



English Martyrs CVA

We grow and learn with the gifts we have been given, following in the footsteps of Jesus



Coming Up

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Monday 30th Oct	Back to School	Y6 Forest School
	Y3-6 Basketball Club 3.30-4.30pm	Drama Club 3.30-4.30pm
Tuesday 31st Oct	Singing Lessons	Flute Lessons
	Y1-2 Creative Club 3.30-4.30pm	Y4-6 Football Club 3.30-4.30pm
Wednesday 1st Nov	Piano Lessons	Drum Lessons
Thursday 2nd Nov	Guitar Lessons	Y1-2 Gymnastics Club 3.30-4.15pm
	Y3-6 Gymnastics Club 4.15-5.00pm	
Friday 3rd Nov	Coffee & Conversation 9.15am	Drama lessons
	Piano Lessons	Celebration Assembly 2.45pm
Saturday 4th Nov	Rutland X-Country League UCC	

Notices

• Emailing school

Please remember to email enquiries@englishmartyrs.rutland.sch.uk and not the office@ email address when contacting school.

• Inset Day—17th November

Don't forget school is closed on Friday 17th November for our Trust Inset Day.

• Front door button

Just a reminder that the door release button at the front door must only be pressed by an adult.



Virtue of the week

The next virtue is: **Resilience**

Please take time to discuss this at home with your child/ren.

Good luck Mrs Smith!

We wish Mrs Smith lots of luck as she starts her maternity leave. We can't wait to meet baby Smith!

Welcome Mr Asplin!

We welcome Mr Asplin to English Martyrs—he officially starts after half term as the Y1 maternity cover teacher but he has been getting to know children this week in school.



Harvest Liturgy

For Harvest Liturgy today we celebrated with a Liturgy lead by the Mini Chaplains. The children in EYFS had a Harvest party too! Children came dressed in bright clothes for CAFOD and we had so many generous donations for the Rutland Food Bank. Thank you to Sue from the Foodbank who came in to talk to the children about what they do. So far the CAFOD donations stand at **£206.45!** Thank you!



Table Tennis Success!

Well done to the table tennis teams who played at USSC this morning. The children were fantastic, especially considering that they have only had 30 minutes of coaching and we do not have access to a table tennis table. The boys team finished in 4th place while the girls went on to win their competition. Special thanks to Mrs McKay for her coaching and for accompanying the children to the event.



Y4 Ancient Greek Day!

Year 4 had a fantastic Greek day yesterday to finish their history topic. The children enjoyed making pitta breads, tasting Greek food and taking part in an Olympic games.



Y3/4 Football

Well done to the children from Y3&4 who took part in the development festival at Ashwell on Thursday. They learned lots of skills which they then put into use as they played a number of friendly games. The children were superb throughout.



Happy Birthday to the children who have had birthdays recently and who will celebrate over half term!

Y1— Charlie, Theo

Y2— Chloe

Y4— Florence, Emmie, Ella

Y5— Bogi

Y6— Oliver H, Seth, Rhys

Y3 Stone Age to Bronze Age Trip

Miss Humphreys' class had a great trip to the Rutland County Museum this week for their Stone Age to Bronze Age Trip. They completed some great activities and showed what great knowledge they had learned over the term.



World Mental Health Day

To celebrate World Mental Health Day today, we talked about the importance of sleep, water, a balanced diet and finding activities that help make us feel happy. We chatted about kindness, being kind to ourselves and to others. The children in their classes thought about kind words and kind acts that they can do at home and in school.



Prayer of the week

Let us pray for of all the people suffering in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.

Loving God,

We believe you want to bring your peace to our homes, our communities and our world. Help us to be peacemakers, listening to and loving each other.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

FEM News!

Cake raffle The cake raffle this week was won by Mae! Please let FEM know if you can volunteer with selling tickets!

AGM Meeting



200 Club September Winners

This is the last draw! Thank you for your support.

	1st £100	2nd £20	3rd £10
Sep	Joan Burns	Nuala O'Rourke	Briege Slattery

St Joseph's Church

Keep up to date with the Parish news [here](#) .

