

Feast on respect.

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY CAMPUS MINISTRY

REFLECT WITH US TODAY...

Fast from fear of the future. Feast on God's Providence.

> Saint Louis University Compus Ministry

Walk with us in Lenten reflection today

Fast from lust: Feast on the image of God in others. WALK IN REFLECTION WITH US IN LENTEN REFLECTION...

ast from negativity

Fast from `perfectionism.
Feast on goodness.

PUPIL POST

28th February

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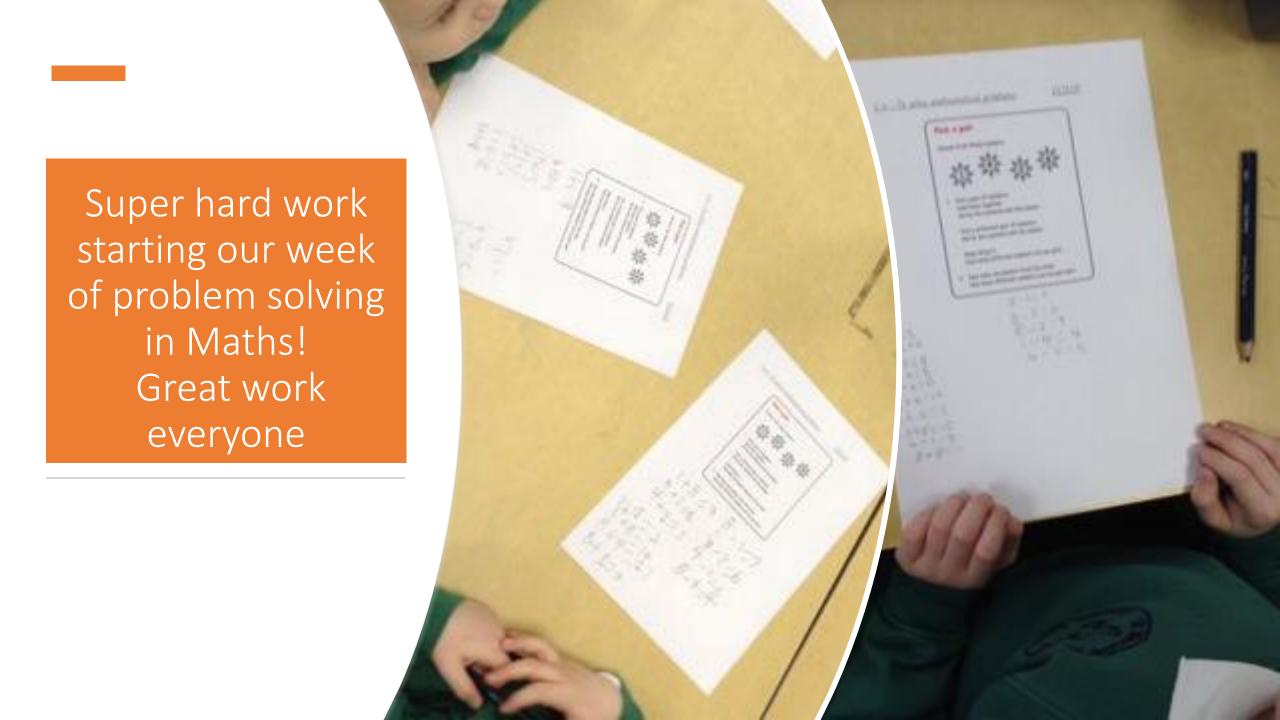
Year 1 Stein class are excited to be hearing their first Traditional tale with a twist! This week we are reading 'The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig'.





"We are putting the little stones in the little stones area!"

"The big stones going in here...cos they don't go in the little stone pile!" "We have a lot in here!"

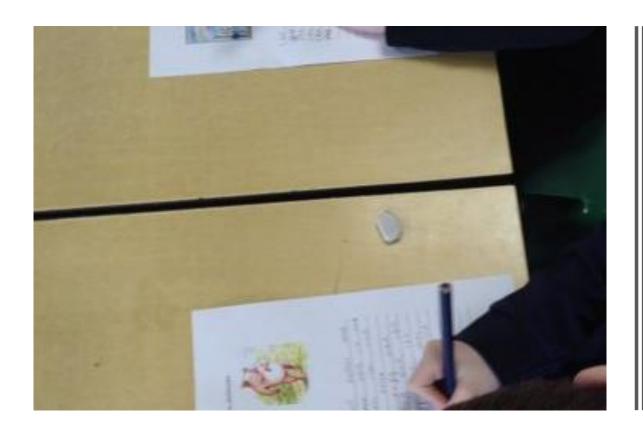








Year 3 went outside for Maths to do a tally on who was walking past. We talked about how different our numbers might be if it was the weekend or sunny.



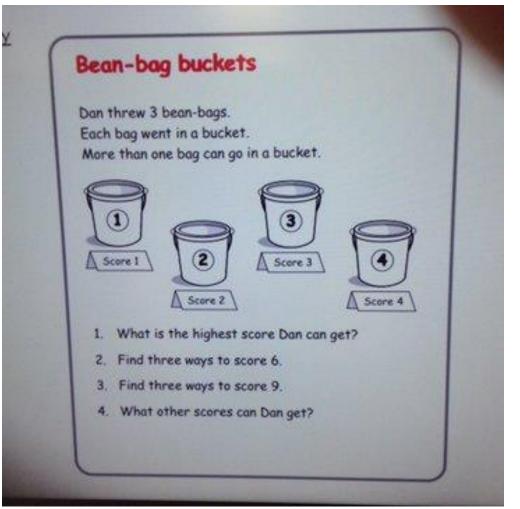


Year 1 have thought of some super ways of describing the 'Big Bad Pig' in our story!

Challenging ourselves to write numbers as far as we can go this morning! We are continuing with our problem solving today - this is quite tricky but we are persevering and trying our best!















The Nursery children have been exploring texture and are beginning to connect ideas.

"Soft, just like jelly!"

"Cold...ice!"

"Making snowballs...big and small. I made 5!"



Keeping fit with a bit of Go Noodle dance this afternoon









The children were very excited to receive new Waffle Bricks. They are learning that information can be relayed in the form of print. "They instructions ... we can make it like this!"

Watercolour painting in Year Six









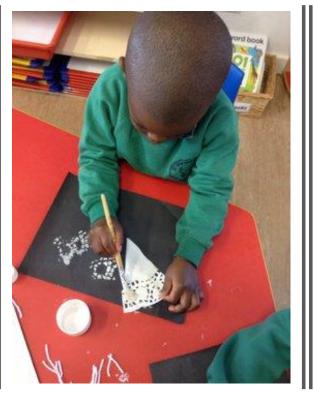




Ready for our first Lenten Virtual assembly of the term.

The recording was
ParentMailed to our
remote learners later that
morning with a special
message at the end to
those at home.









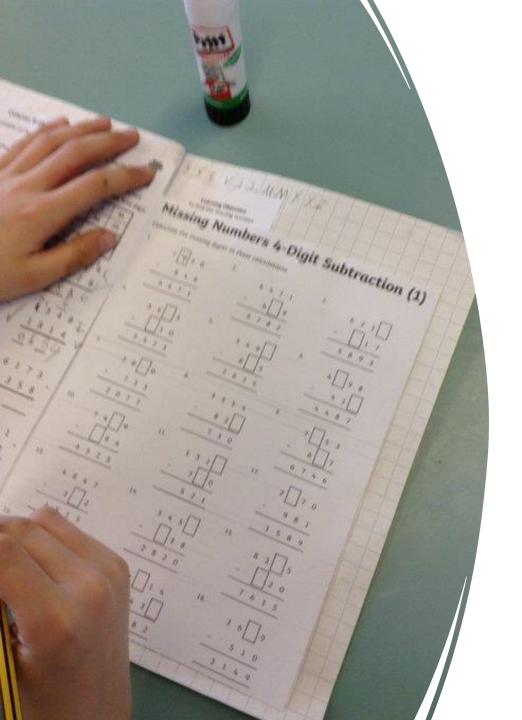
In response to our story of the week 'One Snowy Day' by Nick Butterworth, we decided to paint our own snowy day pictures using paper doilies, black paper and white paint.







"Come look at this...insect!"
The children are showing an awareness that we can look closely and carefully at God's living creatures.

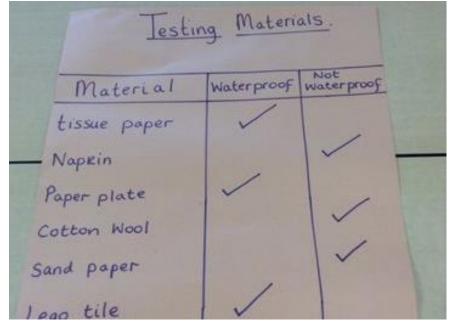


Y4 are working on finding the missing number in Maths.









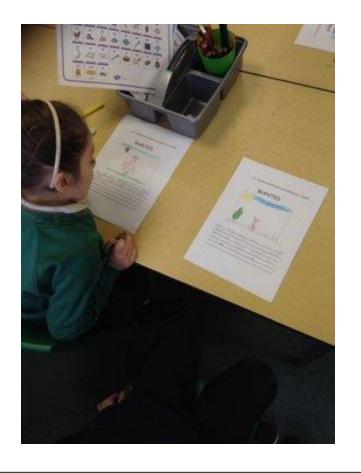
Year 1 had so much fun in their science lesson, testing whether materials were waterproof or not.

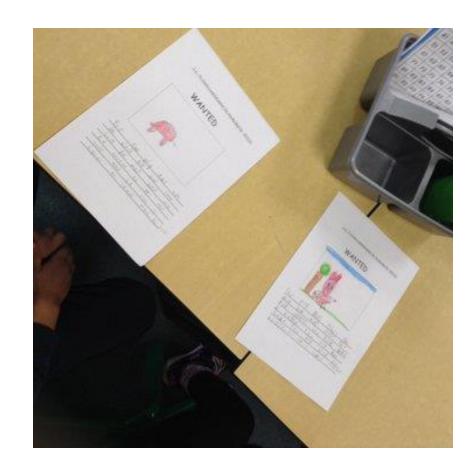


Yr 4DA are investigating whether a seed needs soil to grow well. Some seeds are in cotton wool and some in soil.

4da are investigating if a seed needs light to grow well. Seeds were placed in both the dark and in the light.







Designing a wanted poster for the Big Bad Pig!





"I was looking at the birds.
The birds are wanting to eat some food...God's creatures!"





This week in Year 5, we have been learning how to work with instructions. Today our instructions are "How to tame a unicorn"

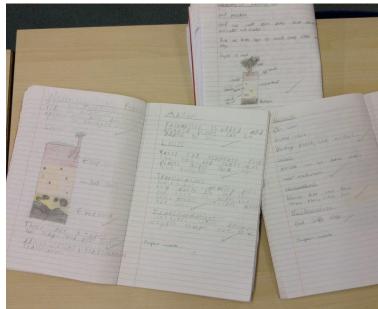


No clouds on Friday so we were able to investigate changes in shadows over the day in Year 5.



We predicted the length and position the shadow over the rest of the day







Science about soil formation; drawing graphs and understanding data in maths and thinking about and discussing working together in PSHE. Well done y3

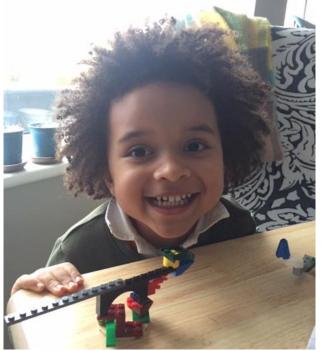


Salt dough maps of South America as part of Rainforest studies



We have been caring for the birds.













Busy at home

Mummy says he loves drawing ocean creatures and dinosaurs, and also enjoyed the snow.



Pancake fun in half-term



On the GOOD NEWS Treasure Hunt at St Nicholas church



- 5: Jesus was able to Forgal Value of As and make people clean before God.
- 6: Jesus told special stories called particles to help people understand his teaching.
- 7: Jesus fed FAMA Thousand hungry people with just 5 small loaves and 2 small fish.
- 8: Jesus taught us how to pray and said that we could call God our Fort ARC.
- 9: Jesus taught us that there is Rejoining

 In Headen every time someone says sorry

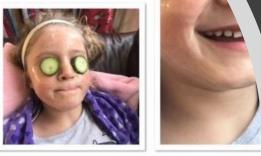
 to God and asks for his forgiveness.
- 10: Jesus mission was to Seek And save
- 11: Jesus was Crucified then he was laid in a borrowed Tomb. (That sounds bad news but it wasn't!)
- 12: Because Jesus the Messiah rose F Com The Deal On The Third Day.
- 13: And the GOOD NEWS has been PC GREAT













A busy half-term at home





ACTION CALENDAR: MINDFUL MARCH 2021





MONDAY

Set an 2 Notice five intention to live things that are with awareness beautiful in the and kindness world outside

- 3 Start today
 - by appreciating your body and that you're alive
 - Notice how you speak to yourself. Try to use kind words

THURSDAY

Take three calm breaths at regular intervals during your day

FRIDAY

Bring to mind people you care about and send love to them

SATURDAY

Have a 'no plans' day and notice how that feels

SUNDAY

- 8 Eat mindfully. Appreciate the taste, texture & smell of your food
- Take a full breath in and out before you reply to others

TUESDAY

10 Get outside and notice how the weather feels on your face

WEDNESDAY

- 11 Stay fully present while drinking your cup of tea or coffee
- 12 Listen deeply to someone and really hear what they are saying

19 Cultivate a

feeling of loving-

kindness towards

others today

- Pause to just watch the sky or clouds for a few minutes today
- 14 Find ways to enjoy any chores or tasks that need doing

- 15 Stop, breathe and just notice. Repeat regularly during the day
- **16** Get really absorbed with an interesting or creative activity
- 17 Look around and spot 3 things you find unusual or pleasant
- 18 If you find yourself rushing, make an effort to slow down
- **26** Notice when you're tired and take a break as
- 20 Celebrate the International Day of Happiness dayofhappiness.net
- Listen to a piece of music without doing anything else

- 22 Walk a different route today and see what you notice
- 23 Tune in to your feelings, without judging or trying to change
- **24** Appreciate your hands and all the things they enable you to do
- 25 Focus your attention on the good things you take for granted
- 27 Have a device-free day and enjoy the soon as possible space it offers
- 28 Appreciate nature around you, wherever you are

- 29 Notice what is working today and be thankful that this is so
- 30 Mentally scan down your body and notice what it is feeling
- **31** Notice the joy to be found in the simple things of life

"Mindfulness means that we commit fully in each moment to be present" - Jon Kabat-Zinn



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS











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Peter, James and John went with Jesus to pray on a mountain top. While they were there, Jesus was transformed. His face shone like the sun and his clothes became as dazzling as the light, whiter than any normal clothing could ever be. Suddenly Moses and Elijah, the great teacher and the great prophet of the Old Testament, appeared and were talking with Jesus. Then a bright cloud covered them with shadow, and from the cloud there came a voice which said, "This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him." Then suddenly, when the disciples looked round, they saw only Jesus was left there with them.

Please
share
today's
gospel
in your
family

Taken from the Gospel of Sunday 28th February 2021 Cf. Mark 9:2-10 (the 2nd Sunday of Lent, Year B)

Last Friday was CAFOD's Family Fast Day

Why not do something special this Lent and encourage some of the world's poorest people? Find out more at:

CAFOD

cafod.org.uk/primary



"The invitation at the Transfiguration is to listen to Jesus and to follow him, laying down our lives as a gift of love for one another." Pope Francis

Where did Jesus go to pray? In this Sunday's Gospel, the disciples received a glimpse of the awesome divinity of Jesus through the change in the way he looked (his transfiguration). This sacred encounter took place on the Holy Mountain - Mt Tabor. Often in the Bible, mountains are described as sacred places. Ask your child what the word 'sacred' means to them. Our churches are sacred places, dedicated to the worship of God, but other places are sacred too: a home filled with the love of God. Where's your sacred space? Where do you pray or feel most at peace or closest to God (e.g. your house, your bedroom, your church, your garden or somewhere else)?

The Holy Mountain experience was a sacred moment. To be sacred is to be holy - to be dedicated to God. God wants us to be his sacred people - to be holy and to try to live and love like Jesus did. Praying at home helps us to recognise and respect our homes as sacred places, full of God's love. What else can help to remind us of God's sacred presence in our home (e.g. a Bible, candles, a cross, icons or something else)? As a family, talk about which sacred images you find most helpful. What can you do to help you recognise your home as a sacred place this Lent?

A SACRED PLACE

On Wednesday, Mr. White spoke about SACRED PLACES and SPACES, including churches, such as The Transfiguration in the Old Town, and homes.

This Lent, as a family, why not try to create and enjoy such sacred spaces to get closer to God?









SACRED





SCRIPTURE

"This is my Son,

the Beloved.

Listen to him."

Mark 9:2-10



TEACHING

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WORSHIP

Praying together

Dear Lord

Jesus, thank you for the sacred places where you are worshipped and praised, and for making our homes sacred through your presence among us.

Amen.



Make a sacred space in your home.

A place that has some reminders of your faith -

A cross, a prayer, rosary beads,

pictures you have drawn about your faith.

Use this space when you need somewhere to talk to God