

St Anne Line's

Catholic
Social



Teaching

2024-25



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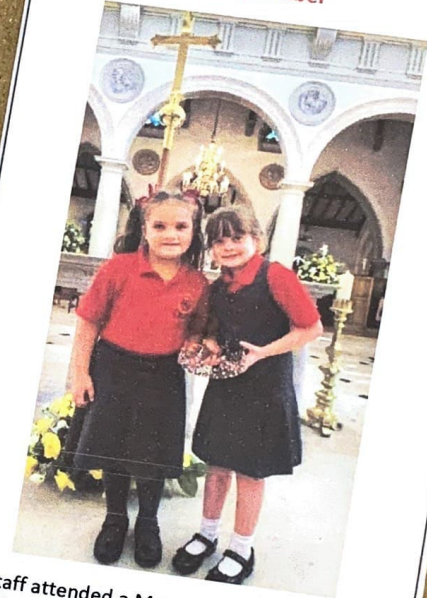
Love
Learn
Pray

CHRISTUS CATHOLIC TRUST

UNIQUE AND UNITED IN CHRIST

Staff Mass
Wednesday 18th September 2024

**Trust Staff Mass at Brentwood Cathedral on
Wednesday 18th September**



Our staff attended a Mass at Brentwood Cathedral on Wednesday. Verity and Giulia very kindly took part in the offertory procession.



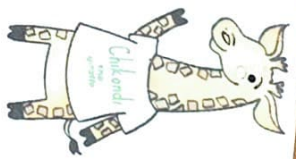
Taking part
Participation

"Each of us has a part to play, a gift to share, a service to offer, for building up the Body of Christ in love."

Pope Francis, 19 June 2013

Breakfast Morning – Friday 27th September

Thank you so much for coming along to our Breakfast Morning today. It was lovely to see so many of you enjoying breakfast together with other families. We raised an amazing amount of £300 and this money will go towards our new school notice board and also supporting the Macmillan charity.



Thinking of everyone
The Common Good



*"... together we want to give voice to all those who suffer,
to all those who have no voice and are not heard."*

Pope Francis, 20 September 2016



October is the month of the Holy Rosary

We have been celebrating the Rosary this week, saying a decade of the Rosary with children every day around Mary's garden at the front of the school. We will continue to do so every day during this month. Please do encourage your children to pray the Hail Mary or for younger children to say a prayer to Mary every day during October.



Being peacemakers
Promoting peace

Our Baby Chicks

To enhance the children's science learning about animals, we welcomed 10 eggs on Monday morning from the Happy Chick Company. We are pleased to announce that yesterday evening the last egg hatched. The children have been learning about the life cycle of birds through observing the eggs hatching. They will learn the importance of caring for animals and that animals must always be returned to their habitat.



Caring for God's g
Stewardship

God said, "Let us make humankind in our image,
according to our likeness."

Genesis 1:26

Visit from ZooLab – Wednesday 18th September

A Visit from Bishop Joseph Kwaku Afrifah-Agyekum - Tuesday

On Tuesday we had a very important visitor, Bishop Joseph Kwaku Afrifah-Agyekum.

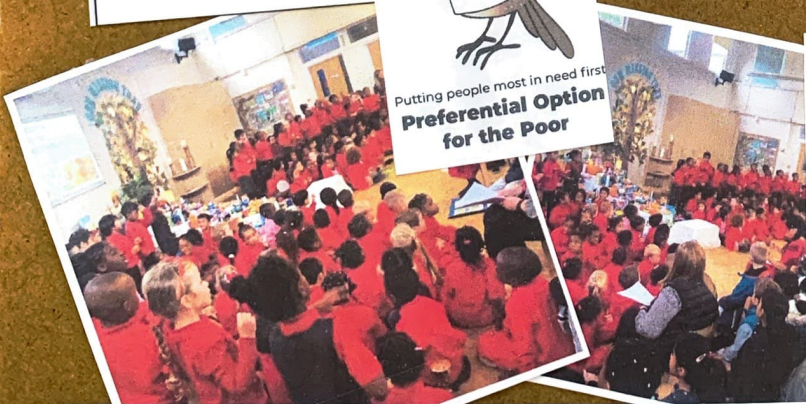


October

*".....those who promote
peace have joy." Proverbs 12:20*



Putting people most in need first
**Preferential Option
for the Poor**



Harvest Festival - Friday

Thank you so much for attending our Harvest Festival and for your very kind donations for the Basildon Community Resource Centre.

With the support of **Andy and the Odd Socks**

ANTI-BULLYING ALLIANCE

This **ANTI-BULLYING WEEK** we are holding

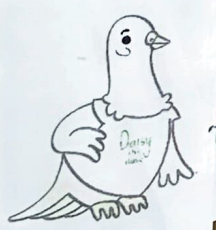
SOCKS DAY on **12TH NOVEMBER 2024**

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November

Odd Socks Day - Tuesday

Thank you for supporting Anti-Bullying Week this week. The children enjoyed wearing their odd socks.



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Playground Buddy Awards

Well done to the Playground Buddies who have done a great job of looking after the playground equipment this term and helping to keep our playground tidy every brektime and lunchtime.



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Children in Need Day

Today we had a Children in Need assembly. Children suggested ways to turn Pudsey's frown upside down.



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Year 2

Landscape paintings of Southend inspired by Van Gogh. The Year 2 children used shades, tints and textures (lentils, quinoa) to help create their artwork.



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Stewardship



Remembrance Day

Thank you for supporting the Royal British Legion, buying a poppy for your child.

Some photos of the Kingfishers class Prayer Leader collecting money for poppies.



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Solidarity

Gold Leaf Awards

Thursday 14th November

Sarai (Owls) – Learn

Ise (Wrens) – Pray

Moses (Kingfishers) – Pray

Simi (Hérons) – Love

Liana (Sparrows) – Love

Fareedah (Robins) – Love

Frank (W)

Malachi (



Everyone is special
Human Dignity



Sharing fairly
Distributive Justice

Uniform Sale- 22nd November 2024

We ask for a small donation which will go to support our CAFOD charity.

CAFOD
Just one world

Reception Prayer Garden

In the Reception playground, the children showed a deep interest in the prayer area, approaching it with respect and curiosity. It has been great to see them demonstrating their thoughtfulness and appreciation for this special place.

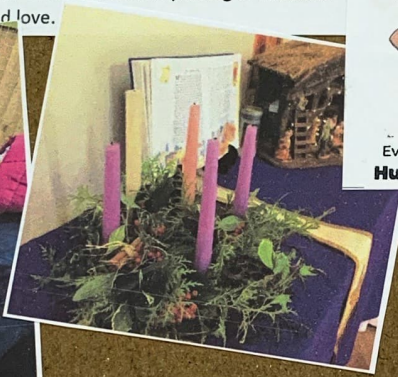


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Little Forest School Wreath

Some of the children helped to make the Advent wreath in Little Forest School. We gathered evergreen branches, symbolising everlasting life and hope given to us by the birth of Jesus. The circular shape of the wreath represents eternity, reminding us of God's infinite love and presence in our lives. The candles mark the passing of time and encourage us to reflect on hope, peace, joy and love.



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Year 2 Singing at Eastgate – Wednesday 11th December

St Luke's Hospice sent a huge thank you to the Year 2 children for their wonderful singing at Eastgate last week. Our school raised an amazing £150.05 and over the 2 weeks of singing, local schools helped raised an incredible £6,327.57.



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"All who believed were together and had all things in common."

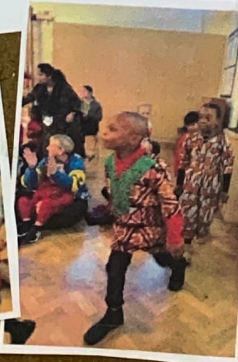
Acts 2:44-45



International Christmas Fayre – Friday 13th December

Thank you to parents and carers for your support at the International Christmas Fayre and a big thank you to the PTA for all of their hard work over the months preparing for this special event. We would also like to thank Mrs Camargo who arranged for a tractor to be present on the playground. Thank you to Asda for their kind donations of sweets, wrapping paper and cards. Also, to Beauty Palace for their kind donation of hair braiding. The total amount raised was £632.31.

The children also enjoyed wearing traditional clothing and thank you for your kind donations. We raised £84 towards the Pope's charity Missio. This charity ignites God's love by helping local missionaries to work alongside global communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief.





December



*"All who believed were together
and had all things in common."*

Acts 2:44-45

BCCS (Brentwood Catholic Children's Society) Ch
Salle - Tuesday 17th December

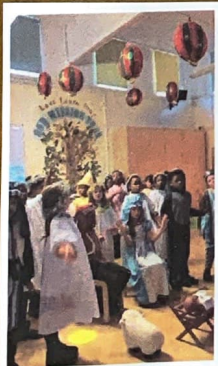


EYFS Christmas Nativity - Tuesday & Thursday

Thank you for coming along to our EYFS Nativity performances this week.



KS1 Christmas Nativity - Wednesday 18th December



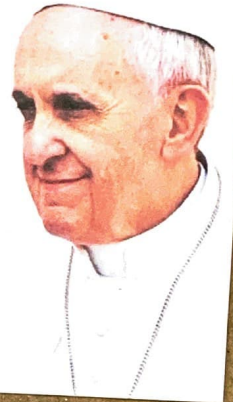
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January



Never give up
on the people you love.
Never give up
from being happy.



BECAUSE LIFE IS AN INCREDIBLE SHOW.

- Pope Francis

WE ARE PILGRIMS OF HOPE
working together to build a better world

*"Learn to do good; seek justice, rescue the
oppressed, defend the orphan, plead for the widow."*
Isaiah 1:17

Brentwood Diocesan Education Service
Jubilee 2025
Launch Day for Schools

"Pilgrims of Hope"

FRIDAY 24th JANUARY 2025
at

St John Payne Catholic School, Chelmsford

JUBILEE 2025

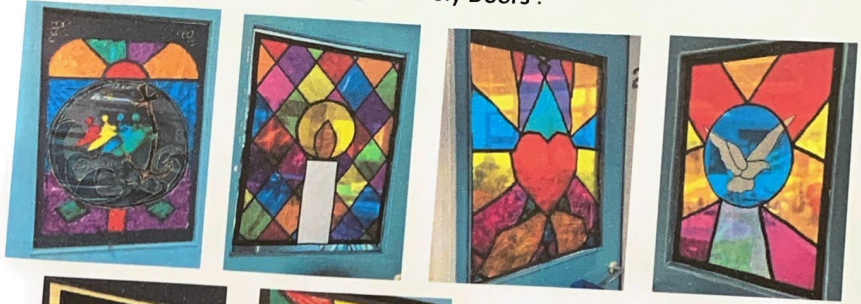


PILGRIMS OF HOPE



Jubilee Launch Day – Friday 24th January

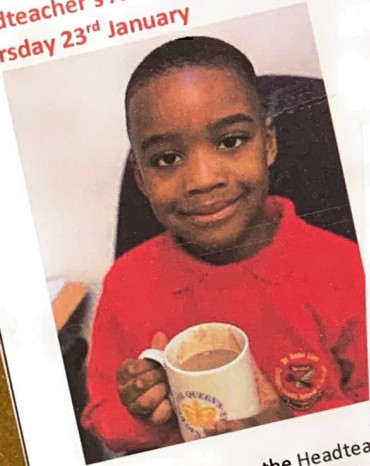
We are very proud of our stained glass 'Holy Doors'.



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Headteacher's Award
Thursday 23rd January



Isaac (Kingfishers) won the Headteacher's Award this week for fulfilling our three values, Love, Learn and Pray. Well done!



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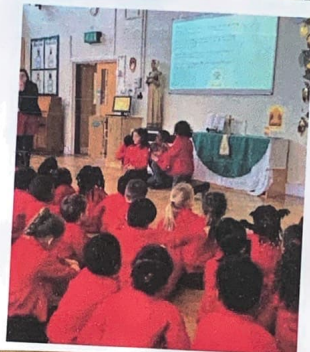
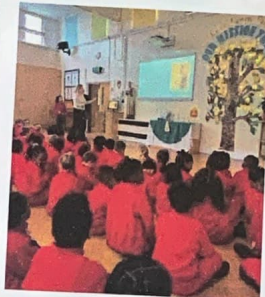
ALL IT TAKES IS
**ONE GOOD
PERSON
TO RESTORE**

 **HOPE**

-POPE FRANCIS

St Anne Line Day Assembly

Some children helped to share the St Anne Line story about being brave and courageous.



When asked
what her plea would be,
she retorted, "My lords,
nothing grieves me more
but that I could not receive
a thousand more (priests)..."
-St. Anne Line

ST. ANNE LINE
PRAY FOR US

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St Anne Line Prayer Table & RISE Theatre Visit - Monday 3rd February





Cygnets – Visit to the church



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February

House Points

The children have been working hard to receive House Points.

St John Paul II	St Bernadette
1,467	1,377
St Alphonso	St Martin de Porres
1,381	1,472

Please God help's u.
to be kind to our
friends



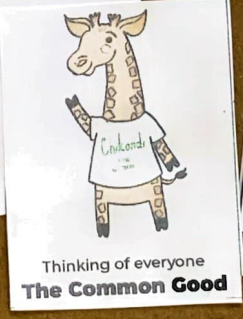
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Headteacher's Award
Thursday 6th February

Jason (Herons) won the Headteacher's Award this week as he had been noticed by several teachers at playtime being exceptionally kind and caring to others. Well done!

Faith Explorers Club
At Faith Explorers we pray, think of others and develop our faith through Scripture and art.



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March



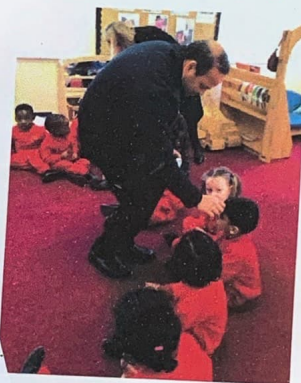
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Cygnets Nursery – Shrove Tuesday
The children enjoyed eating pancakes this week.

Year 2 – Ash Wednesday

Year 2 attended Mass at The Most Holy Trinity Church on Wednesday with the Junior School.

Ducklings Nursery – Ash Wednesday



Being peacemakers
Promoting peace

Pope Paul VI's encyclical Populorum Progressio quotes St Ambrose: "You are not making a gift of what is yours to the poor man, but you are giving him back what is his... The earth belongs to everyone, not to the rich."



Reception

The children have been learning about Palm Sunday. They acted out Palm Sunday in the reception woods. They have also been learning about sea creatures, listening to the 'Under the Sea' story, creating sea creature collages and writing sentences about sea creatures. Please see Tapestry for more photos.



The Big Lent Walk – Saturday 22nd March

Thank you so much to everyone who attended the Big Lent Walk at Langdon Nature Discovery Park last Saturday.

We were fundraising for CAFOD (Catholic Agency for Overseas Development). Kindly drop any donations (cash only please) into the school office. Many thanks for your support.



A Prayer for Mothering Sunday

Lord, bless all mothers today and every day. Grant them strength, patience, and overflowing joy in their roles as caregivers. Father, we lift up all mothers, including the remarkable grandmothers among us. We celebrate their wisdom, their strength, and the unconditional love they pour into our lives.

Amen

Wishing all mothers and grandmothers amongst you a wonderful Mothers' Day with your family – full of treat and treasured times.

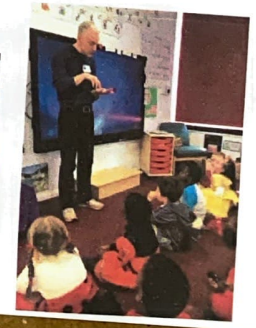
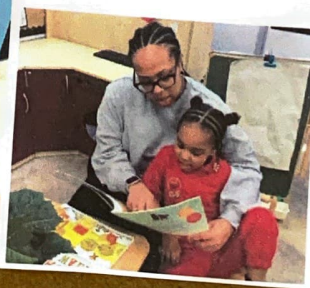


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Reception - World Book Day and Reading with Parents

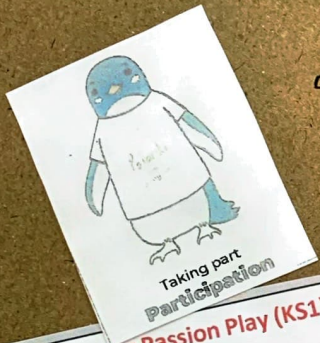


**"Unity is strength.
Let's pull together
to inspire. Let's pull
together to be strong."
Kibera, Kenya**



Everyone should have a say
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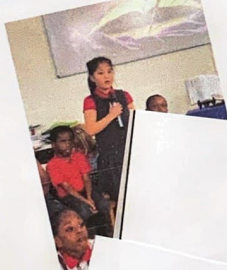


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A Lenten Prayer from our Children
Dear God,
Help my friends to make good choices and help me and my friends to treat people how we want to be treated.
Amen
(Amiya -Wrens)

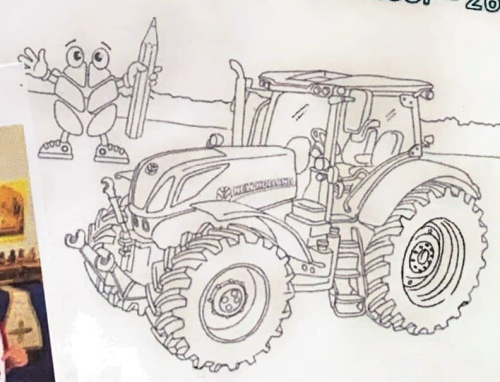
The Easter Passion Play (KS1) - Thursday



Lent Bags
Children have been bringing home the Lent Bag to share as a family. Please send photos of your child with their Lent Bag to: office@salinf.org



The Big Help Out
at Anne Line Catholic Infant School - 26th April 2025



Celebration Assembly – Playground Buddies



Kingfishers Class visiting the Stations of the Cross this week



Hot Cross Bun Run at De La Salle - T



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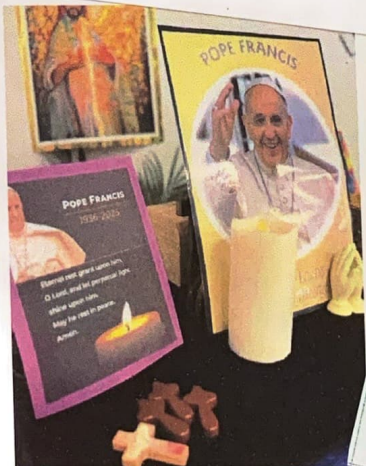
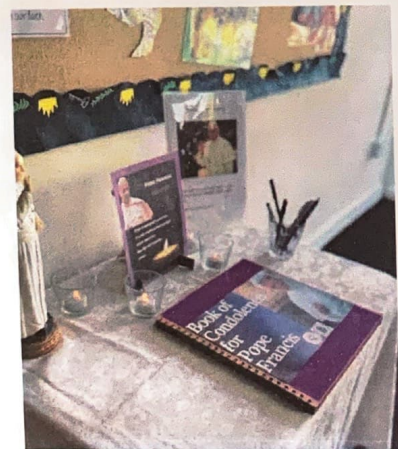


As we remember Pope Francis, we think about the many ways he touched the lives of people all around the world. He taught us to be kind, loving, and caring toward others, always helping those in need and showing us the importance of peace and fairness. We are grateful for all that Pope Francis did during his life. His example of love, humility, and service will continue to inspire us. As we say goodbye, let us keep him in our hearts and prayers, wishing him eternal peace. May we always remember his message of kindness and continue to live with love and compassion, just as he taught us.

Pope Francis famously quoted in his 2015 encyclical *Laudato Si'*

"Live wisely, think deeply, love generously."

Remembering Pope Francis



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May

Prayer for Pope Leo XIV

Faithful God,
 You guide us on the path of life
 and your goodness is our constant companion.
 Be with our new Shepherd, Pope Leo XIV,
 in his service of the Church.
 Fill him with the power of your Spirit,
 the peace of your presence
 and the compassion of Christ.
 May he walk with you,
 in wisdom and humility,
 and lead us, together with all God's people,
 to embody your love for the world.
 Amen.

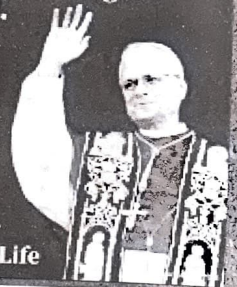
I wish you all a peaceful weekend.

We cannot build a just society if we discard the weakest—whether the child in the womb or the elderly in their frailty—for they are both gifts from God.

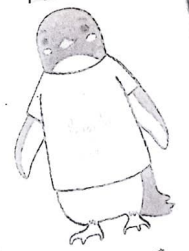
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Pope Leo XIV

Americans
 United for Life



Year 1 and Year 2 attending Mass on Thursday



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Crowning of Mary – Thursday 1st May

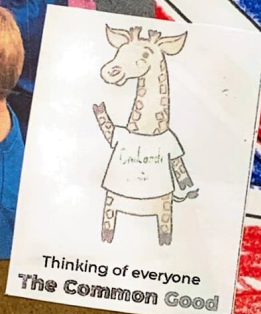




Our VE Day Celebration

We had a special celebration for the 80th anniversary of VE Day! To remember this important day, we dressed in red, white, and blue, and had a fun street party with our friends. It was a time to say thank you to all the people who helped make the world a safer place, including those who worked hard during the war.

We are so grateful for everything they did, and we will always remember how their bravery and kindness helped us live in peace today.



We were so lucky to have Fr Albert join us and say the Rosary together. It was a lovely and peaceful time, and the children were so focused and respectful during the prayer. It was a wonderful way to come together as a class and reflect in such a meaningful way.

"We are a single family dwelling in a common home."

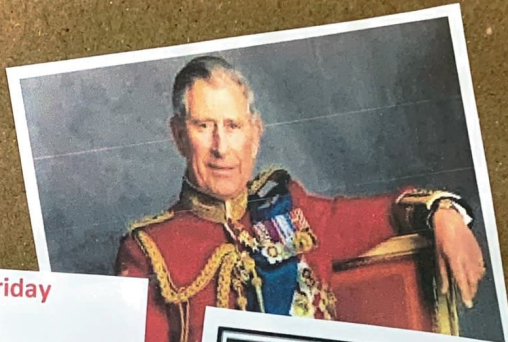
Pope Francis, *Fratelli Tutti*, 17

June



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The King's Birthday - Decorating cupcakes to celebrate - Friday



Wagtails/Ducklings Nursery - Father's Day/Male Role Model Celebration on Thursday

A huge thank you to all the families who joined us for our Father's Day/Male Role Model crafts and multi-skills session. It was truly heart-warming to see the way everyone came together, supporting not only their own children but all of the children in attendance. Your kindness, encouragement, and community spirit made the day extra special. We're so grateful for your continued support!

"Let all that you do be done in love."
— 1 Corinthians 16:14



World Environmental
Day 5th June
Bottle Tops



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Subsidiarity

Starstruck Club Theatre Visit – Joseph & the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat - Wednesday

The Starstruck Club children enjoyed their visit to see Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat at Cliff's Pavilion on Wednesday. Mrs Seymour, CSEL of Christus Catholic Trust, attended with us and was very impressed with the way the children represented our school.



Taking part
Participation



In the parable of the Good Samaritan Jesus shows us how we should treat everyone with kindness even if we do not know them.
He asks us to "Love thy neighbour"



 **Refugee Week**

Charity Week (Monday 30 June – Friday 4 July)

The children have chosen the charities they would like to support as follows:

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| Nursery | Local foodbanks |
| Reception | CAFOD (Catholic Agency for Overseas Development) |
| Year 1 | BCCS (Brentwood Catholic Children's Society) |
| Year 2 | Salvation Army |



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