Newsletter

~St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School~

Reporting Absence

Please report your child's **absence** on Study Bugs or phone the school office ***before*** 9:15am **01268 470444**

School Emergency / Snow Closure - Please check the school website

Head Teacher's Notice

Friday 6th November 2026

It has been wonderful to welcome the children back to school following the half-term break, and what a lovely way to begin the second half of the Autumn Term.

Throughout the week, the children and staff have been putting the finishing touches to their beautiful poppy artwork, ready for our SAL's BIG 'Poppy' Breakfast, raising funds for The Royal British Legion. It was fantastic to see so many parents and carers joining us to enjoy breakfast together, admire and purchase the artwork, and support such a worthwhile cause. The creativity and effort that went into the displays were truly impressive, and we are very proud of everyone involved.

Following breakfast, parents and carers were invited into their children's classrooms to see the wonderful work completed during the first half of the term. It was a lovely opportunity for the children to share their learning and celebrate their achievements with their families.

Events such as these remind us of the strong sense of community that makes our school so special. Thank you to everyone who joined us and contributed so generously, helping to make the morning such a success.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

God bless,

Miss N. Watson

Prayer

Loving God,
thank you for the light of Your love that guides us each day. Help us to keep our hearts open to you and to be ready to respond whenever someone needs our kindness, care or support. May our words bring encouragement, our actions bring hope and our faith shine brightly for everyone to see.
Amen

"Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path." Psalm 119:105

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 11th November 2026
REMEMBRANCE DAY
The children will be led by The Faith Disciples in remembering those who lost their lives because of war and conflict.

Friday 13th November 2026
JOURNEY IN LOVE AND INCLUSION DAY
The children can come to school dressed in bright colours

w/b Monday 16th November 2026
YEAR 3,4 and 5 ASSESSMENT WEEK
Please ensure that the children are in school on time.

w/b Monday 23rd November 2026
YEAR 6 ASSESSMENT WEEK
Please ensure that the children are in school on time.

Thursday 26th November 2026
CLASS 1 PARENT/TEACHER MEETING

Friday 27th November 2026
PANTOMIME DAY (Oh no it isn't!)
The children will be enjoying the performance of Aladdin at the Towngate Theatre today.

Monday 30th November 2026
CLASS 2 PARENT/TEACHER MEETING

Tuesday 1st December 2026
CLASS 3 PARENT/TEACHER MEETING

Wednesday 2nd December 2026
CLASS 4 PARENT/TEACHER MEETING

PLEASE RESPECT OUR NEIGHBOURS! – Use the Church Carpark to drop off and pick up from school, DO NOT DRIVE INTO THE SCHOOL ROAD.

House Points

Week 9	06/11/2026
Anne Frank	Florence Nightingale
292	287
Martin Luther King	Nelson Mandela
271	271

Weekly Awards

Stars of the Week

* Class 1 - Lotanna A
* Class 2 - Giulia C
* Class 3 - Lennie K
* Class 4 - Donald O
* Class 5 - Seun A
* Class 6 - Madhav P
* Class 7 - Nicholas O
* Class 8 - Oba A

Other Awards

*Music Award - Daramola O
*Top Attendance - Class 3
*Tidiest Classroom - Class 6

School Dinners - Week 2



Please see our school website for the NEW WINTER menu.
Lunch Menu – St Anne Line Catholic Junior School
Please ensure that all accounts are up to date on the Parent's ARBOR Account - Thank you.

Gospel Value Award



This week the focus has been on **INTEGRITY** - Do what you say.
Well done to **Belvin N** for demonstrating Integrity in school this week. To demonstrate integrity is shaped by the choices we make when no one is watching, reflecting our commitment to live in accordance with God's standards.
"Whoever walks in integrity, walks securely, but whoever takes crooked paths will be found out ." Proverbs 10:9

Instagram/Website

Please take a look at:
St Anne Line Juniors
https://www.st-anneline-jun.uk/

Whole School Attendance 98.1%

Attendance League

	Class	% Attendance	% Unauthorised Absence
TOP	3	100% WELL DONE	0
	6	99.6	0
	7	99.2	0
	5	99.2	0
	2	98.4	0.39 MUST IMPROVE
	1	98.4	0.81 MUST IMPROVE
	8	96.1	0.43 MUST IMPROVE
==========National Average 95.0==========			
BOTTOM	4	94.3	0.76 MUST IMPROVE

Total Late Marks - Please be in school and on time **GATES CLOSE AT 8:45AM**
No Late Marks - Class 1,2,3,4,5,6,7 - WELL DONE FOR BEING IN SCHOOL ON TIME
LATE MARKS - Class 8 - BE IN SCHOOL ON TIME

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time



As we continue our journey through Ordinary time, this Sunday's Gospel reminds us of the importance of being prepared, staying faithful and keeping the light of God's love shining in our lives. Jesus tells the Parable of the Ten Bridesmaids, who are waiting for the arrival of the bridegroom. Five are wise and bring enough oil to keep their lamps burning, while the others are not prepared. Through this story, Jesus teaches us that we should always be ready to welcome Him into our lives and live each day with faith, hope and love.

At St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School, we reflect on how we can keep the light of our faith shining:

- By making time for prayer and remembering that God is always with us.
- By showing kindness, patience and compassion towards others.
- By being responsible and prepared for the things we are asked to do.
- By using our gifts and talents to bring light and hope into the lives of those around us.

Just as the wise bridesmaids kept their lamps ready, we too are called to nurture our faith through the choices we make and the love we share each day.
May we continue to grow as a school community where faith guides our actions, where kindness shines brightly and where we are always ready to respond to God's call.

"*Stay awake, therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.*" (Matthew 25:13)

Our Reflection for the Week

'Love God. Love Your Neighbour. Make a Difference.'

This week, Jesus reminds us that faith is something we need to nurture and care for, just as a lamp needs oil to keep burning. We keep the light of God's love alive whenever we pray, help someone in need, forgive others or make choices that reflect our Christian values.
Even the smallest acts of kindness can bring light into someone else's day.

Our Challenge for the Week

'Be prepared. Keep your faith alive. Be ready to share God's love.'

Scripture for the week:

"Stay awake, therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

(Matthew 25:13)

Journey in Love Day

Friday 13th November 2026

Children to come to school wearing bright colours.



"For God so loved the world, as to give his only begotten Son; that whosoever believeth in him, may not perish, but may have life everlasting."

John 3:16

Parliament Week

23rd -29th November 2026

Our Pupil Parliament will kickstart the week with an assembly, along with a visit from Richard Holden MP

The Hive

St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School

Wrap-Around Care

The Hive Breakfast ♦ 8-8:30am - £2.50

The Hive Activity ♦ 3-4:00pm - £5.00
(Includes activity and a small snack)

The Hive Feast * ♦ 3-6:00pm - £12.50
(Includes activity, small snack and dinner)

Booking can be made daily, before 2:30pm, on ARBOR, or contact the school office.

(For Year 2 upwards)

Children to wear coats to school

Now that it's getting chilly, please ensure that children wear coats to school, and don't forget to name them!

Ofsted

Read our report

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Safeguarding at the Heart of Our School

Poppy Art at St. Anne Line Catholic Junior School

















Poppy Art Work
Completed By
Both Children
And Staff
2026





