St. Thomas the Martyr

Church of England Primary School

NEWSLETTER – 20TH NOVEMBER 2026

Growing and Achieving Together

PRAYER

Dear Lord, as we finish for another week, we thank you for the learning, friendships and gifts we have shared. Help us rest, show kindness at home and care for those around us. Keep our families safe in your care. Amen

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Thank you all for your continued support and remember we need your children to be in school every day and on time so they don't miss out. Don't forget, children can access Purple Mash and TT Rocks Stars at home. We also have a library full of books they can borrow to read at home. Thank you for your donations towards the Children In Need charity. You helped to raise £176.60. Thank you for the Poppy Day donations too!
We have own clothes day on Friday 27th November for class donations for the Christmas Fair. We will send out an app letting you know which donations are requested for each class stall! It will soon be Christmas!
PLEASE come to our second Beacon Explorers on Thursday after school until 4pm. Children can attend with family members, but Year 6 are trusted to attend without parental supervision! See you all on THURSDAY!

Children in Need

A big thank you to all our families for supporting Children In Need on Friday 13th November 2026. The children looked fantastic in their spotty clothes and face make-up – we raised £176.60 for this great charity.



Forest School

The Reception class enjoyed Forest School followed by hot chocolate with marshmallows in front of the log fire on Thursday. On their nature trail they explored all the signs that winter is approaching.



Y5 Liverpool Museum Trip

Our year 5 children have enjoyed an educational trip to Liverpool Museum today consolidating learning in their topics of Ancient Greece and Romans.



Y2 Athletics Event

Some of our amazing athletes from Year 2 enjoyed participating in the local primary schools multi skills athletics event at Lathom High School on Thursday. The children excelled at the field and track events. Well done team St Thomas!









Autumn 2026 Key Dates

Event	Date
Year 5 – Educational Visit to Liverpool Museum	Friday 20th November
Year 3 class assembly - Perseverance	Friday 20th November @ 2.30pm
Own clothes day – donations for Xmas Fayre	Friday 27th November
KS1 Nativity	Wednesday 2nd December @ 10am and 5pm
Santa's Craft House – Family Event	Monday 7th December 1.15pm – 3.15pm
Christmas Fayre	Wednesday 9th Dec – 3.30pm until 5pm
Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Dinner	Thursday 10th December
EYFS Nativity	Thursday 10th December @ 10.30am
EYFS Nativity	Friday 11th December @ 10.30am
2-Year-Old Nativity	Monday 14th December @ 2.00pm
ACE Treat – One from Rec to Year 6	Monday 14th December @ 1pm
Breakfast with Santa	Tuesday 15th December
EYFS Christmas party	Tuesday 15th December (AM)
KS1 Christmas party	Tuesday 15th December (PM)
KS2 Christmas party	Wednesday 16th December (PM)
Eucharist	Thursday 17th December @ 9.10am
Last Day for 2-year-old and Big Nursery	Thursday 17th December
Wear Christmas jumpers -School closes 2pm	Friday 18th December
School Opens	Monday 4th January 2027

Thank you, for all your continued support, Mr. Roscoe & all at St Thomas the Martyr CE.

MAY ALL THAT WE DO BE DONE WITH LOVE" - Corinthians 16:14