



# St Barnabas

**Tuesday 25th March 2025**


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Garden of  
Gethsemane



A promotional image for Justin Bieber's song 'Easter Song'. Justin Bieber is standing in a field of tall grass, looking off to the side. A large wooden cross is visible in the background. The image is framed by a decorative border of green palm fronds.

# EASTER SONG HOLY JESUS

By Justin Bieber

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# Windows



## Learning about life in all its fullness

These are opportunities to look out at the world to learn, to gaze, to wonder and become aware of the world in new ways; to wonder about life's 'WOWs' (things that are amazing) and 'OWs' (things that are worrying or upsetting).

**I wonder.....**

**Why did that happen?**

# Mirrors



## Learning from life

By exploring our own insights and perspectives, and those of others. These are opportunities for us to look inward and reflect on our experiences, to consider some of the BIG questions of life and consider some possible answers.

**What happened?**

**How did it make you feel?**









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## 'Achieving great things through learning and growing together in a love-filled Christian family'

*'That they shall have life, life in all its fullness' John 10:10*



Our <sup>every</sup> vision for **Child**  
Life in all its fullness;  
Our prayer for  
every heart,  
The **will** to  
make it  
**so.**







# Doors



**Learning to live by putting into action what you believe**

There are opportunities to respond, to **DO** something, to go through the 'door' of a creative expression of our own thoughts and convictions. Putting thoughts and ideas into action and becoming inspiring change-makers and Courageous Advocates, who have the confidence to truly believe that we can make a difference in the world.

**How could you make a difference?**

**What could you do?**

JESUS DIED  
FOR ME SO I  
WILL **LIVE**  
FOR HIM.



# Reflection



How can you 'be kind' and show generosity and 'give' during Lent to help others?



Be kind

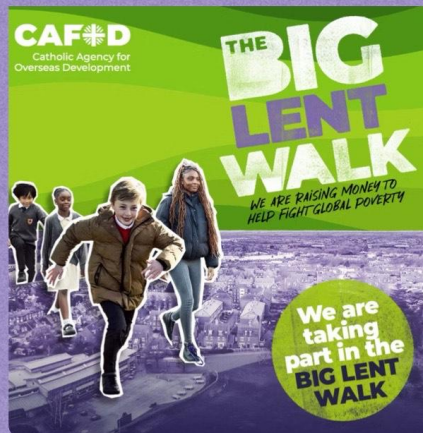
What Would  
Jesus  
Do?



Reception class went on a 2.61km walk to Whitehall park. Therefore collectively they walked 78.3km!!



Beau and Jack have collectively walked 10.3km to Darwen Tower and back. Well done!



Mrs Ham and Mrs Price went on a wet and windy 5 mile night walk to Darwen Tower and around the moors.



Lyla walked 4km and helped out two baby lambs that had just been born, whose Mum was too weak to get up. Wonderful walking and kindness Lyla!



#### Logged a 1.4 km walk

Luca in Year 5 went on an afternoon school stroll.

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Mrs Ham went on a 10.36km sunset walk with her husband, friends and dogs.



Mrs Wilkinson, Isabella and Milo enjoyed a 4.25km sunny Saturday walk. ☀️



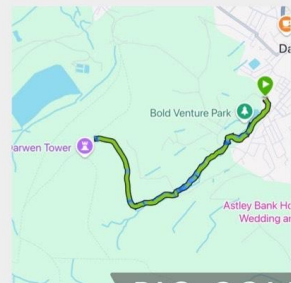
Mrs Wilkinson, Mr Wilkinson and Milo went on a short walk at lunchtime.



Albie in Reception visited Yorkshire Wildlife Park and walked an impressive 9km!



Reuben and Eddie walked 3.8km each to Darwen Tower and back with their Mum! Well done boys!



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Matthew in Year 5 enjoyed an 11km family walk.



Mr Bloomfield and his dog Baxter walked 5km over the moors.



Summer in Year 5 completed a 2km park run.



Our cross country team plus Mr Norris & Mr Mealor completed 1.5 miles each at lunch time. Well done!



# THE BIG LENT WALK

Mrs Ham and Mrs Price walked 6.76km to Tockholes and back at night.



Ralphi in Reception walked to the top of Darwen tower, well done!





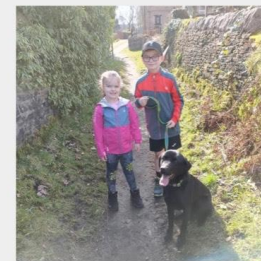
Miss Flynn walked and Rory biked 6km over two days in Lytham and around Nutall Park in Ramsbottom.



Josh, Molly and Evie walked 3km each to Darwen Tower. Well done!



Charlie in Year 4 and Ava in Reception walked 4.4km each with their dog called Mika. Well done!



Alayna and Llewyn walked to Darwen tower and back, around 2.5km each! Super walking!



THE  
BIG  
LENT  
WALK



Mrs Irshad, her husband and her son Charlie walked 4km around Entwistle Reservoir.



Josh, Molly and Evie walked 4km each in Manchester and around the museum too.



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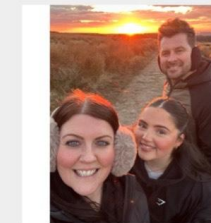


# THE BIG LENT WALK

Miss Woods walked 4.4km with Ernie in Windermere this morning. 😊😊



Mrs Ham went on a sunset walk with her husband, daughter and their two dogs.



Ella in Year 5 walked 9km over Darwen Moor with her Mum and Dad. Fantastic walking! 😊😊



Zac went on a 3.5km walk yesterday at Roddlesworth Woods. He enjoyed hunting for invisible monsters and collecting some treasures. Well done!



Mrs Ham walked 9.8km over Darwen Moor with her friend, Mrs Harrison, who is the Headteacher at St Aidan's, which is in our Cidari Trust. 😊



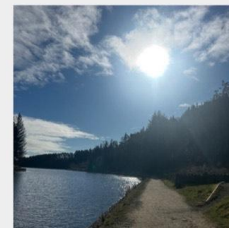
Phoebe and her brother Max walked 2.2 miles. Super walking!



Olly and his Mummy went on a 5km walk to Darwen Tower. Well done!

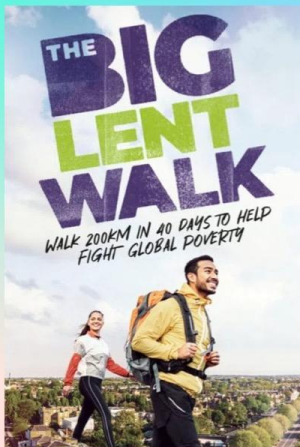


Mrs Ham walked 7.12km around Entwistle Res with Mrs Price and their dogs on Sunday morning! 😊😊



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The children in Reception walked 3.5km each this week to contribute further to our Big Lent Walk in aid of CAFOD.



Mrs Ham went on a sunset walk over Darwen Moor with Mr Ham and their dogs. They walked 5.85km. 🇬🇧



Mrs Gardner walked 25.75km (16 miles) over Darwen Moor with her husband and their dogs. Super walking! 😊



Year 6, Mrs Ham, Mr Prescott, Mrs Capitelli and Miss Woods walked over 25km each around London on their two day London trip. Amazing walking! 😊🇬🇧



Archie and his Mummy walked 2 miles to Whitehall Park.



Mrs Wilkinson went on a 6km walk in Harrogate with her family and her sister's family too.



Mrs Ham and Mrs Harrison walked 10.4km to the Albert Wainwright Memorial in Blackburn and around Witton Park.



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DO LENT  
GENEROUSLY





# 4 acts School wallchart

Sundays are rest or catch-up days

<b>#generosity</b> 1 List 5 things you are thankful for	<b>#encouragement</b> 2 Surprise someone with a compliment	<b>#provision</b> 3 Do you have a duplicate of something, like a sticker or toy? Consider giving one to someone who'll love it.	<b>#connection</b> 4 Smile at ten people today
<b>#share</b> 5 Share a ruler, eraser or colouring pencils with someone who asks to use them	<b>#language</b> 6 Learn to say hello to someone in their first language	<b>#wonder</b> 7 Tell someone what makes them special to you. This can be in a letter, or in conversation	<b>#offerings</b> 8 Decorate a giving jar to start collecting loose change, or pocket money that you save just to give away
<b>#blessing</b> 9 Help with washing up after art lesson or load the dishwasher at home/child-minders or school	<b>#support</b> 10 Say thank you every time someone does something for you today, no matter how small	<b>#brew</b> 11 Offer to get a drink for a grown up or fill a friend's water bottle	<b>#seen</b> 12 Smile at everyone who goes past you
<b>#bestow</b> 13 Make a poster about a local food bank and share it with your class	<b>#hospitality</b> 14 Leave fresh water or seeds out for the birds, or refill your pet's food/water bowl at home	<b>#appreciation</b> 15 Find something you have in common with 5 different people	<b>#equip</b> 16 Find something broken and fix it
<b>#feed</b> 17 Thank the person who gave you lunch today	<b>#value</b> 18 Notice something an adult in school does today to help you and say thank you	<b>#message</b> 19 Draw a picture that will make someone smile and give to them	<b>#kindness</b> 20 Offer to carry someone's schoolbag or allow someone to take your place in the lunch queue

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<b>#wisdom</b> 21 Help someone with a task they find difficult, like reaching or putting on shoes	<b>#converse</b> 22 Learn how to say 'hello' in sign language	<b>#family</b> 23 Make a friendship bracelet and give it away	<b>#care</b> 24 Tidy up for someone without being asked
<b>#gratitude</b> 25 Make a thank you card for your classroom/school cleaners	<b>#service</b> 26 Offer to carry a friend's schoolbag	<b>#presence</b> 27 Help someone with a challenge and support them until they're confident	<b>#prayer</b> 28 Take some time to sit quietly and give thanks for all the things you have and all the people you love
<b>#champion</b> 29 Turn the lights off as you leave an empty room throughout the day	<b>#neighbour</b> 30 Is there someone in your class or school you haven't talked to? Start a conversation and see where it leads	<b>#nourish</b> 31 Eat the healthy bits of your lunch first and really enjoy any treats	<b>#believe</b> 32 Ask your teacher to tell you a story of a time when they were generous, or experienced generosity
<b>#rock</b> 33 Cheer when someone does something great today	<b>#light</b> 34 Turn a piece of scrap paper into something artistic and give it away to someone	<b>#welcome</b> 35 Invite someone to sit next to you at lunch today	<b>#percentages</b> 36 Let someone go ahead of you in a queue
<b>#love</b> 37 Tell someone how much you love them, then show them with little acts of love	<b>#gifts</b> 38 Share one of your favourite things with a friend	<b>#time</b> 39 Ask someone how they are feeling today and listen to their answer	<b>#reflect</b> 40 Congrats on reaching 40! Share which challenges were your favourite





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4

Smile at ten people today



# Stories of the Bible

Jesus Prays  
in Gethsemane







# Year of Prayer



## Jesus Prays in the Garden of Gethsemane

**What or who is on your mind?**

**Share with Jesus what is on your mind.**

**Draw or write who or what are you thankful for?**









"Dear God, thank you for Jesus, who loved us so much that he went to a garden called Gethsemane.

He was sad and scared, but he prayed to you, even though he knew he would have to suffer.

We know it was hard for him, but he did it because he loved us.

Help us to love others like Jesus loves us, and to be kind and caring, even when it's hard. Amen."



When I think about the cross,  
When I think of Jesus.  
I'm reminded of his love,  
Love that never leaves me.  
Who am I that he should die,  
Giving life so freely?  
When I think about the cross,  
Help me to believe it.

