

#### KEYHAM BARTON CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear School Family,

**Liturgy and Worship** 



#### **Grow Strong!**

In this Gospel, Jesus teaches his disciples through a parable. A parable is a story which has a lesson in it for the listener. This parable was about a farmer who sowed seeds. Some seeds landed in rich soil and flourished; some seeds landed in dry and rocky ground and didn't grow.

Jesus says the seeds are like his message of love. Some seeds land in places where they do not do well. Some land on rock and can't take root. People can hear what Jesus says but don't let what he says make a difference in their lives.

Some people hear Jesus' message but they let other things, like money, take over. However, some seed lands on good soil. This seed can grow really well and produce a good harvest.

Jesus teaches us to be like the good soil receiving the seed; to let love grow and to cultivate the best within us. Jesus teaches that we can be like good soil if we listen to him and love one another.

#### **Faith in Action**

What good seed will you cultivate and grow in yourself this week? Will it be compassion and kindness? Or could it be practising and learning something so as to grow better at it?

Who has put our Gospel Value of Compassion into action this week?

**Courage: Ebubechi** for always showing kindness to friends and adults.

**Kindness**: **Harper** for being so understanding of others.

**Compassion: Mason** for always been kind and considerate to everyone.

**Year 3: Rhys** for being so supportive of a peer this week.

**Year 4: Lilly-Mai** always shows concern and compassion for those around her.

Year 5: Evelyn for being concerned about others especially if they're hurt or lonely

**Justice:** Isaac **D** showed great compassion for his friend when they were upset in class.

### Who has put our Gospel Virtue of Charity into action this week?

**Courage: Lily** for leaving what she is doing to check on her friends when they are upset. **Kindness: Johan** for independently

choosing to give some of his play time to tidy the classroom.

**Compassion: Sapphire** for always offering to help her friends.

**Year 3: Kira** for offering to give up her own time to help someone who hadn't completed their learning.

**Year 4: Alex** for lending his spare trousers when a friend forgot to pack some for after swimming!

**Year 5: Oliver** for sharing his gifts with others

**Justice: Charlie** is always happy to give up their play time to support others in their role as a Sports Leader

Next week's Value: **Humility** Next week's Virtue: **Temperance** 

#### Keyham Barton News! First Holy Communion



Our First Holy Communion Mass is taking place on Sunday 9th July. We would like to invite all members of our school family to join us as the children will be leading and singing in the Sunday Mass.

#### **Art Gallery**

Thank you to all the families who joined us for our art gallery. It was so lovely seeing the children excitedly share their art & DT work. We hope you enjoyed it as much as they did!









### SATs and National Assessments

We are incredibly proud of our children's achievements this year! We have the national comparison for Y6 for 2023 but this has not been calculated for other year groups yet so I have put 2022's data in for all other assessments as a measure, so you can see how we compare! As you can see, we are either in line with, or better than national, in every area. We are really proud

ational, in every area. We are really proud of all the hard work that enabled this.

Assessed	Subject	Keyham	National
Y1	Phonic	75%	75%
Y2	R	76%	69%
Y2	w	65%	61%
Y2	М	76%	71%
Y4	Tables	56%	27%
Y6	R	88%	73%
Y6	w	76%	71%
Y6	М	84%	73%

#### **Bikeability**







#### **Mary Poppins**

Year 5 had a trip to Notre Dame and St Boniface on Tuesday to watch their live theatre drama production of Mary Poppins. We were incredibly impressed with the children's behaviour and manners!

#### **Reports**

Reports have gone out on Friday via email. Please let us know if you haven't received your child's report and we will resend it on Monday. We are very impressed and proud of all your children's achievements this



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**Year 4 Swimming** 

Year 4 have worked incredibly hard during their swimming lessons over the last three weeks and represented the school well!



# ACHIEVERS

Courage: Elijah for working hard on his

lollipop challenges this week.

**Kindness: Richard** for applying his excellent knowledge of animals to create a number of accurate food chains in science.

**Compassion: Ellie** for working hard at writing her prayer in RE. It was beautiful.

**Year 3: Stanley B** demonstrated every sporting value in our relay races this week and was a great role model for others as we prepare for Sports Day.

**Year 4: Holly** has persevered in several areas of her learning this week, showing great determination and resilience.

Year 5: All of Year 5 for being great ambassadors for our school during our trip to Mary Poppins and Bikeability

Justice: Mia has blown us all away with her fantastic acting skills this week. She has learned her lines for the Leavers' Production with great confidence and expression!



### HERE EVERYDAY, READY ON TIME

The class with the highest attendance this week was **Class** 

Kindness Well done!



TOP DOJO WINNERS THIS WEEK

Courage: Noah Kindness: Bradley Compassion: Alfie

Peace: Kira Integrity: Lyla Justice: Ada

<u>Top Table</u>	
Courage	Ruby - Tiahara
Kindness	Johan - Champion
Compassion	Jaden - Mason
Peace	Anna - Emmet
Integrity	Evelyn - Caleb
Justice	Isaac P - Oscar D

#### Top Online Learners



Kindness	Cori
Compassion	Oscar



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Justice	Ada
Integrity	Sam
Peace	David
Compassion	Vladimir

<u>writer of the week</u>	
Courage	Hari
Kindness	Bradley
Compassion	Holly
Year 3	Jessica
Year 4	Oliver S
Year 5	Alexis
Justice	Sasha and Libby



Kindness	Kacper
Compassion	Daisy
Peace	Stanley J
Integrity	Alfie

Justice	Maryam



Compassion	Vladimir -2,788
Peace	Sam - 169,441
Integrity	Oscar - 21,084
Justice	Isaac D - 51,986

#### **Attendance Scooter and Costa Coffee**





Who will it be! We will draw this next Friday 21st July!

DIARY	
17th July	Year 6 Leavers' Mass at Cathedral
20th July	Whole School Sports Day
24th July	Leavers' Mass Moving Up Morning
25th July	Moving Up Morning End of school year

## Lunches, Breakfast & After-School Club Payments

Please can all payments and bookings for the rest of the term be booked and paid for this weekend. Many thanks.

Next week is busy so we look forward to sharing lots of end of year activities with you!

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Riley and the Keyham Barton Team