

Dear Parents/guardians,

We are certainly doing great work as we journey through Lent, thank you for your support.

Catholic life of the School – How can we serve others?

Our Corporal Acts of Mercy:

- "I needed a neighbour" EYFS are collecting donations for the foodbank.
- "I was sick and you visited me" Y1 will be going to sing for the residents at Brian House.
- "I was hungry and you fed me" Y2 family picnic
- "I was thirsty and you gave me a drink" Y3 are making drinks to sell. Money raised will go to CAFOD to pay for a waterpump
- "I was homeless and you gave me shelter" Y4 getting sporty to raise money for Streetllife, a Blackpool charity.
- "I was naked and you clothed me" Please send in your clothing donations year 5 are holding their jumble sale on 21st March at 3:30pm.
- "I was imprisoned and you visited me" Y6 will spend the day 'imprisoned' in their classroom, sponsor money will go to PACT, a national charity that supports the children of prisoners.

Lenten Liturgy

On Tuesday 5th March, a small group of our senior choir represented our school at the Blackpool Catholic Schools Lenten Liturgy at Christ The King. It was a truly engaging worship and showcased The Lord's Prayer beautifully. Thank you to all the children and parents who attended.

Extra sporting opportunities

The girls enjoyed inflatable football this week, courtesy of Mrs Unsworth.

Book Fair and World Book Day

Thank you all for supporting our book Fair this year. We raised a significant amount and as a reward for good sales, school will be able to choose a number of books for our class libraries for free. Thank you again!

What fun we had this World Book Day! We were all so comfy! Children completed various activities and certainly enjoyed being 'raided' by story tellers throughout the day!















School Council

Our school council have a busy week ahead. This week they are embarking on a local area project with Jubilee Gardens. The children intend to plant additional seeds for the garden, as well as create painted pebble gifts. It is lovely that we can do something for our local community.

Young Seasiders' Competition

The work selected by Mrs Brayshaw was proudly displayed at the Blackpool and the Fylde Art Gallery on Palatine Road. Well done to all children that took part. Please go and see it if you can!

Car parking

Again, we ask that parents use the parent car park at the rear of the school for drop off and collection. <u>Seacrest Avenue</u> car park is for staff only and is **not** to be used by parents, other than those with disabled blue badges.

Dates for your diary coming up – SPRING/SUMMER	
12/3/24	Y5/6 Cinema trip
13/3/24	Y3/4 cinema trip
14/3/24	Y4 Passion Play
18/3/24	Y2 trip to Clitheroe Castle
19/3/24	Y5 trip to Alston Observatory
21/3/24	Y6 Church Mass
25/3/24	Holy week
25/3/24	Parents' Evening – please book on school ping.
27/3/24	Break up for Easter holiday at 1:30pm
29/2/24	Good Friday
31/3/24	Easter Sunday
8/4/24	Return to school
11/4/24	Year 1 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
17/4/24	Year 5 class assembly @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
18/4/24	Year 2 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
21/4/24	SCHOOL-LED MASS AT HOLY FAMILY CHURCH 11:30am













