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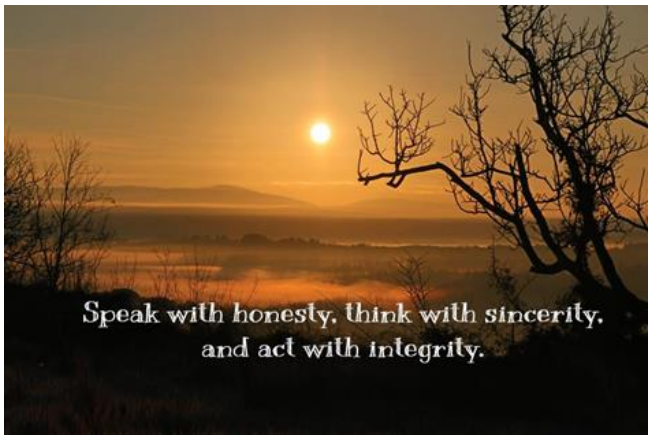
Summer 2 Week 5

9th July 2021

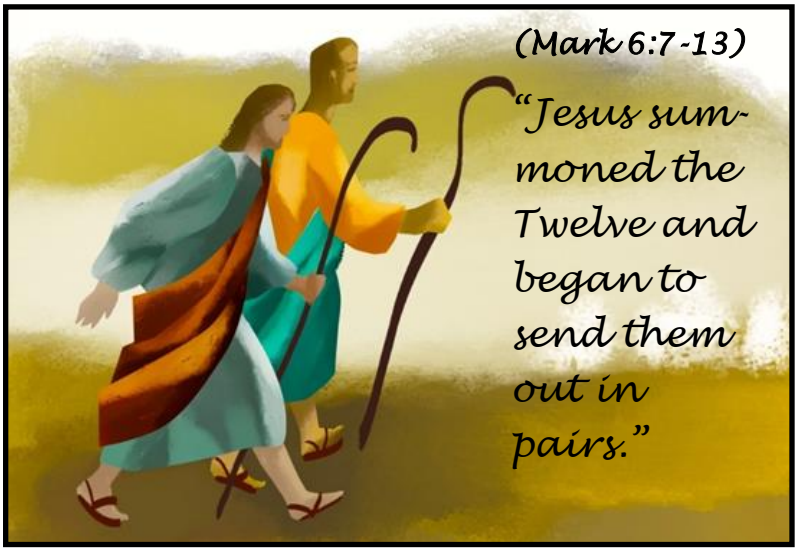
Our Virtue To Live By is Honesty



Honesty leads to a fulfilling, free life. **Honesty** is not just about telling the truth. It's about being real with yourself and others about who you are, what you want and what you need to live your most authentic life. ... **Honesty** sharpens our perception and allows us to observe everything around us with clarity.

We pray for our Holy Communion children who will receive this wonderful gift from God this Saturday.

Thank you, Lord Jesus, O thank you For giving yourself to me. Amen



(Mark 6:7-13)

"Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs."

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Amazon Book Wish Lists

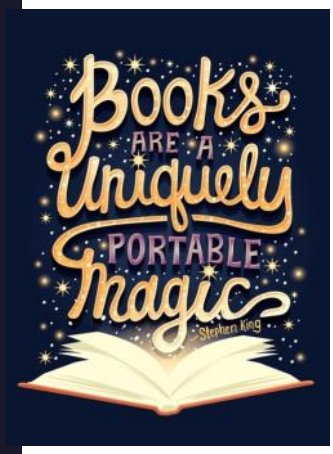
Reading is at the heart of St. Josephs and in preparation for the new school year we have launched our Amazon book wish lists.

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. St Josephs Catholic Primary school, Newgate, Pontefract ,WF8 4AA

Here's a little update on the success of our book wish lists. We have been overwhelmed to receive an amazing 114 books so far

Nursery 10
Upper foundation 25
Year 1 23
Year 2 20
Year 3 11
Year 4 14
Year 5 3
Year 6 8

As you can see we seem to have more donations lower down school, which we are very very grateful for. If anybody would still like to make a book donation from the list then the upper classes would also be very appreciative. 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

Year 2—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/28N5Q1NEEE4MK?ref_=wl_share

Year 3—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/23WQKQPVM3417?ref_=wl_share

Year 4—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/21TFSZFG8ZECV?ref_=wl_share

Year 5—https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1BR7Y15XVHGSA?ref_=wl_share

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

School received a message from Hanna's mum to share something amazing she had done. It was Hanna's birthday and she had a hair cut for the first time ever to then donate the hair to The Little Princess Trust. Hanna did this due to the high costs of making a wig for children who lost their own hair through cancer treatment or other conditions. We are so proud of Hanna that she decided to do something so special for other children and grateful for people who support this.

We congratulate Hanna for this thoughtful Charity work, maybe by sharing this it will encourage others to do something amazing like Hanna!

The website is: https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/hanna-lampart?utm_source=whatsapp&utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=hanna-lampart&utm_campaign=pfp-whatsapp&utm_term=fecd68f8bb924c0eb80b962dc11da607

As you are aware many of you supported school in fund-raising for the adventure play-ground over the last two years. We are delighted to inform you that we have used some of this money to invest in picnic benches and basket ball nets to enhance this area.

We are also hoping to invest in a planting area and a read-ing shed. When stakeholders of a school work together in this way it benefits our chil-dren so thank you to all that supported!

Staffing in September 2021

Interim Executive Head of School: Mrs Cade

Interim Head of School: Mr Sandbach

Lower Foundation: Mrs Birch

Year 1: Mrs Radwell and Mrs Riley

Year 2: Miss Smith

Year 3: Mr Jones

Year 4: Miss Peat

Year 5: Mrs Everett

Year 6: Mrs Kaushiva

From September 2021 we will welcome Miss Smith a newly appointed teaching assistant and Miss Peat a newly appointed teacher to our team.

Mrs Velayudhan Tomlin, headteacher will be on maternity leave.

We currently have a Lunchtime supervisor vacancy. If you would like more information please visit our website—

https://www.sjp.bkcat.co.uk/key-information/vacancies/

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

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

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. As a Trust we have decided to continue to be cautious across all BKCAT schools in the interest of children and staff.

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England national football team

MATCHES | NEWS | TABLE | PLAYERS

UEFA EURO 2020 · Sun, 11 Jul, 20:00

Italy vs England

Final

French Feature – Storytime 'Petit Poulet' continued... deuxième partie/ Part Two

Continuing the story of 'Chicken Little'... J Mme K

D'abord il envoie l'histoire par courriel à ses mille amis les plus proches. Puis il court dans la rue pour prévenir tous les autres.

First, he sent the story to his one thousand closest friends. Then he ran into the street to warn everyone else.

La première personne qu'il rencontre dans la rue est Pauline la poule. Elle revient du supermarché.

The first person he met in the street was Pauline the hen. She was coming from the supermarket.

« Bonjour, Petit Poulet ! » **dit Pauline.** ***« Où vas-tu ? Pourquoi as-tu si peur ? »***
« Le ciel est en train de tomber ! Le ciel est en train de tomber ! » **dit Petit Poulet.**

"Good morning, Chicken Little!" **said Pauline.** ***"Where are you going? Why are you so scared?"***
"The sky is falling down! The sky is falling down!" **said Chicken Little.**

« Vraiment ? Comment le sais-tu ? » **demande Pauline.**
« Je l'ai vu sur journal! » **dit Petit Poulet.**
« Bon sang ! Ça doit être vrai ! » **dit Pauline.** ***« Allons-y ! »***

"Really? How do you know?" **asked Pauline.**
"I saw it on the news!" **said Chicken Little.**
"Oh no! It must be true!" **said Pauline.** ***"Let's go!"***

Safeguarding TEAM

'Screen addiction' is becoming a real problem, which is why it's more important than ever for children and adults alike to learn and develop healthier digital habits.

So we wanted to share this useful resource called **"Understanding Screen Addiction and Responsible Digital Use"** which offers lots of valuable information such as:

- How technology use has changed over the years (72% of adults now consider **smartphones** their **most essential** device)
- The impact of **COVID-19** on **screen time use** and **digital behaviours** (smartphone usage in the UK surged by 30% during lockdown)
- **Understanding screen addictions** and how our devices affect our brains and change our behaviours (e.g. dopamine-driven reward loops)
- Helpful **tips** and useful **advice** for **tackling device addiction**, managing gadget and internet use, and creating healthier digital habits.
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You can check the full guide here -

https://www.comparethemarket.com/broadband/content/screen-usage-guide/

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)