



# St George's Newsletter

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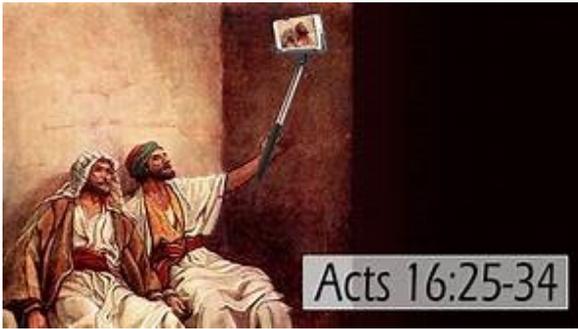
Friday 25th June 2021



*'I will praise the Lord according to his righteousness: and will sing praise to the name of the Lord most high'- Psalms 7:17*

## Collective Worship

We continued the theme of 'thankfulness' in this weeks Collective Worship. On Wednesday, Year 3 took great pleasure in acting out the story of 'Paul and Silas in Prison,' from Acts 16. The other classes certainly enjoyed watching the action from their classrooms too! The children learned that Paul and Silas were imprisoned for telling people about Jesus, but rather than being downcast they sang praises to God. Not only was there an earthquake that helped them to escape; the prison guard was amazed by their example and became a follower of Jesus too. The story taught us about how we can be thankful and joyful even in difficult circumstances, and how good can most certainly come out of adversity.



## Reception/Year 1 Sports Day

Our Reception and Year 1 children had a fantastic, fun and memorable sports day on Wednesday 23rd June. It was great to see all the children having a brilliant time competing in the obstacle, hurdle and relay race. The obstacle race provided lots of entertainment. The faces on the children after they crossed the line, speaks volumes. Thank you children, for your co-operation and sportsmanship during sports day. Many thanks to all the staff who assisted in any way and parents for attending and cheering on the children.



There were mutual feelings of disappointment all around school, as we had to call off the other scheduled sports days due to unsafe surface conditions. This morning, the playground floor had become saturated due to overnight rain- this causing slippery, and potentially dangerous conditions. We would like to apologise for the disappointment. We will endeavour to re-arrange a date for our Year 6 children before the end of term, as this will be their last and final sports day here at St George's.

## Stars of the Week:

*Our Stars this week are:*

**Rec-** \*Nathan\*- For sharing his outstanding reading skills (using phase 3 & 4 sounds) and reading a book to others.

**Year 1-** \*Li\*- For a great start at St George's this week!

**Year2-** \*Renoir\*- For always taking everything in his stride and making Pat and I laugh-he has a great sense of humour!

**Year 3-** \*Riley\*- For super wood work skills! Riley listened carefully to instructions and focussed on the task, so he could be as precise as possible.

**Year4-** \*Kaycee\*- For being a great help at the Reception and KS1 sports day. Despite being upset she gave out the stickers with a smile on her face.

**Year5-** \*Summer\*- For having fantastic enthusiasm while learning our song performance for the production.

**Year6-** \*Taylor\*- For showing kindness during break time. Taylor sat out of football to stay with his friend who was unable to play.

## Workers of the Week:

*Our workers this week are:*

**Rec-** \*Sidra\*- For showing creativity and great mathematical understanding, whilst making a mini beast with an 'odd' number of body parts.

**Year 1-** \*Oba\*- For fantastic effort in his phonics lessons this week!

**Year2-** \*Jason\*- For proving that when he puts his mind to it, he can achieve great things! He did really well in the first reading test, and also produced a super piece of descriptive writing.

**Year3-** \*Subhan\*- For working so hard in his swimming lessons and making great progress!

**Year4-** \*Avneet\*- For her excellent 'William Morris' design for her chocolate box. She experimented with colour and pattern, and Mrs Doyle was very impressed with her finished design. Just need to make the chocolates to go in the box now!!!

**Year5-** \*Tanzel\*- For a beautifully presented and well written narrative completed during our English lessons.

**Year6-** \*Esmael\*- For working exceptionally hard during assessment week. Esmael should feel very proud of the resilience he showed!

## A Message From Father Sam

Dear Parents/ carers,

I am available for pastoral care of everyone in the school community. If you'd like to talk to me, my email address is [vicar@stgeorgesedgbaston.org.uk](mailto:vicar@stgeorgesedgbaston.org.uk) and my phone number is 0121 454 9929. Our services at St George's church are running and open to everyone. Junior church for children takes place at the 10.30am service, you don't need to book before coming.

Many Thanks,

Father Sam

