

St Bartholomew's C.E. Primary School

"Follow Jesus in all we do"

John 12:20-33 **Jesus Predicts His Death**²⁰ Now there were some Greeks among those who went up to worship at the festival. ²¹ They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, with a request. "Sir," they said, "we would like to see Jesus." ²² Philip went to tell Andrew; Andrew and Philip in turn told Jesus. ²³ Jesus replied, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴ Very truly I tell you, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds. ²⁵ Anyone who loves their life will lose it, while anyone who hates their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ Whoever serves me must follow me; and where I am, my servant also will be. My Father will honour the one who serves me.²⁷ "Now my soul is troubled, and what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it was for this very reason I came to this hour. ²⁸ Father, glorify your name! "Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it, and will glorify it again." ²⁹ The crowd that was there and heard it said it had thundered; others said an angel had spoken to him.³⁰ Jesus said, "This voice was for your benefit, not mine. ³¹ Now is the time for judgment on this world; now the prince of this world will be driven out. ³² And I, when I am lifted up^[2] from the earth, will draw all people to myself." ³³ He said this to show the kind of death he was going to die.

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Dear Parents/Carers, 22nd March 2024

We are very excited to announce that next term, we will have **Basics Junior Theatre School** delivering after school clubs exclusively in Great Harwood, at St Bart's! Basics is located in Burnley and offers amazing opportunities for children of all ages. The club encourages active participation and develops self confidence. Many students go on to perform on the West End and worldwide!

If you have any worries, concerns or just general questions; please do not hesitate to contact the school office or email m.gaston@st-barts.lancs.sch.uk Thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 27th March – Cake Competition/Cake Sale
Thursday 28th March – Year 3 Easter Worship in Church 9:15am.
Thursday 28th March – School closes for the Easter Break
Monday 15th April – School re-opens 8:40am
Friday 19th April – Hop, Skip & Jump for Lancashire Hospice

CLUBS NEXT HALF TERM

Monday (5wks) – DANCE CLUB Cheerleading (£20 Cash only)

Tuesday (6wks) – PROGRESSIVE SPORT Badminton/Tennis Year 1, Year 2 & Year 3 (£24 pay direct)

Wednesday (5wks) – iCan KS1 - Leaflets home tonight (£25 Cash only)

Thursday (6wks) – PRO SPORT 8am Various Sports. Rec – Y2 (Provided through school)

Thursday (6wks) – PRO SPORT 3:30pm -4:30pm Girls Football Y3 – Y6 (Provided through school)

Friday (5wks) – iCan KS2 - Leaflets home tonight (£25 Cash only)

Letters and links for all the clubs will go home on Monday. If your child would like a place on any of these, please return the slip on Wednesday 27th March.

SPRING IS COMING

Just a reminder that the clocks go forward an hour on Sunday 31st March

Primary school places will be confirmed on **Tuesday 16th April**

YEAR 4

This week in D.T we have started sewing our book covers which are all Harry Potter themed. We cannot wait to see the finished products next week.

YEAR 1

We have been busy with our D.T unit of work, Moving Storybooks, this week. We investigated different ways to make the characters in our books move. We have been working hard to create the pages, making them bright and colourful. We have also cut our characters and made the mechanisms we are going to use to make the characters move.

YEAR 2

We have been incredibly busy designing and making our very own photo frames this week. We spent time creating pictures in computing and then designed the shape and look of the frame based on the person it was for. Year 2 children will bring them home early next week to share with you.

CRAZY CRACKERS

For before/after school and holiday childcare, please email info@crazy-crackers.co.uk

HOLIDAY CLUB

There will be a HAF club running during the Easter holidays here at St Bart's from **2**nd – **12**th **April**. Please click on the link to book a place. https://progressive-sports-lancashire.classforkids.io/camp/27

BEESTINGERS HIS NETBALL

We are very proud to announce that we are currently second in the league for the Hi5 Netball

YEAR 4 & YEAR 5

We have been very lucky to secure trips to the Lancaster Archive and Imperial War Museum, provided by the Memorial Park Project. Details will go home in a letter to Y4 and Y5 on Monday.

YEAR 3

In our RE lessons this week we have taken a journey through Holy Week. We have been discussing different thoughts and feelings that people would have at different points in the week. We also considered if we thought Easter was a sad or joyful time. Although we discussed the sadness, we also explored the celebrations linked with this important festival. We used what we had learnt to create pieces of artwork and gave us lots of ideas to include in our worship.

FREE LOCAL EVENT

PROSPECTS are holding a free Bird Feeder Crafting Session at Bank Mill House, Church Street, Great Harwood on Friday 5th April, 1pm – 3pm. Everyone welcome to attend (see poster attached).

EYFS

This week we have been talking about why the cross is important to Christians and we used this to create our Easter cards. We also used our knowledge of mixing colours to create some beautiful pieces of art.

We would like to say a big Thank You to our special visitor in EYFS this week - Police officer, Amelia. We used what we had been learning about in class to ask lots of questions about what the job involves.

YEAR 6

This week we have been using our understanding of animal classification to create our own animal that has similar characteristics of others in its class. We have also used laptops to research monumental achievements of the ancient Maya, we then began to create arguments for our final topic write up next week that answers the question: Why should we remember the Maya?

ATTENDANCE

Well Done to our **Year 2** class for the best attendance this week! Unfortunately they didn't quite manage 100% with 0 lates so they didn't win breakfast. The class with 100% attendance and 0 lates next week will be invited to breakfast at 8:30am on **Monday 15th April**.

YEAR 5

We have been designing our very own Viking house in DT. We have analysed how the Vikings made their houses and with what materials. They realised that Viking houses didn't have any windows or chimneys and the animals slept in the same part of the house as the family. It would have been quite smelly!

TRIPS

Reception – Blackpool Zoo / Monday 20th May Y3 - Stump Cross Caverns / Tuesday 11th June Y4 - Lancaster Castle / Thursday 13th June Y5 - Jorvick Viking Centre / Tuesday 18th June Y2 - Kenyon Hall Farm / Wednesday 19th June Y1 - Sea life Centre / Tuesday 9th July