

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

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## Monday Messages!

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Welcome to our weekly update! Our 'Monday Messages' will inform you of the highlights from the previous week and the current focus this week.

Gospel Message of the week: Matthew 21:33-43

"Listen to another parable," Jesus said. "There was once a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a hole for the winepress, and built a watchtower. Then he let out the vineyard to tenants and went on a journey. When the time came to gather the grapes, he sent his slaves to the



tenants to receive his share of the harvest. The tenants seized his slaves, beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again the man sent other slaves, more than the first time, and the tenants treated them the same way. Last of all he sent his son to them. 'Surely they will respect my son,' he said. But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, 'This is the owner's son. Come on, let's kill him, and we will get his property!' So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him.

"Now, when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" Jesus asked.

"He will certainly kill those evil men," they answered, "and let the vineyard out to other tenants, who will give him his share of the harvest at the right time."

Jesus said to them, "Haven't you ever read what the Scriptures say?

'The stone which the builders rejected as worthless turned out to be the most important of all. This was done by the Lord; what a wonderful sight it is!'

"And so I tell you," added Jesus, "the Kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people who will produce the proper fruits."

Word of the week:

Humility



Virtue of the week:



How can we be humble?

Scripture of the week: You must all have the same attitude and the same feelings; love one another, be kind and humble with one another.

'Tweet Time' question we're discussing:



We offer our prayers this week to:

People who have been discriminated against due to their race or religion. We pray that everyone is treated equally always, now and forever.



EYFS & KS1 Gold Award Amazing Authors were:

Rosedale Class - Remi-Leigh and Seb Roche Class - Hunter and Theo Selby Class - Lewis

A special mention to Lucas Y6 for winning the St Pius Open Evening Quiz with 100% - £10 Amazon voucher is his! Well done Lucas!

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

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

Penny-Lane in Easby Class and Briella in Kirkstall Class for always appreciating the wonder of the beauty in the world around them!

KS2 Gold Award Amazing Authors were:

Whitby Class - Lucy Fountains Class - Gracie-Mae and Primrose

Kirkstall Class - Arthur and George Rievaulx Class - Eva and Olivia

A special mention to George Y5 who went to Whitby at the weekend to find out the names of Captain Cook's ships; Discovery, Adventure, Resolution and Endeavor which spell DARE! 4 Alban's and a Headteacher's Award sticker. Well done George!

Playleader Award Winners are...



Noah and Orion in Whitby



Raffe in Rievaulx Class

Highest Weekly Attendance winners were...

Y5 Kirkstall Class!

## Other celebrations and news!

Well done to St Patrick's Long distance racers who worked amazingly as a team and achieved the best race time of all the teams! Extra playtime for these children along with 10 extra Alban's. The winning House Teams in EYFS & KS1 and KS2 for Sports Day each receive 25 extra Alban's for their win on Sports Day!

