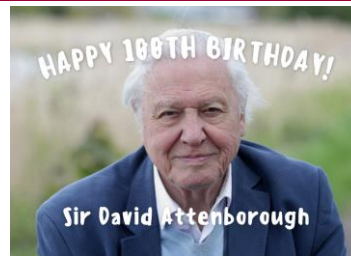


# Newsletter

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2026



Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,

## Celebrating Sir David Attenborough at 100

Today we marked a very special moment as Sir David Attenborough celebrates his 100th birthday on 8th May 2026. Our children took part in a whole-school assembly and joined a live session this afternoon, learning about his incredible life and the impact he has had on how we understand and care for our planet. Across more than 70 years, Sir David has inspired millions through his nature programmes, helping us discover the wonders of animals, habitats and the world around us. The live session encouraged pupils to reflect on why protecting nature matters and how we can all play a part in caring for God's creation. Schools across the country have been joining similar events today, celebrating his legacy and inspiring the next generation to look after our common home.

## First Holy Communion – Saturday 16th May 2019 at 10.00am

We are very much looking forward to celebrating with Year 3 as they receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time and we ask you to keep them all in your prayers during this time of preparation. If any boys would like to purchase a special red Communion tie, we have these available from the office priced at £6. (cash) The children will be receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May as part of their preparation. We are also delighted to share that the parish will be providing a Communion Breakfast after mass on their special day.



## Parish May Procession

Any children who make their First Holy Communion are also invited to wear their special outfits again to 11.30am mass on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May to take part in the Parish May Procession after mass.

## Father Pontius Parish Farewell Celebration

Father Pontius would like to invite our staff and families to his Farewell Mass and party on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May. The mass will be at 6pm and party in the parish hall at 7pm. All are welcome.

We will have the opportunity to say goodbye and thank you to Father Pontius when he celebrates a whole school thanksgiving mass for us on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June – the feast of Corpus Christi.

## Inspire Our Faith – Creative Sessions

We would like to invite parents, carers or other family members of pupils in Years 1,2 and 6 to join us for some of our themed Inspire Sessions. These are classroom based sessions reflecting on our faith through prayerful and creative activities. Please join us if you can on the following dates:

Year 6 – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 2-3pm. Theme Pentecost

Year 1 – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 2-3pm. Theme Mary

Year 2 – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 2-3pm. Theme Pentecost



Thank you to staff from the Pathways Family Hub for hosting session 1 of our 'Ready, Set School' stay and play programme 🌟

## Some Summer Term Dates for the Diary :

Key stage 2 trip to Boscombe Beach – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June (Please return forms)

Year 6 production at Bablake Theatre – Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July at 6.30pm

Sports Day – Years R – 6 Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 9.15-10.30am

Year 6 Leavers Mass & Awards – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2026 at 9.05am

## Top Tweets From This Week

Year 6 are working hard explaining their mathematical reasoning.



Year 1 and 2 P.E - Today children worked on jumping distances and how to jump with a run up.



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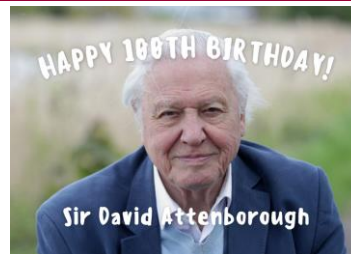
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## St Osburg's 300 Club – Support our church.

We are excited to invite you to join St Osburg's 300 Club, a monthly prize draw that raises much needed funds for our church while giving you the chance to win generous cash prizes.

How it works: – costs £2 per month for a number

Monthly draw.

Prizes of £50, £30 and £20 awarded each month for the winning numbers drawn out.

Please consider signing up – membership forms are available from the school office or back of church – good luck! 😊

## **CHAMPIONS 25/26**



## Congratulations Coventry City Football Club

We will be celebrating Coventry City Football Club's return to the Premier League with our own 'Promotion Party' on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May. On this day pupils will be allowed to wear CCFC kits or sky blue, take part in football related activities, we will be decorating school, Dawn and Jo our cooks are looking at some sky-blue themed food and we have invited Sky Blue Sam to visit us for the day.

## Year 6 SATs Our Year 6 pupils will be taking their Standard Assessment Tests (SATs) from Monday

11th May – Thursday 14th May 2026. This is the week when all year 6 pupils across the country who are eligible will be sitting the tests. Obviously, the children are busy preparing for the tests in school but there is information available on the Year 6 page of the school website about how you can also support your child at home. It is really important that Year 6 pupils are in attendance every day in the lead up to and during SATs week. We will be providing a special SATs breakfast session each day before the tests in order to settle the children and fuel them up for the busy days ahead. 😊

## Attendance & Punctuality – Whole school for this week: 95.3%

Mrs Roberts Year R		Miss Doran		Mrs Oluermi Year 2		Mr Dingley Year 3		Mrs Bardell/Mrs Crowley Year 4		Mr Jordan Year 5		Mrs McDevitt Year 6	
90.5%	4 late	92.4%	1 late	99.6%	4 late	94%	1 late	98.8%	2 late	95%	0 late	96.4%	3 late

## Next Week at a glance:

Date	Time	Activity
<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May</b> Year 6 SATS Week	9am PM 3.15-4.15pm 3.15-4pm	Mission Assembly Year 5 – Joy of Moving Science and Fitness Netball club – Y6 Creative Club – Y1/2 & Lego Club (Y2,3,4,5)
<b>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May</b> Year 3 & Y4 PE day	AM PM 3.15-4.00pm	NO Guitar lessons this week Year 1 visit to Central Library Athletics Club – (Y3,4,5,6)
<b>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.00am 3.15-4.15pm	Pop Choir – (Y3,4,5,6) Football – Y2,3,4,
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May</b> Year R, 1 & 2 PE day	3.15-4.15pm 1.45pm	Football – Y5/6 Ascension Thursday – Whole School Mass
<b>Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b> Year 6 PE day	9.00am	Friday assembly
<b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May</b>	10am 11.00am	Frist Holy Communion Communion Breakfast – parish hall

*Wishing you all a lovely weekend.*

*N. Rynott*

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