



The Friday Messenger

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in ordinary Time (Year C)



Our Curriculum Theme is....

The Domestic Church



Year 1	Year 2
Our RE lessons in Year 1 this week have been focussed on the idea that we are all part of God's family. In our first lesson we listened to a story where Jesus explained to two arguing brothers that there were more important things in life than being rich; it is more important to be loving and kind. The children produced some lovely work showing all the different things God loves and cares for. Our second lesson was learning about Jesus' childhood and how he grew up in a loving family.	This week Year Two have been thinking about how God loves us and is always close. We talked about Paul and the letters he write telling people about God's love. We also took part in our first whole class worship session. In this, we thought about beginnings and all the beginnings that have happened in our life that we should be thankful for.
Year 3	Year 4
This week in RE we have continued our topic: Homes. We have been thinking about how Jesus wants us to love one another and looked at the Gospel according to John and how we can love each other like Jesus loves us. We have thought about all that is need for a 'recipe for a happy home'.	This week, Year 4 listened to the story of Isaac's sons- Esau and Jacob and Jacob's twelve sons from The Old Testament. They then worked in groups to dramatise both stories. They also learnt about one of the key women from The Old testament- Ruth and how she lived in God's way through helping and supporting her mother-in-law Naomi.
Year 5	Year 6
This week in Year Five we have been exploring the qualities we have and whether we should share them with others or not. Children learned about the life and works of Helen Prejean. They completed research to learn about the struggles in life that she has overcome and how she has worked to help others overcome problems they may have had.	This week we have continued to look at The Parable of the Prodigal Son, but this time through its representation in artwork. We have explored how the artists portrayed the parable's meaning and have begun to recognise the role of forgiveness as an essential aspect of feeling unconditional love for someone.

Values For Life This month's value is... FRIENDSHIP	Action! <i>Draw your ideal friend and list the qualities that make them a good friend.</i>
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Sacred Heart and St Oswald's Parish News
 PETERBOROUGH FOODBANK is short of the following items: Long life Fruit Juice/Milk, Tinned Meat/Fish, Tinned Tomatoes & Jars of Pasta Sauces, Tinned Fruit & Vegetables, Biscuits and Sweet Treats and Tea – 40 Bags. If you are donating food, please try to give these items, which you can place in the box provided.