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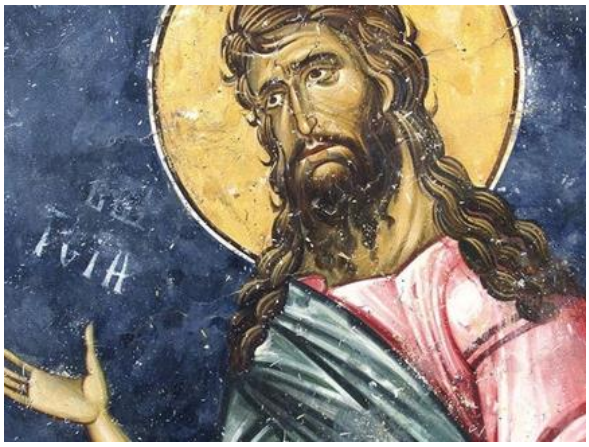
Summer 2 Week 4

Our Virtue to Live By is..... Service

This week in school we have been learning about service throughout our lives. Each one of us is called to serve in our own way and each way is a worthy and vital part of our Christian journey. Christ gave us the ultimate example and the least we can do is put ourselves second when that need arises. Serving others is an opportunity to put our faith into practice.

(Mark 6:1-6): A Prophet Despised in His Own Country

"A prophet is only despised in his own country among his own relations and in his own house"; and he could work no miracle there, though he cured a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.



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Amazon Book Wish Lists

Reading is at the heart of St. Josephs and in preparation for the new school year we have launched our Amazon book wish lists.

Some parents have sent messages and asked if they can still buy books—yes of course! We will keep the links live, just click on the class of your choice, add a book to your basket and click on the address that appears for delivery to school.

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THANK YOU!

Nursery—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1T2PDD05XINY?ref_=wl_share

Upper Foundation—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/AGROQ6BMDTDC?ref_=wl_share

Year 1—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1HU2ARZEN2SAB?ref_=wl_share

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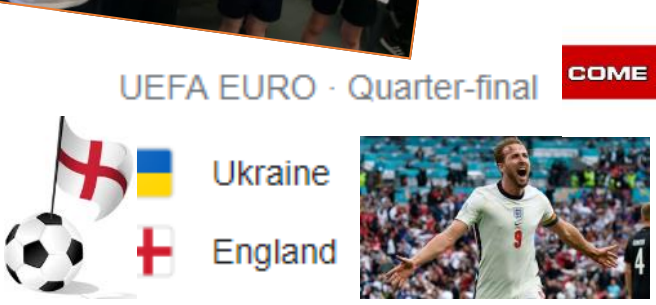
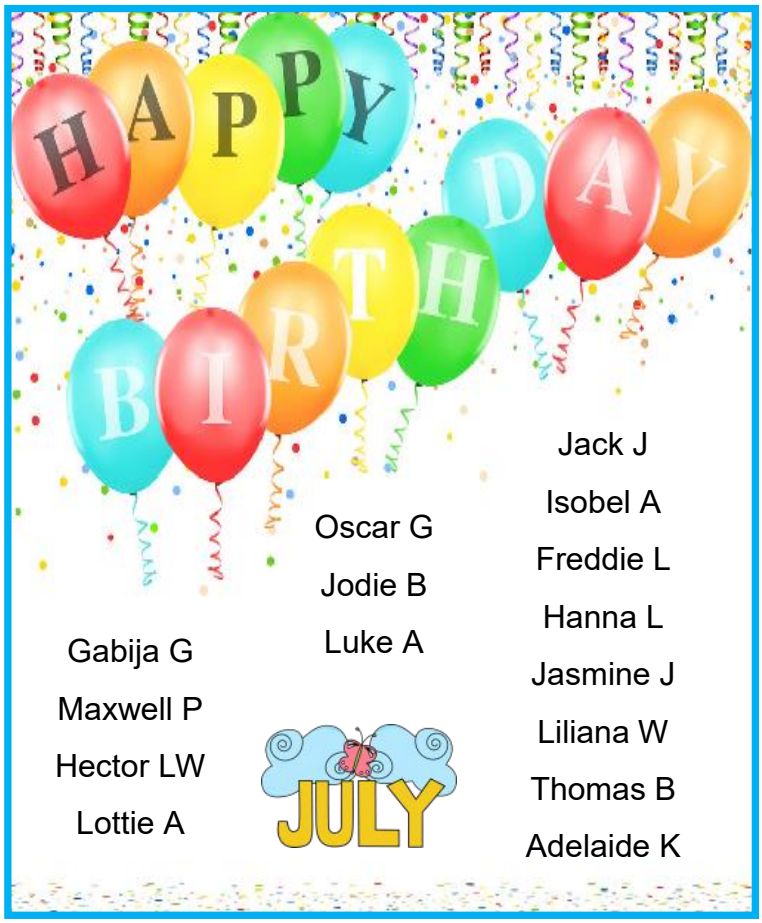
Year 6—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1P17FZH13H748?ref_=wl_share

Friday 23rd July: We will be having a non-uniform day on Friday 23rd July. Please make a donation on school money.

Year 6 Leavers' Mass: This will take place on Tuesday 20th July at 1.30pm. Further details will follow. Please be mindful that we do not know what the restrictions will be at this point, therefore we will keep you updated.





Gabija G
Maxwell P
Hector LW
Lottie A

Oscar G
Jodie B
Luke A

Jack J
Isobel A
Freddie L
Hanna L
Jasmine J
Liliana W
Thomas B
Adelaide K

We are delighted to announce Mrs Mchale's baby has arrived!

Congratulations to Mrs Mchale and her family, our St Joseph's family has just become bigger. I'm sure Mrs Mchale will enjoy each and every moment with her bundle of joy.

Please keep her and her new arrival in your prayers.

Please ensure you follow the attendance procedures by informing the school office about absences and not through class dojo.

Attendance Figures

28.06.21—2.07.21

Reception	98%
Year 1	94%
Year 2	99%
Year 3	95%
Year 4	99%
Year 5	98%
Year 6	99%

Curriculum Star
Mila—Y1
Emily—Y2
Henry—Y2
Evangeline H—Y3
Sienna L—Y3
Savannah J—Y4
Riley W—Y4
Layla K—Y4
Fin—Y6

Star Writer
Michael M—UF
Ethan P—Y1
Jasmine—Y1
Alan S—Y3

Star Reader
Harry W—UF
Lillie G—UF

Star Mathematician
Mia—Y6

Statements to Live by
Eve—Y2
Declan A—Y5
Joseph H—Y5

Volunteers: We are currently still not inviting volunteers into school to support us. This will remain the same in September to allow us time to monitor children coming back to school, to monitor current Covid circumstances and risk assess thoroughly. We of course value our volunteers and the work they undertake in our school a great deal and will therefore invite them back into school next year, as soon as it is safe to do so in line with our covid risk assessment.

On our Reading theme, our French Feature for Friday 2 July is a 'Storytime' or 'l'heure du conte' (in French)

Petit Poulet by Rebecca Emberley - Part One

Laissez-moi vous raconter l'histoire d'un Poulet. Ses amis l'appellent Petit Poulet. Pet-

it Poulet vit dans une petite maison de poulet normale, dans une petite vil le normale.

Let me tell you the story of a chicken. His friends called him Chicken Little. Chicken Little lived in a normal little chicken house in a normal little town.

Il n'est ni grand, ni petit. Il n'est ni gros, ni maigre.
Il n'est ni intelligent ni stupide. Petit Poulet est un poulet tout à fait normal.

He was neither tall nor short. He was neither fat nor thin. He was neither smart nor stupid. Chicken Little was a completely normal chicken.

Par une matinée tout à fait normale, Petit Poulet mange son petit-déjeuner dans la cuisine. Il aime les toasts avec du beurre et le café à la crème.

On a completely normal morning, Chicken Little was eating his breakfast in the kitchen. He liked to eat toast with butter and coffee with cream.

Il lit les nouvelles. Il voit une histoire terrifiante avec un titre terrifiant, qui dit : LE CIEL EST EN TRAIN DE TOMBER!

He was reading the news. He saw a terrifying story with a terrifying headline. It said: THE SKY IS FALLING DOWN!

Il a si peur qu'il laisse tomber son toast dans son café. Plouf !
"Le ciel est en train de tomber ! LE CIEL EST EN TRAIN DE TOMBER ! Je dois prévenir tout le monde!" crie Petit Poulet.

He was so scared that he dropped his toast into his coffee. Plop!
"The sky is falling down! THE SKY IS FALLING DOWN! I have to warn everyone!" shouted Chicken Little.

Part Two will feature next week...

We have seen an increase in children coming to school with Covid symptoms. Please support us in following Government Guidance by not sending your children to school if they have any of the symptoms. For more information visit—

https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms/main-symptoms/

SENCO:

Drop in sessions are available with Mrs Kaushiva on Tuesday afternoons.

If you would like a telephone appointment with Mrs Kaushiva please contact the school office to arrange this.

Learning Mentor and Mental Health first aider drop in sessions:

If you would like a telephone appointment with Mrs Clements please contact the school office to arrange this.

Mrs Clements will be available on Monday afternoons between 2—3pm.

NSPCC Website 'Share Aware' provides straight forward, no-nonsense advice that will untangle the web, and show parents how they can be just as great a parent online as offline. It includes a guide to social networking sites, a parents' guide and tips about how to talk to your child about staying safe online.

Tackling CSE is a priority for West Yorkshire Police and it is the responsibility of everyone to help spot the signs and say something.

How to Become An Expert in Your Child's Online World in 6 weeks.

Please follow the link:

St Joseph's supports and advocates 'Operation Encompass' Operation Encompass is a unique Police and Education early intervention safeguarding partnership which supports children and young people exposed to domestic abuse. Operation Encompass is the reporting to schools before the start of the next school day, when a child or young person has been involved or exposed to a domestic abuse incident the previous evening. It enables children to arrive at school and have their needs met, by trained Child Protection staff, who have been informed of the child's 'experience.' National Domestic Violence 24hr free-phone

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Child Protection Officer– Mrs Velayudhan Tomlin- Head Teacher / Deputy Child Protection Officer: Mrs Jayne Clements –Learning Mentor (Should parents/carers have any child protection concerns they can ring 'Social Care Direct' on 01924 303 456)