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Treat others the way you would like to be treated yourself.

7th October 2022

Message from Mrs Procter



I have sent out the building fund letter this week so would ask all parents to pay the £15.00 as requested by the Diocese as soon as they can. This year we will be applying for a large portion of the fund to enable us to finally replace our old and tired mobile. The plans have been drawn up for two new modular classrooms with toilets, (so our children will not have to run outside in the rain) the building will be a huge improvement and we are so excited to have finally been given a start date- watch this space!

This week I had my first working lunch with our new Heads and Deputies, they were delighted by the spread that the kitchen made for them. We discussed the projects for this term, any issues that they felt I needed to address around school and planned our Worships for the term- all in all it was a very productive lunch, although my to do list increased.



Thank you to all of our parents who have asked about Mrs Haigh, I am pleased to inform you that she does not require any further treatment and once she has healed properly she will be returning to work. Mrs Haigh is keen to return to work as she is missing our CtK family and is already planning the Christmas Nativity but she has to listen to medical advice so we will see her in a few weeks.

Weekly Reflection

Ethos Statement - I can laugh and have fun

Our focus this week was on Therese of Lisieux. When Jesus; disciples asked Him how do they become great, he had a very surprising answer for them. He said to them that they needed to become as little as a small child. Babies can't do anything by themselves and are reliant on others for everything. What he was trying to say was if you want to be great you need to rely on God for everything. God will always be there for us at all times. St Therese of Lisieux tried to follow this teaching and would turn to God for his help constantly throughout his day. She referred to herself as a little flower in God's beautiful garden. Therese was happy knowing that God noticed even the little flowers in his garden and that He saw every little act of kindness that she did. So every day she would look for simple things to show others her love even if it was giving someone a smile or saying something kind. She always wanted to do the small things right and do them all with love. Our mission is to think of all the little ways that we can help others each day. The following children can all laugh and have fun:

FJH	Connor Edwards	1DK	Zofia Cooper	2RL	Seb Sanderson
FJH	Audrey Hughes	1DK	Amelia Silcock	2RL	Erin Loughran
FBG	Kiera Jones	1SH	Eva Lockwood	2HW	Max McCrary
FBG	Arthur Peers	1SH	Ted Evans	2HW	Daisy Shaw

3EJ	James Taylor	4HS	Molly McGuiness	5AY	Grace Sutton
3EJ	Jessie Bastow	4HS	Darcy Williams	5AY	Jaxon Jagger-Tippey
3DJ	Emily Manford	4HK	Ben Burton	5MJ	Daisy Downey
3DJ	Henry Nicholas	4HK	Thomas Salter	5MJ	Thomas Roberts

6KH	Michael Williamson		
6KH Anna Jarmulkowicz			
6RM Emmy-Rose Hulse			
6RM Isabelle McCabe			

House Points

Last week's winners:

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Altar Servers

We are looking to recruit and train children from year 4 and above, who attend Christ the King Parish, as our new cohort of altar servers. If your child would like to be involved and can commit to serve Mass at least once per month, please contact Mrs Barker to express an interest by half term. We will then find mutual dates to start training. lbarker@christtheking.wirral.sch.uk.

Travelling Rosaries

It has been wonderful seeing photos and videos of the children praying the rosary at home over the week. Please do take part in this lovely opportunity. We ask that when it is your turn, you make sure everything comes back to school in the bag the following day so that the next person can take them. Thank you. We hope you enjoy spending time with your children in this special way.



Harvest Festival



On Thursday 20th October, we will be holding our own prayer service of thanksgiving for the harvest. We are asking for goods that can be distributed to the local Foodbank.

The Mini Vinnies will be coming around classes to collect any non-perishable goods from Monday 17th October. You can also bring items in on the day.

Some suggested items may include:

Rice pudding, pasta, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, long life milk, pasta sauce, squash, coffee, nappies (different sizes), toilet rolls, tea, tinned soup, tinned meat, rice, instant mash, sugar, sponge puddings, jam, packet soup, hot chocolate, biscuits etc. Thank you in advance for your continued support.

The Mini Vinnies

Year 3 Parents

In our RE lessons this half term we have been looking at Baptism. Next week we are going to re-enact a baptism over in Church. On the day that each class does this (see below) we would like all the children to wear smart clothes like they would wear if they were going to a baptism or another important celebration. They can come to school in these clothes and wear them all day. Please bear in mind that they will be playing out as usual so will need to be warm and have sensible footwear.



- 3EJ Wednesday 13th October
- 3DJ Thursday 14th October

Year 3- Save the Date

We have provisionally booked Saturday 20th May 2023 for Holy Communion for our current Year 3 children. Please add this date to your diaries. We will be in touch shortly with dates for meetings and preparation. Thank you for your continued support.

Guitar and Ukelele lessons

There are spaces available Guitar and Ukulele lessons. The cost for lessons is £7 per group lesson. To sign your child up or for more information please email anthonyormesher@hotmail.co.uk

Electronic keyboard request

If anyone has any electronic keyboards at home that they no longer need and would like to donate to school, we would be very grateful and make good use of them.

Please let school know if you are able to help.

Mr Mackenzie

Year 5 Victorian Day

Year 5 will be having a Victorian day on Thursday 20th October as part of our Victorian topic this term. We will be building on our current learning and taking part in Music, Art and History activities in our classrooms. We are inviting all children to dress in Victorian style clothing as part of our experience day. Purchase of costumes is not necessary, feel free to utilise any materials or clothes you already have at home. If you have any questions please contact your child's class teacher. Year 5 Team

Bible Exhibition

This week, Year 4 took part in a great workshop all about the Bible. They had lots of fun using feathers and ink to write in Hebrew and Greek as well completing various other activities about the Bible texts. We thank our visitors from the Gospel Hall who gave up their own time to come in and work with the children. This supported their work on the Bible that they have been doing in class.

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 or email <u>playzonectk@gmail.com</u>. We look forward to meeting you!

Dates for your Diary

uesday 11 th October	Individual school photographs		
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Wednesday 19th/Thursday 20th October	Parents Evenings		
Thursday 20 th October	Year 5 Victorian Day		
Thursday 20 th October	School closes for Half Tem Break		
Friday 21st October	Inset Day (School closed to pupils)		
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Monday 31st October	Secondary School applications close		
Monday 31st October	School reopens		
Monday 14-18 th November	Anti Bullying Week		
Monday 21st November	UNICEF Day (Blue and white) **		
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Wednesday 7 th December	NHS Flu Vaccinations		
Thursday 8 th December	Floral Pavilion- Whole School		
Friday 9 th December	Christmas Concert 5pm Church		
Friday 16 th December	School closes at 1:30pm for Christmas Break		
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Monday 19th/Tuesday 20th December	INSET days (school closed to pupils)		
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