



KEYHAM BARTON CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear School Family,

Liturgy and Worship



Look and See

In this week's Gospel, Jesus meets a man who is blind and he helps him to see for the very first time.

Jesus wants us to know that he can help us all to see. We may be able to see with our eyes, but Jesus promises to help us see with our hearts. He asks that we have a new way of looking at the world and at each other with a heart that sees.

With Jesus' help we can see through the eyes of love.

Faith in Action

Our families always see us through the eyes of love. How can we celebrate the people who love us this Sunday? What can we do to show them we love them too? Do something for someone you love this weekend.

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

Courage: Ollie becoming a big brother and all that means for him.

Kindness: The whole class for doing their first 'official' tests and LOVING it!

Compassion: Penelope showed courage during our Maths assessments this week. She tried not to worry and did her very best.

Peace: Abigail for giving her reading assessment her best shot after initially thinking she wouldn't be able to do it.

Integrity: Holly

Justice: Oscar because he believed that his team could win their match.

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

Courage: Noah for always trying to make the right choices for his learning.

Kindness: Nikita for getting straight back into Keyham life as if she was never away.

Compassion: Mason showed fortitude this week by never giving.

Peace: Casey for not giving up when giving her reading test another go.

Integrity: Vinny

Justice: Kayla for persevering with her learning, even when it challenges her.

Each class is the guardian of our Values.

Next week's Value: Humility

Next week's Virtue: Prudence

Keyham News!



The theme for Science week this year was 'connections'. To put our connections as a school to the test, we have spent the week passing a secret message from EYFS through each class all the way up to Year 6.

Courage Class

We made boats that could float on water and passed the message across our water trays to deliver it to Year 1 in the playground.

Kindness Class

We wrote the message in invisible wax, which is water resistant. Year 2 then revealed the message with coloured water!



Compassion Class

We transferred our message around the room using a variety of materials, according to their properties, to carry the tin foil ball. We created a ramp, a bridge and collaborated to work as a team.



Peace Class

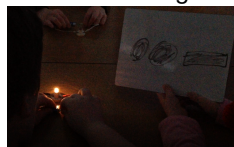
We passed the message all the way up the stairs in the KS2 building by using string telephones, which allowed our voices to travel as vibrations through the strings.

Integrity Class

We looked at how we could use our knowledge of air resistance to construct paper aeroplanes that would be capable of delivering the message right into the Year 6 classroom.

Justice Class

We used our knowledge of electrical circuits to transmit an illuminating Morse Code message!



We successfully used our scientific knowledge to pass the secret message through the school. The message was:



Red Nose Day



Thank you #CATERed and Mrs Brett for making these yummy biscuits to raise funds for Red Nose Day.

Together, we can make a difference; a just world free of poverty!

A huge thank you to our mystery donor who phoned to offer to pay for any child who did not have money for a biscuit. Thank you for your care and thoughtfulness #teamKeyham.



Parents' Evening

These will take place on **Tuesday 28th March and Wednesday 29th March 2023**,

where we will have the most up-to-date information as to your child's progress following our assessments. We will also look at supporting absences and any key areas parents would like to discuss.

Appointments will be ten minutes per child between 3:30 pm and 6:00 pm. If you think your appointment may take longer than ten minutes, it would make sense to book a follow-up appointment or to book a longer slot on another date.

Booking is on the eSchools App. If you have not yet downloaded the App please contact the School office for your login details.

Breakfast and After-School Club

We are delighted to inform you that Breakfast and After-School club will be back on as normal from Monday at Gaynor Hall. Please book on as normal!



HERE EVERYDAY, READY ON TIME

The class with the highest attendance this week was **Peace Class - Year 3/4**

Well done!

A FAITH COMMUNITY, GATHERED TOGETHER TO LEARN, WITH LOVE AND RESPECT FOR EACH OTHER.



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This Week's Keyham Keys



Courage: Archie for being a **Go for it Gorilla** in all of his learning.

Kindness: Jorgia for being a persevering parrot. She sounded out and blended every word in her reading papers. Well done!

Compassion: Oscar has been a **Go for it Gorilla**. He worked hard and made excellent progress in his NFER maths assessments.

Peace: The Whole Class for their amazing **Go for it Gorilla** attitudes to their assessments this week.

Integrity: Daniel has been a **Persevering Parrot** in English, taking advantage of tools and support to make fantastic progress in his writing.

Justice: Ethan T has been an **Exploring Elephant** in Maths, making sure he is reading all of the details of a question in order to answer it.

Headteacher's Award



A Headteacher's award is only given out for an extra-special effort! Well done to:

Angus for working closely with a peer to support and encourage their learning.

Elsie-Mae for her mature and sensitive Conquering the Monster Tale.

	HOUSEPOINTS
	This week's winners are LOURDES

TOP DOJO WINNERS THIS WEEK

Courage: Ebubechi

Kindness: Layton

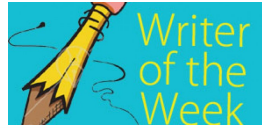
Compassion: Ellie

Peace: Max

Integrity: Angus

Justice: Patrick C

Writer of the Week

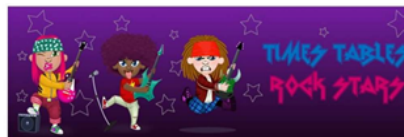


Courage	Noah
Kindness	Sophie
Compassion	Liby
Peace	Shiya
Integrity	Matilda
Justice	Teigan

Top Online Learners



Kindness	Kacper
Compassion	Vladimir



Kindness	Bradley
Compassion	Oscar
Peace	Max
Integrity	Caleb
Justice	Sasha - most improved speed!



Kindness	Phoebe
Compassion	Holly
Peace	Anna
Integrity	Oliver M
Justice	Eliza



Compassion	Liby - 1,384 words
Peace	Rhys - 148,529 words
Integrity	Annie - 1,802 words
Justice	Isaac D - 81,944 words

MOBILE PHONES IN SCHOOL



If your child needs to bring a mobile phone to School, please remind them to hand them into the office **as soon as they arrive at school**. They can collect at the end of the day. Children are not allowed access to their phones during the school day. This is a Safeguarding concern and one we hope you will reiterate to your children.

Attendance Stunt Scooter!



As part of our drive to continue improving attendance, we are beginning a termly attendance competition!

Be an On-time Hero!

If you are **Here Everyday Ready On-time** and have 100% attendance, you could win a Stunt Scooter. We know that sometimes you get poorly and can't help being off, so we will reset and restart the competition each half term. If you have 100% attendance, we will enter you into a raffle. The winning ticket will win a stunt scooter! It could be you!



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY	
20th Feb - 31st March	Eat Them to Defeat Them 2023
10th - 19th March	British Science Week
28th March	Courage and Kindness Class Palm Sunday Liturgy 2:45pm Holy Redeemer
29th March	Compassion Class Last Supper Liturgy 2:45pm Holy Redeemer
30th March	Peace Class Agony in the Garden Liturgy 2:45pm Holy Redeemer
31st March	Integrity and Justice Class Stations of the Cross Liturgy 2:00pm Holy Redeemer
28th March	Parents Evening
29th March	Parents Evening
29th March	UKS2 Indoor Rowing Championships
31st March	Mufti Day Argyle Community Trust GREEN ARMY!
31st March	END OF SPRING TERM
17th April	Staff INSET school closed
18th April	SUMMER TERM BEGINS
8th May	Coronation Bank Holiday
29th May - 2nd June	Half- Term Holiday
26th June - 14th July	Year 4 Daily Swimming Lessons and Plymouth Active
25th July	Last day of Summer Term

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Increase to cost of School Lunches
As of 17th April 2023 the cost of a two course lunch will be **£2.60**

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If your circumstances have changed, you may now be entitled to

Free School Meals.

Now is the time to apply as it ensures a healthy hot meal that is free for your child, every school day, not just when they are in the younger classes.

If your child is in EYFS, Y1 or Y2, then we strongly encourage you to talk to us and click on the link below to apply for a Free School Meal. For every child who does, the School receives Pupil Premium Funding to the value of £1385.00 per child for this Academic Year which helps funding of the School.

Please apply if you may be entitled.

<https://new.plymouth.gov.uk/free-school-meals-0>

#EatThemtoDefeatThem

Our yummy lunch this week was full of crunchy veggies. We enjoyed our lunch, thank you CATERed and our amazing Kitchen Team for providing us with our delicious dinner. We will defeat the VEGGIES!



From Monday 6th March the Battery recycling box will be in Kindness Class. Please could we ask Kindness Class families to bring in their used batteries for recycling. Together we can make a difference!



Catholic Parish of the Holy Trinity Plymouth



Our Parish Mass Times

Saturday: 5:30pm St Paul's
Sunday: 9:00am Holy Family
Sunday: 10:30am Holy Redeemer

Lenten Liturgies



During the last week of term, each class will lead a Holy Week liturgy in Holy Redeemer Church. All the readings and music will be organised by the children.

The Tuesday-Thursday liturgies will begin at 2:45 pm each day

The Friday liturgy will begin at 2pm as a reflection for the end of our spring term. We look forward to seeing you there. All family members are welcome.

We warmly invite you to our Monday liturgies at 2:45pm. This week is led by Peace class. You are also warmly invited to our Friday Celebration assemblies.

Have a lovely weekend!
Miss Riley and the Keyham Barton Team