

St. Bernard's

Friday 12th June 2020

Weekly



Catholic Primary School & Nursery.

News

Good morning St. Bernard's, Lions, Tigers, Leopards, Bears, Penguins, Sharks, Seahorses, Dolphins and Ducklings.

If we were in school and it was assembly time we would have gathered in the hall listening to 'You raise me up' West Life.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t7tGUNVrqPs>

I am sitting in my office listening to it now - imagining you all in the hall together. It makes my eyes water (well maybe a few tears fell!) It made me feel sad that we can't all be together still, but it also made me smile too thinking of you all. In the song it says I am strong when I am on your shoulders. We are all stronger together because we are a family. We are all also part of God's family and we are all so much stronger with God.

Then we would have shared the Gospel John 3:16-18. We would have talked about how Nicodemus went to see Jesus at night as he felt it was dangerous to be seen with Jesus. Important people wouldn't like it! The most important thing Jesus told Nicodemus was that God loves us - he loves us so much that he gave us his son Jesus. Jesus did not come to judge people but to give us life. Nicodemus did not need to sneak around in the dark, he could live in the light of Jesus' love and so can we.

We would have talked about not judging people, not being prejudiced. I know that some of you would have talked about 'Black Lives Matter'. We would have thought about whether our actions show that black lives matter to us and what more we can do to make the world a better place - a place without prejudice. We may have talked about other groups of people who face prejudice.

We would have said our school prayer ending with ..

Help us to make our school a lovely place - a place of peace.

We would have added a line ...

Help us to make our world a lovely place - a place of peace and justice.

We would probably have talked for too long because I know this is important to you. Hopefully we would still have had time for a short Sacred Silence.

We would have finished with the hymn - Live in us. There is usually a whispered "yessss!", when you know we are singing this hymn.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dS1aR2pgQLg>

So much love from Mrs Barlow

A letter has been sent with this newsletter & by the APP for parents of children in Years 2 & 5 about returning to school.

We asked you to stay in touch....

We love getting your pictures of things your children are doing at home - please keep sending them in.

Are you all watching *Celebrity Supply Teacher* on CBBC? On Monday, Isadora from year 2 will be asking a question to Gary Lineker about Spanish.

Kidz 4 Kidz

This fantastic local company usually perform two shows a year and the profits go to helping a local child.

This year they are raising money to buy a wheelchair attachment to help a 9 year old. The rehearsals and show have been cancelled but they are doing a virtual show via TwitchTV; so people can learn routines off the website, then email in clips to the kidz4kidz email address and they will be edited to put into the show.

For more information on how to take part 'like' the kidz4kidz Facebook page or visit www.kidz4kidz.co.uk & click on "virtual show videos"

WE HOPE TO SEE SOME OF YOU IN THE SHOW!

Welcome Evelyn Dawn
Hince born 4th June
15.57pm 6lb 6oz.
Congratulations from us all
at St. Bernard's



Yesterday was the Feast of Corpus Christi - on Sunday there will be a "procession" to view from St. Walburge's. The link will be sent through the APP & the service booklet is available too.



Orlagh's cat Coco has given birth to lockdown kittens!! 6 kittens on 6th June!



Friends of Harris Park

Lillie-Mai and her sister Bellatrix will be reunited with their "adopted Ponies" Benji and Babe today for the first time since lockdown. They are going for a Trek near Beacon Fell and then will spend some time grooming them afterwards

Mrs Adams, who recently taught here in Reception, is part of a Facebook group collecting photos and personal memories from the people of Preston who have connections to this beautiful and historic place. Can you help?



Maya has made a Monstrance which she carried in her Church procession.



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