

# PUPIL POST



26<sup>th</sup> March 2023  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Lent A

**BE SPIRITED WEEK**





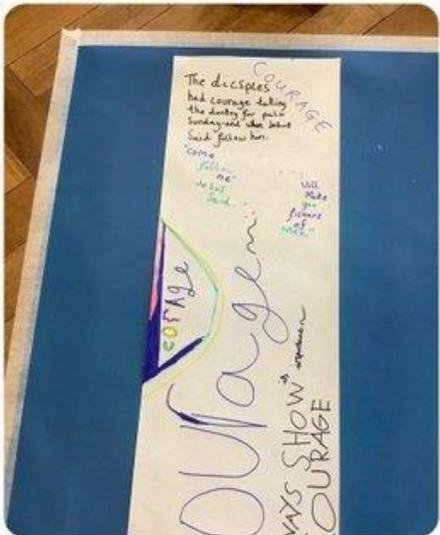
Our Lenten BE SPIRITED sessions in KS2 had 10 prayer stations based upon themes from this year's Lenten Gospel cycle. As Mr. White left the Hall on Monday morning, the children in Y4 broke into spontaneous and unprompted song with 'Servant King'.

Watch here:  
<https://twitter.com/i/status/1637781283278401538>

Year 4 enjoyed their calm and creative Be Spirited prayer station.

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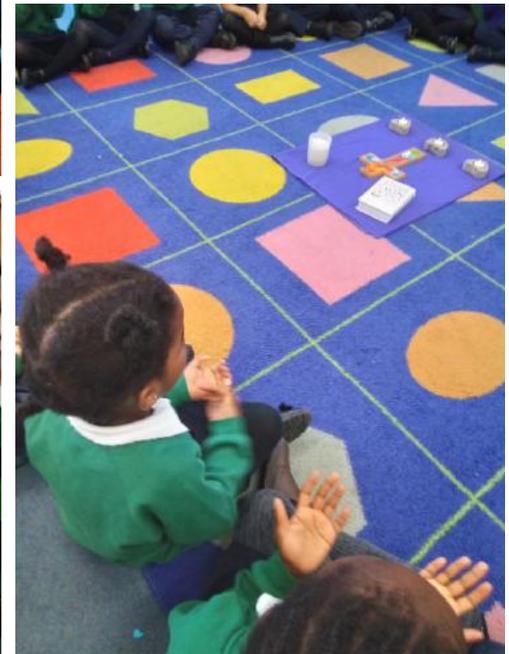
A creative 'Be Spirited' morning for year 3 as part of their Lenten journey.

*'I was making a story of Jesus' Baptism'*

*'I created a station of the Cross using stones, sticks & shells'*

*'This is special to me because it brings me closer to Jesus'*

In our Be Spirited session today Reception Mozart spent some quiet and reflective time thinking about how they can show God's love by being kind to others.



4DA enjoying  
Be Spirited week.



Our 'Be Spirited' boards are filling up nicely!



Jesus was a Miracle Maker when he  
**J** Turned water to wine

Jesus was the Servant King when he  
**E** washed the feet of his followers

Jesus was the Good Shepherd when he  
**S** Guides us to the right path

Jesus was the lamb of God when he  
**U** Forgave the people who killed him

Jesus was the saviour of the world when he  
**S** died on the cross

Jesus was a Miracle Maker when he  
**J** Fed 5,000

Jesus was the Servant King when he  
**E** healed people

Jesus was the Good Shepherd when he  
**S** Shared food

Jesus was the lamb of God when he  
**U** died for us

Jesus was the saviour of the world when he  
**S** Calmed the storm

God I think you are Amazing to us and you help us.

Please give me the courage to ask people when i don't really know them well

People I want to make peace with are my family that i live with.

To show your goodness please help me to be a wonderful boy and be good.

God I think you are Loving amazing and Kind you are full of goodness

Please give me the courage to Pray at home more and be kinder to everyone

People I want to make peace with are my sister and anyone I've been unkind to in the past.

To show your goodness please help me to love and help everyone and to Pray more often.

God I think you are Pure and holy

Please give me the courage to Make the right choices

People I want to make peace with are Everyone I have sinned

To show your goodness please help me to live a good life Amen

Lots of reflection and inspirational prayers from our children during Be Spirited



A wonderful Be Spirited session for Y6T full of reflection and creativity

Lenten Be  
Spirited in  
Nursery  
- thinking of  
Jesus!



# My Hands Are Yours - Kindness.

Jesus teaches us to show love and kindness to all who need it.

*"Jesus is the light of the world." "Jesus loves us!"*

In our Be Spirited time Nursery children held a pebble, strong and solid like the love of Jesus.

The children dropped their pebble into the water and watched the ripples of the water, thinking of Jesus' love spreading out to them.





Year 3 enjoying our 'Be Spirited' activities preparing themselves for Easter.





PIC-COLLAGE

**Beautiful creations of the Station of the Cross during Be Spirited**



Y6 explored the Easter journey at St Hugh and St John's church with Bridge Builders on Wednesday.



A beautiful, reflective  
Lenten visit.

All the children  
engaged so well  
with the  
different stations.





Reception  
enjoyed  
taking part  
in our  
Be  
Spirited  
activities  
this week.





# LOOK WHO'S COMING!!

Year One have been learning about Jesus arriving in Jerusalem.



*"Everyone is so super excited!"*

*"Hosanna!"*



The children in Year Five Teresa  
reflecting on their love of Jesus in our  
'Be Spirited' session



It was lovely to witness our children so connected in their Be Spirited sessions, and proudly sharing their creative sewing





Such excitement in the Infant hall on Friday afternoon as the raffle began! Thank you to everyone who bought a ticket and to the staff in KS1 and EYFS for donating the prizes. All monies will go to Fr Kukuba's Kanyike project. The amount raised will soon be shared.



One of our most popular areas in Be Spirited this year  
- creating the Stations of the Cross,  
inspired by images from Mission Together.  
Watch the children interacting here:  
<https://twitter.com/i/status/1638952216949039115>



All ready for our  
KS2 Gospel  
assembly where we  
focused on  
COMPASSION.  
At the end we drew  
our Easter raffle,  
supporting  
Fr Kakuba's  
Kanyike Project  
and also celebrated  
the achievements  
of our brilliant choir  
and our girls'  
football team!

Be Spirited very much enjoyed by Year One this year.  
*“God chose me”, “Peaceful”, “I thought of Jesus”.*  
Wishing everyone a peaceful weekend.





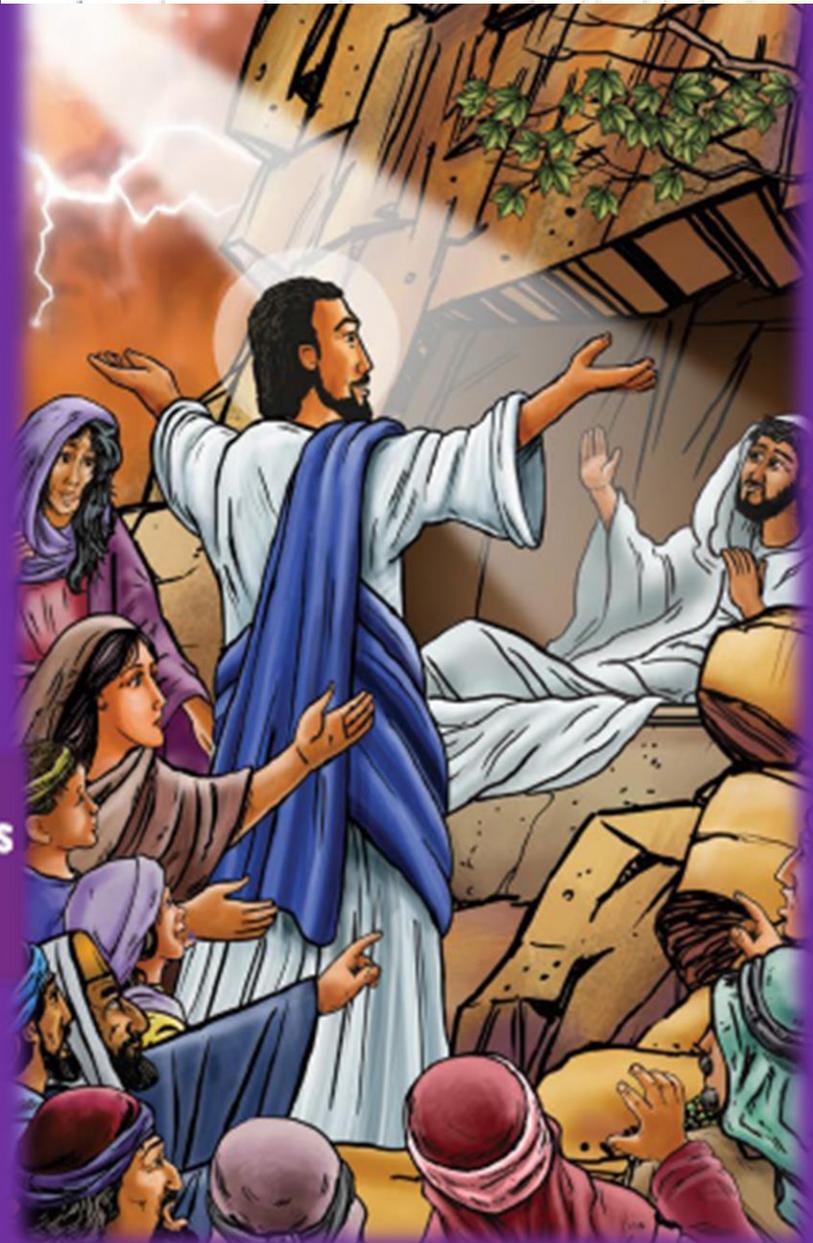
There was a friend of Jesus named Lazarus who lived in the village of Bethany with his two sisters, Mary and Martha, and he was very ill. The sisters sent a message to Jesus. But, by the time Jesus had arrived at their home, Lazarus had died.

As soon as Lazarus' sister, Mary, saw Jesus she threw herself at his feet, crying. At the sight of her tears, Jesus said in great distress, with a sigh that came straight from the heart, "Where have you put him?" So they took Jesus to Lazarus' tomb. Jesus wept. "Roll the stone away," he said. Then he cried out in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" Then Lazarus, who had been dead, came out with his feet, hands and face wrapped in strips of burial cloth. Jesus said, "Unbind him: let him go free." Many of the people there saw what Jesus had done and believed in him.

Please read and reflect together upon this week's gospel. Its theme is **COMPASSION**

**"That which gives us true freedom and true happiness is the compassionate love of Christ."** *Pope Francis*

**"What we say and how we say it ought to express God's compassion and tenderness for all."** *Pope Francis*



Dear Lord Jesus, Thank you for the gift of everlasting life. Please help us to be more **compassionate** as we journey through Lent together. Amen. ✨



# COMPASSION



## SCRIPTURE



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John 11:1-45

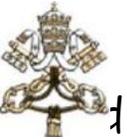
## TEACHING

Here we see Jesus as both human and God.

He has power as the son of God.

He also has humanity, Jesus was upset by Lazarus' death and wept for him.

He asks us to notice when other people are in need and to show compassion by doing what we can to help and support them.



## WORSHIP and LIFE



Dignity



Community



The Poor



Work



Peace



Creation

# EYFS Lent

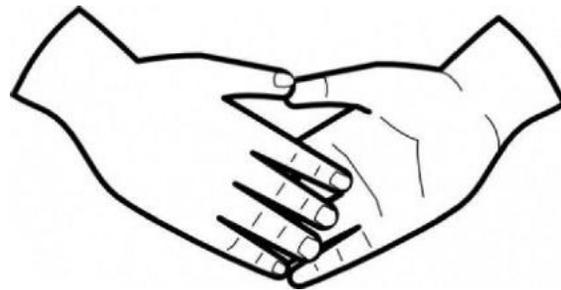
Pray



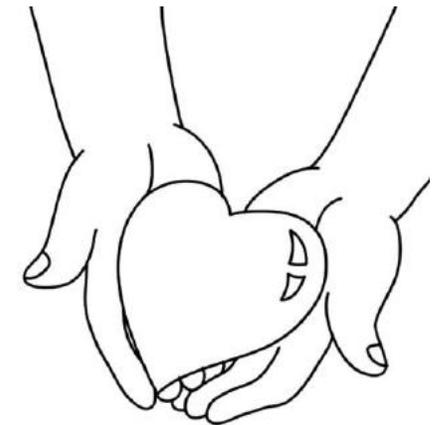
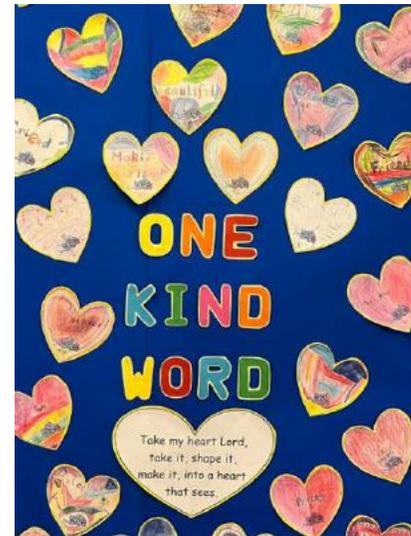
Give



Help



Love





# OUR SCHOOL LENTEN PROJECTS



Pray



Fast



Give



Year 1

Care of creation **Stewardship**  
Paper free days

Year 4

Building community & **Dignity of worker**  
Linking with St. Joseph's Church

Year 2

**Building community**  
Communication with care home

Year 5

**Dignity**  
Dignity & respect for self and each other  
Promoting positive interactions

Year 3

**Building community**  
Communication and links with Red Shed

Year 6

**Stewardship**  
Y6 Tolkien Litter  
collecting with EYFS

**Stewardship**  
Y6 Shakespeare  
Woodland walk habitat