – EYFS/  
KS1 Christmas Parties***

***Thur 18<sup>th</sup> Dec – KS2  
Christmas Parties***

***Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Dec –  
Christmas Service in  
St. Luke's Church***

***Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Dec - School  
closes for Christmas  
at 1.50pm/2.00pm***

This month is an exciting and very busy one at school with lots of events taking place. It's a privilege to be able to celebrate the birth of Jesus with the children and embrace their excitement and anticipation!

Our Nursery and Reception classes are looking forward to wowing their families with their Nativity Performance and the rest of the children have been working hard on their Nativity Presentations which will take place at the evening Christmas Church Services.

Please ensure you make a note of dates for your children's Christmas presentations and parties. Letters with full details and tickets will be sent home in due course.

## PTA Christmas Fair

Our PTA Christmas Fair is taking place on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December from 3.45pm until 5.30pm.

Father Christmas' Grotto slots are still available and there will be a variety of games and prize stalls, refreshments and food. This is always a fantastic event which raises lots of money for school, so please come along with family and friends!

## Christmas Dinner

All children are invited to enjoy a delicious Christmas Dinner cooked by our wonderful kitchen staff in school on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December. We have sent out an email via Arbor with full details. Please ensure that you read the email carefully and confirm your child's option, as there will be no alternative meals available on that day.

**Please confirm your child's option by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2025**

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**Tue 6<sup>th</sup> Jan – Children  
return to School**

**Tue 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb – Big  
Breakfast Family  
Worship 8.15am**

**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> - Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Feb  
– Half Term Break**

**Tue 17<sup>th</sup> & Wed 18<sup>th</sup>  
Mar – Parents’  
Evenings**

**Tue 17<sup>th</sup> Mar – Y5/Y6  
Philharmonic Trip**

**Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Mar – Y3/Y4  
Philharmonic Trip**

**Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Mar – Easter  
Service in St Luke’s  
Church 9.00am**

**Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Mar – School  
closes for Easter at  
1.50pm/2.00pm**

**Tue 14<sup>th</sup> Apr –  
Children return to  
School**

**Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> – Fri 24<sup>th</sup>  
Apr – Y4 CHET  
Residential Trip**

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### **Donations**

Thank you very much for all the donations given into our donation box in the school foyer, we are incredibly proud of our families’ generosity and kindness.

We are still collecting food/toiletry donations for Sefton Food Bank’s ‘Reverse Advent Calendar’ (please see below) and toy/gift donations for children and teenagers on behalf of SWACA.

<https://stlukecrosby.org.uk/foodbank/>

Donations will be taken over to St Luke’s Church to be collected during their Toy Service on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 10.00am.

### **Big Picnic Worship**

Big Picnic Worship will take place again on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December, in St. Luke’s Church at 12.00pm. This is a lively service suitable for the whole family. Bring a picnic and be ready to have fun, enjoy some songs, games and stories and pray for ourselves and the world.

### **Attendance**

**Whole School Target: 97%**

**November School Attendance: 94.64%**

Reception	89.8%
Year 1	96.38%
Year 2	94.16%
Year 3	97.39%
Year 4	94.83%
Year 5	93.96%
Year 6	95.88%

### **Year 5/Year 6 PGL Residentials**

Year 5 - Fri 5<sup>th</sup> – Sun 7<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Year 6 – Sun 21<sup>st</sup> – Wed 24<sup>th</sup> June 2026

If you wish for your child to go on their trip please confirm and pay the £50 deposit by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December, as we have to confirm numbers to PGL.