

Parent Newsletter

Week Ending: 6th February 2026 (A)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Prayer Group - KS3 – 8:00am - Chapel		Prayer Group - KS4 – 8:00am – Chapel	Whole School Reading	PSHE
Celebration of the Word – Colours Assembly – Year 7 – Hall	Celebration of the Word – Colours Assembly – Year 9 – Hall	Celebration of the Word – Colours Assembly – Year 10 – Hall	Celebration of the Word – Colours Assembly – Year 11 – Hall	Celebration of the Word – Colours Assembly – Year 8 – Hall
Meeting Proclaimers - Lunchtime		Meeting Proclaimers - Lunchtime		

Attendance – The top attending forms for week beginning 26th January 2026

Gold – 9B

Silver – 11L

Bronze – 10A

Commendations -Form points for week beginning 26th January 2026

Gold – 8J

Silver – 7B

Bronze – 7H

Catholic Social Teaching Focus

Reflection

This week at St. Gregory's, we continue our focus on the Catholic Social Teaching Principle of *Human Dignity*.

Last Sunday's Gospel shared the Beatitudes, reminding us how Jesus calls us to live as children of God.

Each Beatitude teaches us that every person deserves love, respect, and compassion.

“Blessed are the poor in spirit” shows us that humility brings us closer to God.

“Blessed are the peacemakers” encourages us to bring harmony into our school community.

Through the Beatitudes, we learn that true happiness is found in serving and loving others.

At St. Gregory's, we can live this message by including everyone and standing up for what is right.

We honour human dignity when we treat each person as valuable and loved by God.

The Beatitudes guide us to see Jesus in every face we meet each day.

May we continue to live out these blessings in our words, actions, and hearts.

Sunday 1st February - Gospel Focus

Matthew 5:1-12

When Jesus saw the crowds,
he went up the mountain,
and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him.
He began to teach them, saying:

Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they who mourn,
for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the land.

Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
for they will be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.

Blessed are the clean of heart,
for they will see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children of God.

Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you
and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me.
Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.

Gospel Reflection

Last Sunday's Gospel from Matthew reminds us that true happiness comes from living God's way.

Jesus teaches us that being humble, kind, and fair brings us closer to His Kingdom.

At St. Gregory's, we can live the Beatitudes by showing care and respect for everyone we meet.

When we stand up for what is right and forgive others, we share God's love.

Being "poor in spirit" means trusting God more than our own strength.

Jesus calls us to be peacemakers and to bring comfort to those who are sad or lonely.

By living the Beatitudes each day, we help make St. Gregory's a place of joy and faith.

Loving God,

Help us find true happiness by living Your way each day. Teach us to be humble, kind, and fair in all we do. Guide our St. Gregory's community to show care and respect to everyone we meet. Give us courage to do what is right, to forgive, and to bring peace to others. May living the Beatitudes fill our community with joy, faith, and Your love.

Amen.