



Theme: Faith and Hope

Our assemblies and thoughts this week have focussed on the importance of having Faith in our lives and trusting in God even when things are difficult. There are many examples in the bible of people showing great faith in God in times of great suffering and pain which led to healing and peace and hope for the future. One of our school aims is to be 'a people of hope.' Next Friday all Catholic schools in England and Wales will have a launch day for the Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee year and make a pledge. The focus is on the importance of hope in our communities and in our world. Our students have been considering what should be in our school pledge over the past weeks and we will share this with you in next week's newsletter.

Kate Pereira, Executive Headteacher

Singing Assemblies

Beverley and Cambridge year 7s had their singing assembly this week. It was lovely to hear so many actively involved and enjoying themselves. Thanks to Ms Pearson for organising and leading this.

Mrs Wilmore, Head of School

Solidarity and Peace



In the previous week's assembly, we had the privilege of speaking about the importance of solidarity and peace in our community. We highlighted how small acts of kindness can create a massive impact on individuals and communities. Together we can build a more compassionate and supportive environment where everyone feels valued and heard. It was an inspiring opportunity to reflect on how we can all contribute to a more peaceful and united school. Next week, we look forward to leading assembly with KS2 at St Thomas More on the same principle as well as introduce the Jubilee Year: Pilgrims of Hope.

Urte Ginkute, Year 12, Head Student

Upcoming Events	
4 February	Year 9 Option and Parents Evening
7 February	PPE's Year 11
14 February	Training Day, school closed
24 February	PPE's Year 13

Year 10 Work Experience:- 3 – 13 June 2025

The next stage of Work Experience has been launched to students during their assembly this week. Students still have an opportunity to find their own placement and the deadline for this is 7 March 2025. Students are having a session during morning registration to log into the work experience database. Further details will be sent to parents via Edulink next week. Information regarding Work Experience is on the school website.

[Year 10 Work Experience 2025 – St John Fisher Catholic High School](#)

ONE FOR THE DIARY

ACTIVITY DAY

16 JULY 2025 for YEARS 7, 8, 9 & 10

There will be a choice of activities for students to pick from, potentially with a financial contribution required from parents. More info to follow by February half-term but in the meantime please put in your diary.

Poppy Appeal



Thank you to all who brought Poppies for Remembrance Day in November, as a school, we raised £31.90 for The Royal British Legion.



House Competitions

Cambridge	2189
Beverley	2160
Westminster	2096
Rochester	1796

Breakfast - Free Bagels



Why not start the day with a filling breakfast. Our Breakfast club runs every day between 8.10am and 8.30am all students are welcome to come and join us in the Dining Hall for a free bagel.

Extra-Curricular Activities 2024-2025

Monday Lunchtime

All Years – Choir – Room 101
 All Years – Maths Help Club
 All Years – Film Club
 All Years – Boys Basketball – Sports Hall
 All Years – Chaplaincy Ambassadors – Chapel
 Year 10 – Italian Club - 209

Monday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities
 All Years - Boys/Girls Football - Astro
 All Years – Netball Club – Courts
 All Years - Homework Club Study Centre
 Key Stage 4 – Basketball – Sports Hall
 Year 9 – Food Club – Room 306
 Ad-hoc – Production Rehearsal - 501

Tuesday Lunchtime

All Years – Maths Help Club
 All Years – Girls Basketball & Benchball – Sports Hall
 Year 7 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211
 Ad-hoc – Production Rehearsal - 501

Tuesday After School

All Years Homework Club Study Centre

Wednesday Lunchtime

All Years – String Ensemble – Room 101
 All Years – Maths Help Club
 All Years – Girls Football – Sports Hall
 Year 7 – Drama Club – Room 501
 Year 8 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Wednesday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities
 All Years – Badminton Club – Sports Hall
 All Years – Homework Club Study Centre
 Ad-hoc – Production Rehearsal - 501

Thursday Lunchtime

Key Stage 3 – Art Club
 All Years – Choir – Room 101
 All Years - Maths Help Club
 All Years – Cricket Club – Sports Hall
 All Years – Optional Studio Space - 501
 Year 9 - Blooklet Club French – Room 211

Thursday After School

Duke of Edinburgh activities
 All Years – Fitness – Gym
 All Years – Homework Club Study Centre

Friday Lunchtime

All Years – Maths Help Club
 Blooklet Club Spanish – Room 211
 Years 8 & 9 – Drama – Room 501
 Year 9 – Italian Club - 209
 Year 10 – Product & Design Club – Room 305

Friday After School

All Years – Homework Club Study Centre
 Key Stage 4 – Drama Intervention – Room 501



'A year of reading ... a lifetime of memories.'

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