



# Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Catholic Primary School

## MISSION STATEMENT

*Our Lady of Mount Carmel Roman Catholic Primary School is a community centred in Christ. Teaching is permeated by the Gospel values and the traditions of our Catholic faith.*

*We seek to promote a happy, stimulating and caring environment in which each person is valued as an individual with unique talents. The curriculum and activities of the school are carefully framed so that each pupil may fulfil his or her potential and know success. Each will grow in awareness of his or her role within the family, the school and society and be sustained by a deepening relationship with God.*

## Newsletter 3 21st September 2017

### Message from your Headteacher

On behalf of all the staff I would like to give a very big welcome to our new reception class children and look forward to getting to know you all. I would also like to thank Year 6 for presenting our Gospel Assembly, it was enjoyed by all.

We recognise that in order to be successful in school, our children need support from both home and school. We know that our continued strong partnership with you will make a great difference in your child's education.

### Remembering to Forgive

Matthew 18:21-35

Today Jesus speaks of forgiveness. In old English, the words mean "to give to the uttermost, to go all the way, as far as you can" If we find we can't forgive, it means we still have a journey to make in the path of love. Think of God. When he forgives, the evil belongs to the past, it is gone. He wants us to think only of the future. Jesus did not condemn; he gives new chances, a new lease of life. May Sunday's Eucharist make us more like him.

Mrs L Gamble Headteacher



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She didn't feel she  
had a choice, **you do**

**SPEAK OUT AGAINST CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION**

**HELP US TO  
GIVE CHILDREN  
A VOICE, VISIT  
[www.stop-cse.org](http://www.stop-cse.org)**



### **Secondary School admissions year 6**

Online services via DMBC website will be open shortly. Please remember that applications to enrol need to be submitted by 31<sup>st</sup> October directly to the local authority.

### **McAuley Open Evening Year 6**

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 17.30-20.00pm.  
A confirmation letter with further details will be coming out tonight.

### **Open Night Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October**

If you haven't already done so please return your preferred appointment time slips, we have started to allocate slots so cannot guarantee preferred times can be honoured.

Allocated times will be sent home with your child shortly.

### **Dinner Money**

Please ensure this is sent to school on a Monday morning in a sealed, named envelope, cheques to be made payable to DMBC.  
£10 per week

### **After school Clubs**

These clubs have now started; please make sure that children bring their PE kit back to school following any sports club.

### **Family Skills**

Story Sacks Key stage 1 – Tuesday afternoon at OLMC Primary, all are welcome. Please see Mrs Martin for more details.

### **Uniform**

The children are looking really smart; please help us to keep up the high standards throughout the term.

Please ensure that everything is labelled so that if your child misplaces a jumper etc. then it can be returned quickly, there has been issues with children not being able to find what belongs to them.

Water bottles and packed lunch boxes must also be named.

### **Friends of OLMC Primary**

AGM – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 15:00pm in school meeting room

Fundraising and planning for year ahead - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 15:00pm in school meeting room.

### **Sponsored Run**

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October –to raise money for sporting activities, sponsor forms will be sent home closer to the date.

### **Dates for your Diary**

5/10/17 – Year 5 Doncaster Museum Visit  
4/10/17 – Year 2 Pirates History event  
12/10/17 – Individual photographs  
25/10/17 – Reception class open day

### **Assembly dates**

25/9/17 – Year 5  
2/10/17 – Year 4  
9/10/17 – Year 3  
16/10/17 – Year 2  
23/10/17 – Year 1

Once again, thank you for your continued support.

God Bless  
Mrs Gamble