



„Treat others the way you would like to be treated yourself“

10th June 2022

Message from Mrs Procter



Welcome back to our final term of the year, this year is really flying by! We started our week with Father Louis celebrating the feast of Pentecost together in the hall which was really special. This week our KS2 children enjoyed their sports day, I was sorry that I missed it but have been home this week with a stomach bug. We have been very lucky this year and managed to get all three sports days completed on the day that we planned- a miracle with our weather!

I have some very exciting news to share with you all. We have been successful in our bid with the diocese to secure funds to remove the mobile and replace it with a new modular building which will hold two classrooms, two cloakrooms and a set of toilets! We are delighted to have secured the funding but realise that we are at the start of a very long process before we can actual have the new classrooms- I will try and be patient. The mobile building was supposed to be a temporary building that was to be replaced after five years but has been with us for over 17 so it is definitely time for a change.

We are planning our works for the summer holidays as you know we never stand still at CTK, this year we have planned a new office refurb, new staff toilets in the infant building, painting of the covered walkway, a re-vamp to our FS1 outside area, building a new pod for the children to work in as well as touching up any areas around school that are starting to look tired- I like to keep Mr Young and Mr Newell busy.

Weekly Reflection

Ethos Statement – I know what human dignity means and show that I respect others

This week, we have reflected upon one of the pillars of Catholic Social Teaching - respect for the dignity of the human person. As it says in Jeremiah:
"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you."

We believe every human person is made in the image and likeness of God. This is a gift that we all share as fellow human beings; we are all infinitely loved by our Creator. God is present in every human person, regardless of religion, culture, nationality, orientation or economic standing. Each one of us is unique and beautiful. We are called to treat every person and every creature with loving respect. Our scripture reading this week was the story of Jesus healing a man with Leprosy. We were reminded that Jesus was a great example of how we should treat others. He cared for the man and showed him gentleness even when others wanted nothing to do with him.

Over the year, we have been working on helping others feel a sense of dignity through anti-bullying week, food drives for the hungry, raising money for the sick, refugees and those in Ukraine, and those that needed clean water. Our Faith Leaders, Mini Vinnies and School Council members are also learning about older generations and the care they need. As always at Christ the King, we live out our mission statement to 'Treat others the way we would like to be treated ourselves.'

The following children have shown they know what human dignity is this week:

FJH	Clancy Mooney	1DK	Jake Edwards	2RL	Hannah Pannell
FJH	Daniel Platten	1DK	Harry Farnin Roden	2RL	Annie Battle
FCB	Niamh Oakley	1SH	Ryan Wu	2HW	River Roberts
FCB	Jake Lewis	1SH	Oliver Speirs	2HW	Grace Murphy

3EJ	Isla Cameron Richards	4LS	Georgie O'Neill	5AY	Max Jones
3EJ	Ben Burton	4LS	Lennon Balmer	5AY	Zoe Evans
3DJ	Edward Smith	4HK	Lily Ralph	5RM	Mia Loughran
3DJ	Olivia Hatton	4HK	Lily Trzybinska	5RM	Poppy Glascott

6KH	Sam Keeley
6KH	Edward Merrin
6GA	Ava Baily-Root
6GA	Robyn Paterson

House Points

Last week's winners:

The points were extremely close this week – well done everyone!

Key Stage 1	Mark	Key Stage 2	Luke	Overall	Luke
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Parish News

Children's Liturgy has resumed at the Sunday 10:00 Mass at Christ the King Church. It has been lovely to see some of our families there and we welcome more of you. Children gather with a parent at the back of church before Mass and then process into church and over to the parish hall where they will do age-related activities reflecting upon the Gospel.

We look forward to seeing you there and maybe joining the parish for tea, coffee and biscuits in the parish hall afterwards. Church is also open from 8:30 before school if you would like to pop in and light a candle and offer up a prayer.

PE Uniform Update

Please ensure your child wears the correct PE uniform. This includes the white school PE top and burgundy school shorts. In cooler weather, black LONG leggings or jogging pants may be worn instead of shorts. We have recently had a number of black cycling shorts being worn but these are not part of our school uniform.


Pentecost


Fr Louis led us in our whole school liturgical prayer this week. He spoke to us about the importance of the Holy Spirit coming into our lives at Pentecost and how the apostles changed. We too are asked to invite the Holy Spirit into our lives each day as we grow to be more and more like Jesus. Fr Louis reminded us that we are the future of the church.



Diversity Day

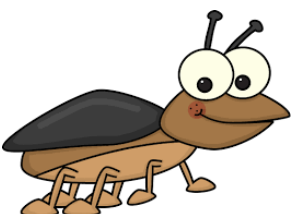
Friday 24th June 2022 is our School Diversity Day. This year we are having an Art Focus enrichment

Day.  Each year group will share work of a diverse artist and create their own interpretation. On this day the children can come to school dressed in your favourite colour. As bright as you like

to share the joy 

Beetle Drive-Minnie Vinnies/Faith Leaders/School Council

The Mini Vinnies, Faith Leaders and School Council have teamed up to organise a Beetle Drive for Parishioners on **Monday 20th June** from 1:30 until 2:45. The children are asked to bring in some cakes, biscuits or buns on that morning please.



If any parents/grandparents would like to come along to help organise making hot drinks on the Monday afternoon it would really be appreciated. Please let Miss Jones know.

Brass lessons and Brass Band

Reminder that there will be no Brass Band or lessons next Wednesday 15th June.

Playzone- Join the Team!

Playzone Before and After School Club are seeking a happy, enthusiastic Level 3 playworker to join their team! The position is term time only, consisting of morning and afternoon sessions so flexibility is essential.

For further information, please contact Louise Somers or Cath Ravenscroft at Playzone, Monday to Friday 4pm-6pm on 07787664688. We look forward to meeting you!

Little Acorns FS1 Trip to Church Farm

On Thursday 30th June Little Acorns will be taking a trip to Church Farm in Thurstaston. The cost of the trip will be £14 per child and will be payable via ParentPay.

On the day of the trip please send your child to school with a packed lunch and a bottle of water, a waterproof coat and wearing their own clothes but with school sweatshirt for safety. Please let Mrs McDowell know if you do NOT wish your child to go so that we can arrange staffing etc.

Year 2 trip to Ness Gardens

On June 30th, Y2 will be visiting Ness Gardens for the day to coincide with our Science topic of 'Plants'. Children can wear their own clothes on the day, provided that it is sensible and comfortable for a day outdoors- please could they wear their school jumper though. A school lunch will be provided for each child, but could they please have with them a water bottle and sun hat. Please apply sun cream in the morning (weather permitting). The cost of the trip is £10.50 per child, please could this be paid via ParentPay as soon as possible. Thank you- we're praying for good weather! - Year 2 Team.

N.B: Please complete payment for the trip on Parent Pay at your earliest opportunity if you have not already done so. Many thanks

Year 3 Prayer Sponsor Thank You

Year 3 had an enjoyable afternoon on Wednesday. They got to meet their prayer sponsors, play Bingo and have an afternoon of fun. Thank you for keeping us in your prayers over the last few months. We really appreciated it. Thank you also to everyone who donated refreshments and raffle prizes.



*Church have contacted school to send thanks on behalf of the Prayer Sponsors and Parishioners for a wonderful afternoon.



Year 3 Chester trip

Year 3 had a great day in Chester and they managed to avoid the worst of the rain! They became Roman soldiers and marched loudly around Chester as well as learning some of the fighting formations that they would have used. They enjoyed looking around the museum and finding out about Roman toilets in particular! They ended the day by heading over to the baths, River Dee and Roman walls and discussing why the Romans may have

decided to use Chester or Dewa as their biggest fort. Everyone behaved themselves and did our school proud. Well done!

Year 5 Greek Day

On Friday 15th July Year 5 will be having a Greek Day in school led by the Year 5 team. We are inviting children to participate in the day by dressing in traditional Ancient Greek clothing and, if they wish, to bring in an item of greek food to enjoy a feast. The children will take part in a variety of art, DT and musical activities throughout the day. If you have any questions please contact your child's class teacher.

Summer Showcase Concert - Ticket Information

Children of the choir, brass band, guitar and recorder club have been issued with two tickets per family for our 'Summer Showcase Concert' on 24th June in church. Please return any tickets you will be not using and any spare tickets will be available at the office on a first come first served basis. Many thanks, Mrs Hunter.

Dates For Your Diary

Monday 13 th June	New FS1 Parents meeting 5-6pm
Monday 20 th June	New FS2 Parents meeting 5-6pm
Monday 20 th June	Beetle Drive Mini Vinnies and Faith Leaders (Change of date)
Wednesday 22 nd June	Floral Dance Festival Y5/6
Friday 24 th June	Diversity Day (Enrichment Day 2)
Friday 24th June	Summer Showcase Concert 6pm-8pm (Christ the King Church) *
Monday 27 th June	6GA Residential Tattenhall
Tuesday 28 th June	6KH Residential Tattenhall
Thursday 30 th June	FS1 Trip to Church Farm
Thursday 30 th June	Year 2 trip to Ness Gardens
Wednesday 13th July	FS2 Trip to Thurstason Beach **
Friday 15 th July	Year 5 Greek Day
Friday 15 th July	Year 6 'Activity for All' Fun Day
Tuesday 19 th July	Year 6 Leavers Mass 5-6pm
Thursday 21 st July	School closes for Summer Holidays at 1:30pm

***Change from original venue as the Civic Centre is unavailable**

**** Information with regards to trip and payment to follow in next weeks Newsletter**