



St Alban's

Catholic Primary and Nursery School

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Let God's love shine in our lives as we grow and learn together

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Monday Messages!

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Gospel: John 15:1-8

Jesus said to his disciples:

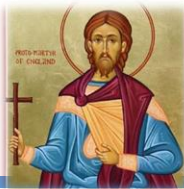
"I am the real vine, and my Father is the gardener. He breaks off every branch in me that does not bear fruit, and he prunes every branch that does bear fruit, so that it will be clean and bear more fruit. You have been made clean already by the teaching I have given you. Remain united to me, and I will remain united to you. A branch cannot bear fruit by itself; it can do so only if it remains in the vine. In the same way you cannot bear fruit unless you remain in me.

"I am the vine, and you are the branches. Those who remain in me, and I in them, will bear much fruit; for you can do nothing without me. Whoever does not remain in me is thrown out like a branch and dries up; such branches are gathered up and thrown into the fire, where they are burnt. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, then you will ask for anything you wish, and you shall have it. My Father's glory is shown by your bearing much fruit; and in this way you become my disciples."



Phrase of the week:

Protection



Virtue of the week:

How can we protect each other and keep each other safe?



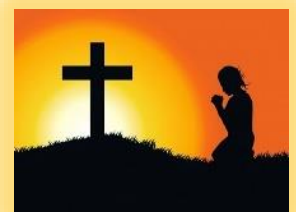
Scripture of the week: The Lord loves what is righteous and just, his constant love fills the earth. Psalm 33:5

'Tweet Time' question we're discussing:



Our prayer this week:

Generous God, support us in all that we do as a vine supports its branches, and help us to support and share with others around the world. Amen.



This week...

Headteacher Awards of the week go to...

All children in Easby Class who looked after our new starters and ensured everyone had a wonderful, happy end to this second week of Summer Term transition in Nursery.

Also to Lotty in Fountains Class for being a super tolerant and respectful learning partner enabling others to excel in their learning – what a role model you are Lotty – we are so very proud of you! And Alecksander in Kirkstall Class for always being a respectful citizen of his peers and all adults in school – you are a St Alban's Superstar!

Playleader Award Winners are...



Lucy in Whitby Class

Lilly in Fountains Class



Highest Attendance winners are...

Well done to our Whitby children with the highest attendance last week! Our attendance is almost national average this year and our persistent absence has improved significantly – thank you to all parents, carers and children for continuing to support our drive to improve attendance at St Alban's!

And ... well done to St Andrew's House Team who earned most Alban's last week! Enjoy your extra playtime!!!

EYFS & KS1 Gold Award for being a Remarkable Reader:

Easby Class – Dolcie and Lily-Jean

Rosedale Class – Tegan

Roche Class – Carter and T-Jay

Selby Class – Lewis and Neveah

KS2 Gold Award for being a Remarkable Reader:

Whitby Class – Jaxon and Lexi-Rose

Fountains Class – Chloe and Thea

Kirkstall Class – Fergie and Reuben

Rievaulx Class – Jenson and Keevah

NEWS AND CELEBRATIONS!

We enjoyed learning about St George day last week!



Thank you to everyone for supporting us in observing this Feast Day in school!

Good news!!!!

Our Good Shepherd Appeal reached a fabulous £886 – thank you to all who donated and supported us in observing the three pillars of Lent this year. The Thanksgiving Service which was due to be held next week in Doncaster has been postponed due to unforeseen circumstances. We will let you know when this celebration has been rearranged.