



# FRIDAY LETTER

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## PRAYER OF THE WEEK

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Prayer to St Matthew  
(Feast Day Saturday 21st September)

O Glorious St. Matthew,  
in your Gospel you portray Jesus  
as the longed-for Messiah  
who fulfilled the Prophets  
of the Old Covenant and  
as the Lawgiver who founded  
a Church of the New Covenant.  
Obtain for us the grace to see  
Jesus living in His Church and  
to follow His teaching in our lives  
on Earth so that we may live forever  
with Him in heaven.  
Amen.



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## KEY DATES

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25th September	School closes early to students.
25th September	Open Evening
25th September	Yr. 11 Geography Field Trip
27th September	Yr. 7 CAT Test
7th October	Italian Exchange
7th October	Yr. 11 Furness Jobs & Skills Event
17th October	Yr. 11 Education Evening
21st October	Beyond Bernard's Careers Week
24th October	Yr. 7 & 8 STEM Road Show
4th November	Castlerigg Yr. 10 Retreat
11th November	Start of Yr. 11 Mocks

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## REMINDERS

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### Student Absences

Call school on 01229 814 560

### Do not forget

School closes early on Wednesday  
25th for Open Evening

### Remember

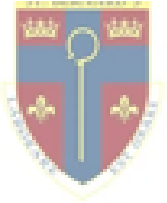
Open Evening is Wednesday 6-8pm.

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## WORDS FROM ST BERNARD

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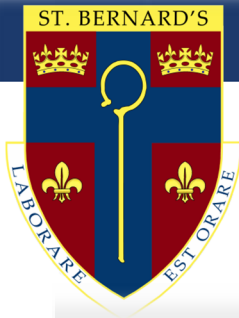
*“The measure of love is  
love without measure.”*



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# OPEN EVENTS AUTUMN 2024

ST. BERNARD'S



## St Bernard's Open Evening

### OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2024  
6pm - 8pm

### SCHOOL TOURS

Come visit us during our school day.  
Bookable via school reception until the end of October  
*See the school in action!*



We want to welcome as many families as possible to visit our wonderful school and we look forward to meeting you at our Open Events.



Congratulations this week to our fantastic students. We are so proud of you

## COMMITTED LEARNERS

### YR 11

Queencie Galang, Willow Herrington, Gracei Johnson-Cooke, Poppy Thwaites, Thomas Purcell

### YR 10

Jonathan Smith, Khloe Alyzza, Zac Blower, Tristan Ferguson, Claire Joshy

### YR 9

Zosimo Agas, Lunna Calabon, Khylan-Jai Edney, Rayyan Saleem, Jude Hurley

### YR 8

Ed Cush, Rhian Barrow, Pippa Imison, David Anyanwu, Dexter Bamber

### YR 7

George Broadfoot, Zach Crelin, Lola Davis, Harleo Fletcher, George Fussell

## EXCEPTIONAL PEOPLE

### YR 11

Zoe Agas,

### YR 10

Amelia Biju

### YR 9

Donald Anyanwu,

### YR 8

Cheska Galang,

### YR 7

Emmanuel Adeosun



## ST BERNARD'S NEWS

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CATCH UP WITH ALL THE ACTION THIS WEEK FOR OUR WONDERFUL SCHOOL

### EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES

WE WILL BE AGAIN CELEBRATING THE EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES ON THURSDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER AND THE THEME THIS YEAR WILL BE GREECE. FOLLOWING THE SUCCESS OF THE BAKE OFF COMPETITION LAST YEAR, THIS YEAR THE PUPILS ARE AGAIN ENCOURAGED TO DECORATE THEIR CAKES WITH A GREEK THEME. MORE DETAILS CAN BE FOUND ON THE FRENCH GOOGLE CLASS-



#### HARVEST FESTIVAL

Pupils of Year 6 at Sacred Heart school have done an amazing job making soup for the harvest festival tomorrow.



#### Town Festival

Excellent performance from both of our Year 9 teams at the town festival held at Dowdales. They played some very creative rugby and also displayed some really strong and physical defence. They also displayed excellent sportsmanship. Great start to the season.

#kindness #hardwork #resilience

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## EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES

### ITALIAN EXCHANGE VISIT

WE HAVE 22 PUPILS AND 2 TEACHERS ARRIVING FROM THE LICEO GALILEO GALILEI THE WEEK COMMENCING 7TH OCTOBER AS PART OF THE TURING SCHEME EXCHANGE VISIT. THE PUPILS WILL BE IN SCHOOL SHADOWING THEIR ENGLISH PARTNERS ON THE MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY MORNING. A TIMETABLE OF THE LESSONS INVOLVED WILL BE DISTRIBUTED NEXT WEEK. ALL STAFF ARE ALSO WELCOME TO JOIN US AT THE CELEBRATION EVENING ON FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER WITH THE ITALIAN PUPILS, OUR STUDENTS, THEIR FAMILIES AND THE UVHS BIG BAND FROM 7-9 PM IN THE SCHOOL HALL.



### Harvest festival

Sacred Heart and St Bernard's pupils celebrated harvest festival together today alongside members of our parish. It was a gorgeous afternoon of food, prayer and celebration.



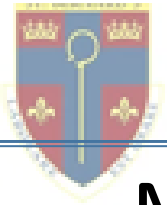
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### Lantern Festival

It was wonderful to go and be part of the Lantern Festival in Ulverston. It was even better to see two of our wonderful students helping out with Girl-Guiding. Well done to Ellie 11C and Bob 9A







# MESSAGES FROM MR VINCE

## Visiting Primary Schools

I have spent a lot of time this week visiting our local primary schools, inviting parents and families to Open Evening. I have received such a warm welcome and it has been wonderful to meet with such fantastic staff and students. Visiting our local primary schools and, in particular, our Mater Christi feeder schools, has given me a lot of hope for such a bright future in our community.

## Open Evening

We look forward to welcoming students and families from our local schools this Wednesday for our Open Evening. Well done to all the pupils (over 200!!) that are giving up their free time to represent our wonderful school. We are very proud of our pupils and know that they are our very best ambassadors. Come along on Wednesday night to see for yourself!

## News items and celebration.

We would love to hear all the wonderful things our students are doing outside of school and celebrate them in this Friday letter. Where it is sporting success, musical talent, volunteering, or something in your local Church or community **please let us know at [news@stbernardsschool.uk](mailto:news@stbernardsschool.uk)** with a short write up and photos and help us celebrate all we are!

## Yr. 11 GCSE Education Evening

We have a very important evening coming up on 17th October. 6pm-7pm.

This is an opportunity for us to work together to support our students in this crucial year, helping them to be as successful as possible. If you are able to attend please fill in this form, where you are also able to let us know what you would like covered. [CLICK HERE](#)

## And finally

*Another wonderful (and sunny) week has come and gone here at St Bernard's with the promise of more sun at the weekend! Regardless of the sun I know a lot of our students will be happy if Barrow can triumph in the top of the table clash, looking forward to the glamour time away at Chelsea to come! I'm hoping for a local derby win for villa too!!*

Have a wonderful weekend,

God Bless,

Mr Vince  
Headteacher

