



The Friday Message

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27th Sunday of Ordinary Time



Reception	Year 1
<p>This week in RE learning we talked about how important is to appreciate God's world. All pupils highly enjoyed going for a nature walk around the outdoor area and our school field. We explored God creation and observed all the things that God had made. "God made the birds, but people made the aeroplanes" Toby said. "God made the land and people made the concrete to build the houses" Yuven said. "God made the land and builders built the school" Harrison said.</p> <p>We also discussed different ways to look after the world and our environment. Pupils also had the opportunity to sort different objects that God made and manmade in our continuous provision and discuss their findings with their peers.</p>	<p>In RE this week, we have continued our work on Creation. We looked at the story of Adam and Eve in the garden. We reflected on good, bad choices, and discussed ways of making amends when we had not made the right choice. Later in the week we discussed God's love for us. We talked about the ways we showed we loved people and then how God shows us love.</p>
Year 2	Year 3
<p>In RE this week, Y2 had lovely discussions about why they think it is good to begin the day with a prayer and why it is nice to have a special place to pray. They then had a go at writing their own morning prayers and enjoyed sharing these with one another. They also learnt about St Paul and how he travelled to many different places to tell people about Jesus Christ and God the Father's plan for them. The children then wrote letters in his style to their friends telling them why God created them and loves them.</p>	<p>Our RE learning this week in year 3 has given us the chance to look in detail at our school prayers. We discussed what we pray for at each prayer time and why we say each prayer throughout the day. We also thought about how prayer helps us to remember that God is always with us. We have discussed the phrase 'To love your God with all your heart' and thought about what that means to us and showed this in our books.</p>
Year 4	Year 5
<p>This week in RE, the children have continued to look at prominent figures from the Bible. This week has focussed on Moses. Lesson one saw the children dissecting God's words to Moses: "I will be with you." The class thought about the impact this would have had on Moses and considered the impact of those 5 important words on modern day Christians. The second lesson of the week involved the children analysing a piece of artwork in which Moses is leading His people to freedom. The children thought carefully about what each person would be thinking and saying in the images and created speech/thought bubble to portray this.</p>	<p>Following on from looking at stewards of the world last week, we have looked at those special individuals who have been God's helpers throughout history. We were able to name many people who have followed Jesus' example and been exemplary examples of God's grace. We particularly focused on St Martin Porres and St Vincent de Paul. We created some fact files on their achievements and qualities then reflected/discussed what we as people can learn from them. This became our focus of class collective worship for this week.</p>
Year 6	<p>Monthly Gospel Value</p> <p>Our Gospel Vale we are exploring is</p> <p>Trust</p> <p>How many words can you write down about 'Trust'?</p>