

14th November 2025

Dear Parents, Carers and Families of St Luke's

What an amazing week we've had!

We started the week with Odd Socks Day on Monday to mark Anti-Bullying Week, followed by a wonderful sharing assembly on Thursday, led by Mrs Mitchell and featuring contributions from every class. Today, we joined in with Children in Need Day — it's a privilege to support such important charities and initiatives, and the children loved dressing up for the occasion!

Tuesday offered a beautiful time of reflection as we remembered those who have gone before us for Remembrance Day. Year 4 led a moving assembly, which included a respectful minute's silence in front of our well.

👉 😊 Finally, we wish Mrs Chana all the very best as she begins her maternity leave. We await the happy news with excitement and look forward to welcoming her back when the time comes.

👉 Anti Bullying Week

This week, we celebrated Anti-Bullying Week. The theme for this year was "Power for Good". We kicked off the week with Odd Socks Day, encouraging everyone to wear odd socks to celebrate their uniqueness.

On Thursday morning, the whole school came together to share what they had been learning about. We had some powerful messages of how to prevent and how to stop bullying. The children shared their messages with songs, acting, poems and posters.



Remembrance

On Tuesday 11th November, Year 4 performed a moving Remembrance assembly to the school and their parents and carers. It focussed on letters that soldiers and their families exchanged during war times. It showed the human cost of war. They finished with a song of hope for the future and for a better world for all.

Each class made a wreath and we all gathered at 11am for a 2 minute's silence.



Year 2- Moving Vehicles



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In D&T, Year 2 have been making racecars.

They have needed to research, plan, design and create.

They have been using excellent teamwork and problem solving to create their cars.

At the end, we gave the cars a test drive to see if they are fit for purpose and they did fantastically.



Children in Need Day

It was wonderful to see all the children dressed up today and enjoying themselves while helping to raise money for Children in Need.

👉 A special well done to **Amiya, Riyan, Harry, and Neeve** in Year 3, who have been busy making and selling bracelets to their friends and the rest of the school, raising an impressive **£37.65**.

🍰 Year 6 have also been busy baking and selling cakes during their breaks. A special mention goes to **Chloe, Esther, Sophie, and Frances** for their fantastic efforts in baking the cakes and selling them. They have raised a fantastic **£69.63**.

A big thank you to all parents who have supported this fund-raising day, The total raised will be announced on Monday.

School Book Fair: 25th November – 8th December 2025

We're excited to announce that our annual **School Book Fair** will run from **25th November to 8th December 2025**. Students will have the opportunity to browse and purchase books during **breaktime and dinnertime** each day.

If there is a book you would like to buy **without your child knowing**, please let the school office know and we will be happy to help.

We will also be at the **Christmas Fayre on Saturday 6th December**, so be sure to visit our stall for more wonderful reads and gift ideas!

Thank you for supporting our school and helping to promote a love of reading. 📖 ✨ 🌲

Santa Fun Run – Friday 5th December

Ho Ho Ho! It's time to get festive and active with our **Santa Fun Run** on **Friday 5th December** in support of **Rainbows Hospice**.

What to Wear:

Children are invited to come dressed as Santas, elves, or in any Christmas-themed outfits. Let's fill the field with festive cheer and colourful costumes!

Join the Fun:

We'll be running (or walking!) around the school field together to raise smiles and support a wonderful cause.

Donations:

Please send your child with a small donation to help us raise funds for **Rainbows Hospice**, which provides vital care and support to children and young people with life-limiting conditions.

Friends of St Luke's Christmas Fayre

Our Christmas Fayre is fast approaching on Friday 6th December, and we're excited to be running a Chocolate Tombola stall this year!

To help make it a big success, we would be very grateful for donations of any kind of chocolate—bars, boxes, tubs, or treats of any size. All contributions will help us create a fun and festive experience for the children and families attending.

If you are able to donate, please send items into school with your child by 30th November.

Thank you so much for your kindness and support. We truly appreciate it!

Festival Assembly Timetable 2025-26

Event	Date
Christmas Production- Year 1	Thursday 11 th December 2025 -9.20am
Nativity/Christmas Service- Reception/Year 2	Thursday 18 th December 2025- 9.15am
Mother's Day- Whole School	Friday 13 th March 2026
Easter Service -Year 5	Thursday 26 th March 2026
Father's Day-Whole School	Friday 19 th June 2026

Dates for your Diary

Event	Date
Flu Immunisations	Monday 17 th November 2025
Santa Fun Run	Friday 5 th December 2025
Christmas Market	Saturday 6 th December 2025 11-2pm
Christmas Craft afternoon	Thursday 11 th December 2025- 2.15pm
Christmas Dinner	Wednesday 17 th December 2025
Sports Day	Friday 12 th June 2026 AM
2nd Sports Day (back up)	Friday 19 th June 2026 AM
Year 6 Production	Thursday 25 th June 2026
Year 6 Leavers Assembly	Thursday 9 th July 2026

Term Dates

Christmas Holidays	Friday 19 th December 2025
School Opens	Monday 5 th January 2026

A Reading from Scripture.

Seasons & God's Timing

"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens."

Ecclesiastes 3:1



 **A Prayer for the Week**

Dear God,
We thank You for the gift of learning and the joy of friendship.

As the days grow shorter and the year moves toward its close, help us to stay focused, kind, and grateful.

Bless our teachers, staff, and students with patience and wisdom.

May our school be a place of peace, respect, and growth for everyone.

Guide us to care for one another and to share Your love in all we do.

Amen.

Have a restful Weekend

Mr G Skye & The St Luke's Staff