



St Anne's Catholic Primary School

### **School Leadership Update**

22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Governing Body of St Anne's is delighted to share that Mrs Watkins has been appointed as our new Headteacher, with effect from September 2026.

We are very pleased to welcome Mrs Watkins into this role. We are confident that her strong knowledge of the school, leadership skills, and expertise will be a great asset to our community. We look forward to working with her and to the positive impact she will bring as she leads the school into this exciting new chapter.

The appointment follows a rigorous selection process involving staff, pupils, governors, and colleagues from the Trust and Diocese. We are very grateful to all who contributed.

Mrs Watkins will work closely with our Executive Headteacher, Mrs Stokoe, to ensure a smooth transition ahead of the new academic year.

We ask that you keep Mrs Watkins in your prayers as she prepares to take on her new responsibilities.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr P Arrowsmith  
**Chair of Governors**