



St Bernard's

CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

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Committed Learners

Exceptional People

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK

Eloquent- Always kind, polite, and forgiving with our words.

Virtue in Action

Demonstrate excellent oracy skills in class through contributing in an eloquent way. Show appreciation with detailed reasons and thinking about the impact of this on your development.

Virtue champion
Barack Obama



Repent, for the kingdom of God is close at hand.



Words from St Bernard

We find rest in those we love,
and we provide a resting
place in ourselves for those
who love us

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Dates for your diary

- 28th November – INSET day – school closed
- 8th December – Year 11 Trafford Centre trip
- 10th December – Year 9 Theatre trip
- 10th December – Year 11 Parents Evening
- 11th December – Choir at Barrow Market
- 17th December – Spirit of Christmas

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God who is all good, be present here with us today. Give us the grace and understanding to listen and inspire us to bring your love to all who are around us. Give us courage to protect and pray for all those who are persecuted for their faith.

Amen



PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Spirit of Christmas



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We will be joined by some local primary schools for our annual Christmas performance in a few weeks. It is a joyful and festive evening and we would love to have lots of our families there.

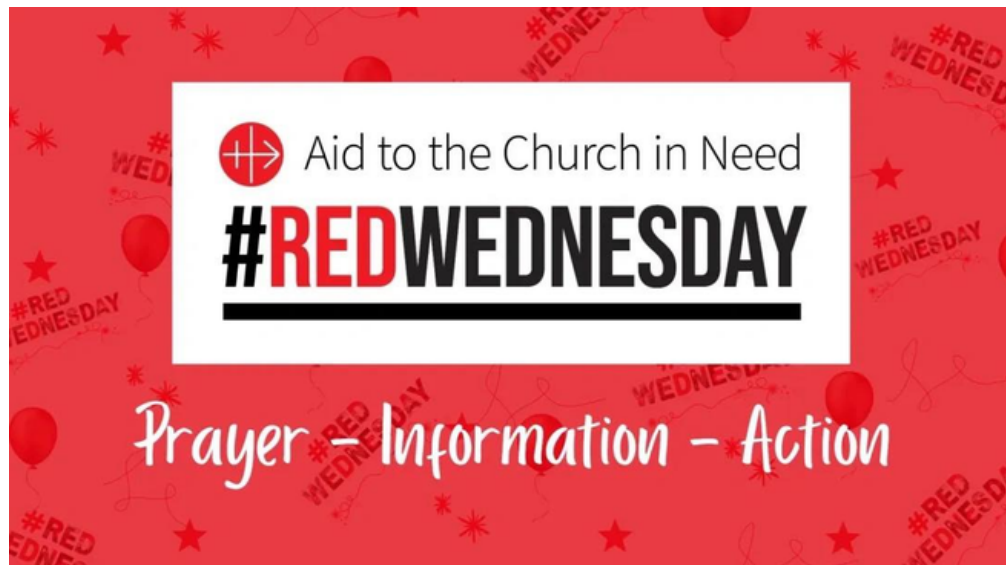
It will be on Wednesday 17th December at 5pm – no ticket is needed and entry is free. Save the date!

Sporting News



Our Year 8 netball teams travelled to Dowdales this week. We played against a strong team who had an outstanding shooter but we gave them a good game demonstrating some good passing sequences and defensive skills. The girls showed excellent resilience and battled hard to the end, although we lost on this occasion, there are plenty of positives we can take from the game and develop upon for the future. Well done girls, keep up the good work.

Red Wednesday



We had a whole day of fundraising and prayer as a school community to celebrate Red Wednesday. We started with a whole-school gathering and held a cake sale to raise money. The chapel was open from 7am-7pm to support our day of prayer for Christians around the world who are persecuted for their faith. Thank you for all your support and donations,

Electives



Our Christmas Craft club and girls football working and playing hard at the electives this week.





Our attendance advent calendar starts on
Monday 1st December.

Children will be entered if they have 100% attendance for the week before e.g. anyone in school all week this week is entered for wc 1st December.

Prizes to be won include Love 2 Shop vouchers, prom tickets for Year 11 and other sweets/goodies.

Committed Learners



Year 7 Committed Learners

Art	Lynna Carbonell
Computing	Bobbi Jaggar
English	Kalvyn Allen
French	Zack Corlett
Geography	Jacob Coward
Maths	Harrison Davis
Music	Alona Shibu
PE	Benjamin Wilson
RE	Violet Cipriano
Science	Abel Baiju
Technology	Freddie Lloyd

Committed Learners

Art	Freddie Kittley
Computing	Zach Crellin
English	Kadie-Leigh Barker
French	Cheryl Sowunmi
Geography	Ayesha Shoaib
History	Mercedes Whiteside
Maths	Ada Ergisi
Music	Mary Haynes
PE	Archie Lee
RE	Jack Schofield
Science	Grace McKenna
Technology	Eloise Mullen

**Year 8
Committed
Learners**

Committed Learners

Art	Annie Coward
Computing	Mariella Ching
English	Jaiden Gosney
French	Cheska Galang
Geography	Emilia Mclean
History	Antonia Lourie
Maths	Jack Sheppard
PE	Oliver Brown
RE	Victoria Wasacz
Science	Maisie McCarthy
Technology	Pippa Imison

**Year 9
Committed
Learners**

Committed Learners

Art	Silas Russell
Computer Science	Donald Anyanwu
English	Lewis Bell
French	Sienna Terpilowski
Geography	Ellie Corlett
History	Charlie Phillips
iMedia	Noah Murray
Maths	Savannah Barham
PE	Finlay Houghton
RE	Maisie Murphy
Science	Olivia O'Halloran
Technology	Franz Calaro

**Year 10
Committed
Learners**

Committed Learners

**Year 11
Committed
Learners**

Art	Holly Armstrong
Business Studies	Chloe Poole
English	Alexander Mazur
Geography	Riona Renjith
History	Chloe Poole
iMedia	Favour Ifedi
Maths	Ruby Harvey
PE	Alexander Mazur
RE	Jack Middleton
Science	Brody Burns
Sports Studies	Chantel Chitehwe
Technology	Jubil Basil

Exceptional People

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Kiessa Latimer	Scarlett Taylor	John Horton	Maximus Perry	Max Hackett
Harper Bland	Zeb Morrison	Layla Holland	Maisie Murphy	Alfie Knott
Rosalyn Whitehouse	Kadie-Leigh Barker	Ed Cush		C-Jay Munro

Many Congratulations to all of our wonderful...
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Letter from Mr Vince

GCSE Awards Evening

It was a real joy to welcome back so many of our former pupils for our GCSE Awards Evening. Seeing the confident, thoughtful and impressive young adults they are growing into filled us all with pride. Their achievements—both academic and personal—are a testament to their hard work and the support of their families and teachers. Even more importantly, it was wonderful to witness the strength of character, kindness and ambition they continue to carry with them.

A Wonderful Week in School

This has been an exceptionally busy and uplifting week at St Bernard's. Our Space Masterclass in Science inspired pupils to stretch their curiosity far beyond the classroom, while our Careers Fayre opened students' eyes to the huge range of opportunities available to them. We also marked Red Wednesday, standing in solidarity—through prayer, reflection and action—with all those who suffer for their beliefs around the world. And of course, we ended the week celebrating our fantastic former students at the GCSE Awards.

Weeks like this remind us that school is about so much more than lessons. The richness of our wider offer—experiences, encounters, celebrations and acts of service—is what truly helps our young people grow into well-rounded, compassionate individuals.

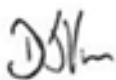
Spirit of Christmas

Rehearsals for our Spirit of Christmas celebration on 17th December are going wonderfully well, and there is a real buzz of excitement growing around the school. The students are sounding fantastic and we are very much getting into the festive spirit already. Please do save the date—you really won't want to miss what promises to be another memorable and joy-filled evening.

And Finally...

I thoroughly enjoyed my undercover trip to watch the mighty Aston Villa beat Leeds last weekend. With difficult results for Manchester United, Liverpool and Manchester City, I suspect I may be the only truly happy football fan in school this week!

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.



God Bless

Mr D Vince
Headteacher