



St Alban's

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Monday Messages!

Autumn Term 2023 - Edition 8 - Monday 13th November 2023

Gospel Message of the week: Matthew 25:1-13

Jesus said: "At that time the Kingdom of heaven will be like this. Once there were ten young women who took their oil lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish, and the other five were wise. The foolish ones took their lamps but did not take any extra oil with them, while the wise ones took containers full of oil for their lamps. The bridegroom was late in coming, so the women began to nod and fall asleep.

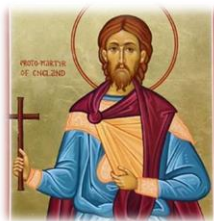


"It was already midnight when the cry rang out, 'Here is the bridegroom! Come and meet him!' The ten women woke up and trimmed their lamps. Then the foolish ones said to the wise ones, 'Let us have some of your oil, because our lamps are going out.' 'No, indeed,' the wise ones answered, 'there is not enough for you and for us. Go to the shop and buy some for yourselves.' So the foolish women went off to buy some oil; and while they were gone, the bridegroom arrived. The five who were ready went in with him to the wedding feast, and the door was closed.

"Later the other women arrived. 'Sir, sir! Let us in!' they cried out. 'Certainly not! I don't know you,' the bridegroom answered." And Jesus concluded, "Be on your guard, then, because you do not know the day or the hour."

Word of the week:

Consequences



Virtue of the week:

Why must we understand and accept the consequences of our actions?

Scripture of the week:

People will reap exactly what they sow. Galatians 6:7

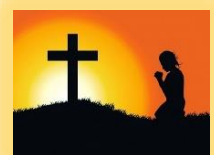
'Tweet Time' question we're discussing:



Are there some jobs robots could never do?

We offer our prayers this week to:

Those who have been hurt due to others' hatred and hope they find light in the darkness. God guide us to build a world of love and peace.



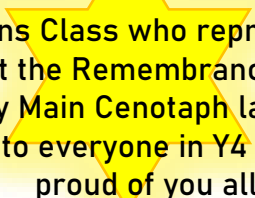
EYFS & KS1 Gold Award for Expedition Expert were:

Easby Class – Jenson
Rosedale Class – Jude and Tegan
Roche Class – Frankie-Rose and Hamilton
Selby Class – Thomas KC
And ... well done to St George's House Team who earned most Alban's last week! Enjoy your extra playtime!

KS2 Gold Award for Expedition Expert were:

Whitby Class – Charlie I and Jaxon
Fountains Class – Bailey and Sienna
Kirkstall Class – Fergie and Tallulah
Rievaulx Class – Lily and Marci

Headteacher's Award of the Week goes to...

 Fountains Class who represented St Alban's at the Remembrance Service at Denaby Main Cenotaph last Friday. Thank you to everyone in Y4 – we are very proud of you all.

Playleader Award Winners are...



Nate in Selby Class

Ethan in Riveaulx Class



Highest Weekly Attendance winners were...

Selby class again this week!!!

ADVENT ARRANGEMENTS – please see November Newsletter out later this week with further details about preparation for the events below.

- ❖ Christmas Tree Decorations for children to design and be in the draw for the winners prize on sale by Friends of School from Monday 27th November
- ❖ Advent Grand Raffle Tickets on sale from Monday 27th November – to be sent home by Friends of School.
- ❖ Children to wear Christmas Jumpers and donate items for the Raffle – Friday 15th December
- ❖ Christmas Fayre and Carol Singing from 2pm Friday 15th December – £1 entry on the gate payment – free drink and mince pie included in your entry fee!
- ❖ Christmas parties and special visitor: Thursday 21st December – EYFS until 4pm, KS1 until 4.05 pm, LKS2 until 4.10 pm and UKS2 until 4.15 pm.
- ❖ Christmas Jumper Day, Christmas Lunch (order and pay on ParentPay) and Christingle Service in Church 2.30pm Friday 22nd December 2023
- ❖ EYFS am Performance: 9.30 am Wednesday 20th December
- ❖ EYFS pm Performance: Gates open 2pm for 2.30pm start Tuesday 19th December
- ❖ Y1, Y2 and Y3 Performance: 9.30 am Tuesday 19th December
- ❖ Y4, Y5 & Y6 Performance: 9.30 am Thursday 21st December
- ❖ Tickets for Performances will go on sale at £2 on ParentPay soon! Doors will be open from 9 am for you to buy refreshments being served by Friends of School.
- ❖ Robin Hood Pantomime Theatre Performance and refreshments for all children to celebrate Epiphany – Thursday 11th January 2024. £3 per child payable on ParentPay soon.