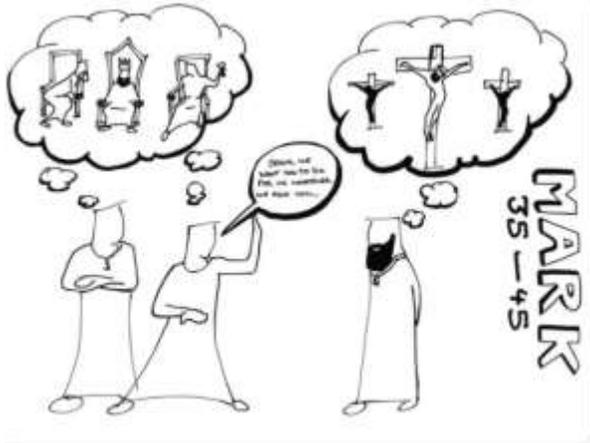


St James the Great Catholic School Newsletter

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Service please!



The brothers St James and John, asking for special treatment, got a surprise answer from Jesus.

The last few weeks' Gospel assemblies have had a similar message, all simple but difficult ones for us to live out. Following Jesus' way isn't easy, this week's Gospel recounts how James and John were told how it must be; that we serve one another - not wait around feeling important and expecting others to serve us. Look at the Rosary theme for this week and also our 'Pupil Leaders'.

Homework Celebrated

Today in Achievement Assembly three pupils from each class were given a free Amazon Fire tablet celebrating their Summer homework effort. Please work hard on the next half term holiday project as there will be more to give out when we come back!

Month of the Holy

Rosary

This week's Rosary themed Artwork, related to the Mysteries of Light (Luminous Mysteries), is 'The Wedding at Cana' by Reception.



Learning outside of our school

We have always placed great value on the opportunity to go out of our school gate and explore the wonderful world on our doorstep and beyond. To make learning as relevant and as broad ranging as possible.



Year 5 getting measurements for their mapmaking

To broaden experience and to extend and inspire learning. It is with great delight that we have started to book our residential school journeys again to the Isle of Wight and to Stubbers Adventure Centre, and to celebrate the joy of being out and about together again; all children will be visiting the cinema before we finish this half term too!

Parental involvement

This week we invited Y2 parents to a workshop regarding Maths and Reception Parents for early Reading. We welcomed new Nursery parents for a visit and we have plans for more after Half term too.



Parents at the Year 2 Maths session this week.

'St James the Great Awards'

'History- Using primary sources'

Pupils of achievement are as follows:
Nelda & Rosie, Maria & Anjoluwa;
Aimee & Evie, Jayden & Kyle and
Halima & Kairo

'Imaginative Learner - Being able to make links between subjects'

Pupils of achievement are as follows:
Jason, Emmanuel, Oyin, Solihom & Dami

'Pupil Leaders'

Lunchtime Leaders
Tommy, Gift, Kai & Lily.

Well Done Everyone!

St James the Great, Pray for us.