

# KEYHAM BARTON CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear School Family,

Liturgy and Worship



### Live Life

This week's Gospel teaches us about Jesus as a shepherd. In Jesus' time, shepherds lived out on the hills with their sheep, protecting them from danger. Sometimes this meant the shepherd became hurt or injured protecting his sheep. Shepherds worked hard to keep the sheep in their care, safe and well.

In this way, Jesus is being compared to a shepherd because his life was about guiding, protecting and leading everyone closer to God. Jesus loves us and wants us to live full and happy lives. If we do good, look after ourselves and others, as Jesus taught us, then we live our lives to the full.

**Faith in Action** 

Over this May Bank Holiday, do something where you live your life. Go out and enjoy the weather. Go for a walk, a cycle, play football, swim or spend time with people you care about. Live your life to the full! Who has put our Gospel Value of Peace

into action this week?

Courage: Noah for showing peace on

carpet. Kindness: Alexia for being focused.

Compassion: Oliver A is always a calm influence on the class.

Peace: Ethan for seeking out an adult to support a disagreement on the playground rather than being involved. Integrity: Brooke let an adult know when there was a tricky situation at a club, helping us to resolve it.

Justice: Lincoln listens to people when they are upset and tries hard to sort things out for them.

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

Courage: Thomas for choosing to learn in learning time.

Kindness: Johan for demonstrating restraint..

Compassion: Liby understands how her actions and words can help others to make good choices.

Peace: Anna for always showing ready, respectful and safe behaviour.

Integrity: Sam has been thinking carefully about being ready, respectful and safe in class.

Justice: Teigan considers how her behaviour and attitude affects others and helps children.

Each class is the guardian of our Values. Next week's Value: Integrity

Next week's Virtue: Hope Strike Days

As you will have seen in the news, there is a further strike day planned by the NEU on Tuesday 2nd May. Compassion Class (Year 2) will be closed. Learning will be online where you can access IXL, TTRS, Numbots, Accelerated reader and Oak Academy on those dates. If you normally receive a free school meal, your child is still entitled to one on those days. We will contact you about how we facilitate this. All other classes will remain open.

**Coronation Street Party** 

On Friday 5th May, we will celebrate the King's Coronation with a school street party. All children are invited to wear red, white or blue mufti and bring a small plate of something to share. Each class will send out a letter detailing the kinds of things that can be brought.

We will also have a competition for the best portrait of King Charles. The children will come home with some A5 paper which they can draw or paint their portrait on and we will use it to make bunting.

Year 6 SATs Breakfast!

During SATs week, Jan, our CaterEd cook, will prepare bacon baps and pastries for the children each morning! The breakfast is for all Year 6 children and is a really lovely social occasion too where they get to eat together in Gaynor Hall, before the day starts. It's free for the children and we recommend they all come.

Gaynor Hall opens for Year 6 at 8:40am during SATs week, so as not to clash with

the breakfast club.

# **Dr Bike from Sustrans**

Sustrans are a charity which supports sustainable transport. They sponsor all the schools' Walk and Wheel challenges. They have offered the school a free bike repair day. Bring in your bikes on Thursday 18th May and they will give it an MOT and make sure it is roadworthy! They can check tyres, fix parts and make sure that you are safe to cycle. Please bring your bikes in on that day and collect them at the end of the day.

They have also offered to sponsor our Sports Day by bringing their bike powered smoothie machine! Both parents and children will be able to have a go!



### Attendance HERE EVERYDAY, READY **ON TIME**

The class with the highest attendance this week was: Integrity Class - Year 4/5 This Week's Keyham Keys .earnina

Courage: Freya for being a Persevering Parrot in Maths with our pattern making. Kindness: Champion for being a Compassion: Mason was a Go for it Gorilla this week. He worked hard at sorting 2D shapes. He was also outstanding at understanding and making patterns with 2D shapes.

Peace: Isla has been a Go for it Gorilla this week in our maths lessons and has been willing to throw herself into every question.

Integrity: Lyla has been an I Know Rhino this week, using manipulatives to develop her understanding of equivalent fractions. Justice: Libby has been an I Know Rhino in her Maths this week - using all of the methods and strategies she has learned to support her excellent revision!



# **HOUSEPOINTS**

This week's winners are **BUCKFAST** 

# TOP DOJO WINNERS THIS WEEK

Courage: Noah

Kindness: Layton & Cori Compassion: Georgia

Peace: Anna Integrity: Jessica Justice: Ada

Writer of the Week



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Courage	Olivia
Kindness	Champion
Compassion	Holly
Peace	Abigail (she missed her award last week)
Integrity	Alexis
Justice	Patrick W



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### Top Online Learners



Kindness	Layton
Compassion	Vladimir



Kindness	Bradley
Compassion	Penelope
Peace	Max and Stanley (a draw to the nearest second!)
Integrity	Caleb
Justice	Ada



Integrity	Oliver M
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Courage	Ebubechi & Noah
Kindness	Champion & Holly
Compassion	Alfie D & Daisy
Peace	Anita & Samuel
Integrity	Oliver S & Holly
Justice	Libby & Ethan M

# Accelerated Reader



Compassion	Daisy - 1,556
Peace	Rhys
Integrity	Oliver M - 24,961
Justice	Sidd - 8,536

# **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.

DIARY	
	Staff INSET school closed
	SUMMER TERM BEGINS
	Strike Day - Y2 closed
1st May	Bank Holiday
2nd May	Strike Day - Y2 closed
8th May	Coronation Bank Holiday
8th-12th May	Year 6 SATs week and free breakfasts
29th May-2nd June	HALF TERM
Mon 5th June	INSET Day school closed for training
Wed 7th June	Peace Class trip to the Eden Project
23rd June	St Aloysius Mufti Day for CCS

26th June - 14th July	Year 4 Daily Swimming Lessons and Plymouth Active
14th July	Reports to Parents
20th July	Sports Day
24th July	Leavers' Mass
25th July	End of school year

# CATER

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
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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

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

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