

24th April 2026

Sacred Heart Herald



Gospel: John 24:13-35

Word of the Week: Jesus



KEY DATES

Wed 29th April –

Fri 1st May –

Y5 Residential - Thames
Young Mariners

Thurs 30th April –

Class Celebration of the
Word St Clare Y4

Monday 4th May –

School Closed - Bank
Holiday

Thursday 7th May –

School Closed –
Polling Day

Monday 11th May –

Thursday 14th May –
KS2 SATs Week

Thurs 14th May –

Ascension Mass, 2pm

St Elizabeth Class, trip to
the library (PM)

Friday 15th May –

International Day

Parents' Calendar
2025-2026

Earth Day

Thank you to everyone who contributed to making Earth Day such a lovely celebration. A special thanks to Miss Edwards for organising this.

Mini Marathon

We are looking forward to seeing lots of families at Joseph Hood Memorial Park on Sunday morning for our mini marathon. Slots can be booked via: pta-events.co.uk

Painting Aprons

Classes will quite often use paint in their lessons. These are all water based and should wash out of clothing, but we have been made aware that this is not always the case. If you would like to provide your child with an oversized / man's shirt to wear over their clothing when painting, you are welcome to do so.

Plants

On Friday 8th May, we will be celebrating that May is the Month of Mary. There will be a Celebration of the Word in school (more details to be sent out next week). Children will be invited to bring in small flowering plants in pots that can then be planted around school. Please put this in your diaries so that the children can remember to bring these in.

Closure dates

Please remember that school will be closed on Monday 4th May (Bank Holiday) and Thursday 7th May (Polling Day).



Celebration Assembly was extra special this morning as Year 5 were presented with their “Officially Amazing” certificate.

They along with other local primary schools took part in the largest rap lesson, which has been declared an official World Record.

INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL UPDATE - Friday 15th May

Thank you so much to parents who have already been in contact with us or who attended this afternoon’s meeting about our International Festival taking place after school on Friday 15th May.

We are thrilled with the huge response and the enthusiasm shown by everyone willing to work together to make this a truly wonderful celebration of the languages and cultures reflected in our school community.

For more information, please contact Mrs Cave or Mrs Puri (acave@sacredheart.merton.sch.uk and apuri@sacredheart.merton.sch.uk)



From The PSA

TCS Mini-Marathon in Schools

Sunday 26th April | 10:30am – 1:00pm

Joseph Hood Memorial Playing Fields

Join us to celebrate the London Marathon with our own Mini-Marathon – everyone is welcome to join for free! Walk, run, scoot or wheel 2.6 miles. Bring a picnic and enjoy a great morning together (weather permitting!)

Fundraising is of course optional but massively appreciated.

You can:

- Support via our JustGiving page: www.justgiving.com
- Or use a printed sponsorship form (emailed or available at the school office)

Don't forget to book your start slot here:

- pta-events.co.uk
- Drop-ins welcome if plans change

On the day:

- Warm-ups led by Sean McInnes Sports Coaching
- Food & drinks available (including egg & bacon rolls)
- Activities: crazy golf, The Hut open early, litter picking & more

Sacred Heart Recipe Book:

We love the enthusiasm for our recipe book idea – now we need the recipes. Please send in your family favourites for breakfasts, lunches, dinners, snacks, bakes, lunchboxes or drinks using the Google Form:

PSA Lottery:

Congratulations to our April winner with star number 12, R Fernandes!

Summer Fair – 27th June:

Have you got any raffle prizes that you can donate to the school for the summer fair? Do you know a business who could sponsor a stall or run a stall and sell their products and services?

Do get in touch if the answer to any of those is yes! We'd love to hear from you: sacredheart.psa@gmail.com

Thank you for supporting the PSA



LET'S CELEBRATE

Headteacher's Award

Early Years	Meadow McK	Key Stage 1	Martha D
Lower Key Stage 2	Lucas D S D	Upper Key Stage 2	Aidan O'S

Class	Star of the Week	Maths Champ
St Francis	Freddie D	Nyxie L
St Bernadette	Elorm A	Lucas M
St Patrick	Lucas G	Zoe J
St Rose	Sofia A	Kairo E
St Oscar Romero	Bryan M-S	Sophia S
St Elizabeth	Anishaa V	Celine F
St Joseph Vaz	Evie K	Juwan J
St Josephine	Ezekiel F	Sarah J
St Maximilian	Sia K	Stephen G
St Clare	Isabella D	Isaiah O
St Peter	Nathan A	River P
St Kateri	Jeevan V	Jayden P
St Paul	Scarlett M	Norah K
St Andrew Kim	Emmanuel P Q	Sihyeok B
St Teresa	Elijah C B	Eliam L F