



# St George's Newsletter

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*'Praise ye the Lord. Praise ye the Lord from the heavens: praise him in the heights' - Psalms 148*

## Collective Worship

We started our weeks Collective Worship continuing the theme of 'Thankfulness'. On Wednesday we were led in worship by Father Sam and Jo, a priest in training and they were joined by Year 6 in the hall.

Jo delivered an engaging worship where she asked the children to think about their favourite places in the world. Abdurahman from Year 6 told us his favourite place is 'the beach, because it is sunny, calm and peaceful.' Muslih, also from Year 6, told us his favourite place is 'the fields and the countryside because it is green and natural there.'

The children were then read Psalm 148. Jo explained how Psalms are used to praise all the wonderful things God has given us. She then asked the children to pause for a minute and think about what they would like to praise God for. Once thoughts has been gathered each year group were asked to write their own Psalm.

Year 6 then shared theirs with the school:

*Praise the Lord!*

*Praise the Lord for the human race and family.*

*Praise the Lord for precious skies and heavy clouds.*

*We praise you and thank you for life.*

*Your creation makes me feel overwhelmed, calm, joyful and shocks myself, and others.*

*Praise the Lord for the beauty of this world.*

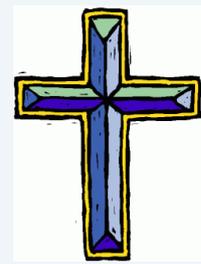
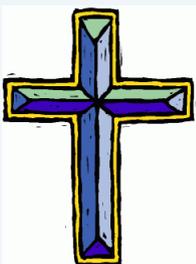
*Thank you God that you are a perfect creator.*

*Praise the Lord!*

From this we learnt that God has blessed us with a beautiful world and we don't need to travel far to find this beauty. Jo also discussed how we all need to help to look after our world to ensure we maintain this beauty!

This morning, Mr Davis led us in prayer, where he talked about the theme of 'gratitude'. The children learnt, through their own ideas, what this word really means. We talked about, and learnt, that there is just so much to be grateful for in all our lives. Each class was then asked to create a 'Hand of Gratitude', stating all the things they are grateful for!

These, along with the class Psalms, will be added to our Tree of Thankfulness in the school hall.



## Sports Day 2021

Your child will have come home this afternoon with a letter regarding this year's Sports Day events. We are extremely pleased to be in a position this year to allow this event to take place, and even offer some accommodation for spectators in line with the government guidance. This year, in line with restriction and government guidance, we will be inviting one parent from **Reception, Year 1 and Year 6** to spectate. More information can be found on your letter.

Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on the day of their Sports Day— this includes their house coloured top.

We will update you of any cancellations due to poor weather conditions on the morning of the events— we are keeping our fingers crossed for excellent weather!



## Children Arriving Late in the Morning

Please can we again, kindly remind parents that if you arrive after the gates have been closed in the morning, you MUST report to the school office with your children and sign the late arrivals register.

Thank you.

## National School Breakfast Programme

The National School Breakfast Programme is pleased to announce the launch of its breakfast at home area on the Family Action website. The breakfast at home area shares with parents the benefits of eating a healthy breakfast, and the impact this can have on their child's readiness to learn, health and wellbeing. It offers tools to support parents in providing a low cost, nutritious daily breakfast, when a school breakfast is not available.

Their easy to navigate breakfast at home website contains six main categories; get organised, nutrition and wellbeing, family fun, top tips, recipes and videos and research. Within these categories are planners, hacks, information about what's in cereal, nutrition factsheets, ideas for weekend breakfast, quizzes and much more.

For more information please visit: [www.family-action.org.uk/BreakfastAtHome](http://www.family-action.org.uk/BreakfastAtHome)



## Workers of the Week:

*Our workers this week are:*

**Rec**- \*Jenah\*- For improved reading during Guided Reading, using her phase 2 sounds.

**Year 1**- \*Xhanan\*- For super progress in his reading.

**Year 2**- \*Amari\*- For some amazing ideas and participation in all lessons, all week. Well done Amari!

**Year 3**- \*Holly, Marion, Troy and Chelsea\*- For winning our homework competition and doing an exceptional job of being a Class Librarian.

**Year 4**- \*Holly\*- For completing extra homework on angles. She made a fantastic poster that clearly explained the different types of angles.

**Year 5**- \*Mame Bousso\*- For some fantastic work in English writing a short narrative

**Year 6**- \*Isac.F\*- For working extra hard in English. Despite missing the first part of his writing, Isac used dialogue independently when he returned!

## Stars of the Week:

*Our Stars this week are:*

**Rec-** *\*Maria\**- For sharing her book with Mohammad during reading time.

**Year1-** *\*Maisey\**- For superb effort in all her learning.

**Year2-** *\*Layla\**- For sharing some great ideas when we came up with actions for our Psalm.

**Year3-** *\*Aymen\**- For using the handwriting skills he has been practising with Miss Ellis to improve his presentation!

**Year4-** *\*Dulcie\**- For showing a really mature attitude during our PSHE lessons.

**Year5-** *\*Sarah\**- For being proactive with her learning - asking for morning activities to improve her maths where she feels less confident.

**Year6-** *\*Shania\**- *For being an excellent role model. Shania always makes the right decisions and makes good choices in school.*



~ **WISHING YOU ALL A WONDERFUL WEEKEND** ~

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