



'Joy to the world'

Celebrating together the richness and diversity of life throughout the world; global citizens within our community and beyond.

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Worship together

Our worship has focused on encouragement. We shared the story of Barnabus and finished the week this morning with a special celebration worship, when all children received a star award for their wonderful efforts. Kathy continued her virtual worship on her YouTube channel. This week, Kathy was once again at the font in St. Mary's. She told us how this coming Sunday is special for many reasons. Usually, she would invite all of the people who had been baptised throughout the year to attend a special service on Sunday, as it is Baptism Sunday. In addition, Kathy also told us about the historical origins of Mothering Sunday. We also discovered that this Sunday is also called Rose Sunday.

Follow this link to watch Kathy's service <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qDSCSLNACkc>

Next week, our collective worship is all about the importance of prayer.

Values

We have concentrated on the value of 'encouragement' throughout this week. With so many children returning to school after a lengthy period at school, we have focused on positivity and wellbeing. Our children have been absolutely wonderful and have offered great encouragement to their peers. In addition, we have noticed children demonstrating great levels of patience, determination, cooperation and generosity. It goes without saying that we are all very proud of them all.

Charity



We were delighted to see familiar faces from school in Solihull Updates this week. The girls raised a fantastic £400 for a local cat rescue centre by holding a cake sale.

Timings

Thanks for all of your support this week in following the parking, staggered timings and one way systems. We are managing to avoid too many people being on the playground at any one time. To improve things further, it would be really helpful if people don't enter the school site until the

allotted time for their child's bubble. Here is a reminder of those times:

Nursery and Reception Drop off: 9:00 Pick up: 3:20

Year 1 and Year 2 Drop off: 8:55 Pick up: 3:15

Year 3 and Year 4 Drop off: 8:50 Pick up: 3:10

Year 5 and Year 6 Drop off: 8:45 Pick up: 3:05

Gallery

Teachers have planned lots of activities this week to give children opportunities to encourage each other. Year 6 showed great teamwork during the 'floor is lava' challenge.



Year 5 have also been doing lots of adventurous activities, so needed to work together, encourage and cooperate.



Covid-19

Please follow this [link](#) to our school website to find lots of articles, support and advice from Solar, the school nursing team and the social, emotional and mental health support team.

Wishing you all a happy and safe weekend and week ahead and looking forward to seeing you all next week.

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