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**Wednesday 8th November**

In this week's gospel, Jesus talked about people who seemed to know a lot and thought they were very important. Jesus warned his friends that there are some people who always tell others what to do but never listen to their own advice. And, more importantly, who never do anything to help others. Jesus described people who want others to notice them and do whatever they tell them. But he reminded his friends that we must always listen to God first. Jesus reminded us of the way that He teaches us. Jesus does not act proudly or like a king. He acts like a servant because we should be like servants, loving and caring for each other. He always put others first.

*Christ Jesus, you came into the world to show us how to live as servants to others. Let our love for you be shown in how we care for all people, especially those who are poor. Amen.*

How can we make sure we behave in a way that would show our love for others this week?

Our statement to live by this week is:

***'I try to stand up for myself and others, without hurting others'***

**Bishop Marcus**

Last weekend, **Bishop Marcus** visited our parish and celebrated Mass with us. Thank you everyone for making him feel welcome. He spoke highly of the parish and thought we were



Class	Attendance this week:	Attendance to date this year:	Whole School % this week:
Seacole	92.9	97.4	96.6%
Teresa	93.7	98.3	
Nightingale	96.6	96.1	
Mandela	97.9	97.6	
Barnardo	98.3	98.3	
Gandhi	97.4	97.6	
King	98.2	98.2	

**Gold Medals:**

Class	Gold Medals this week:	Gold Medals Leader Board:
Seacole	43	●
Teresa	53	● ●
Nightingale	32	●
Mandela	33	
Barnardo	40	
Gandhi	24	● ● ●
King	14	

**Stars of the Week:**

EYFS Tom Flynn

Year 1 Lily Woodwiss

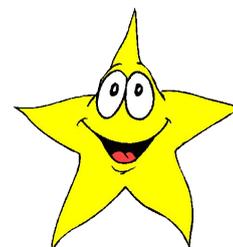
Year 2 Franky Garbus

Year 3 Joshua Weston

Year 4 Amelia Duttine

Year 5 Daniel Rayner

Year 6 Toby Woodwiss





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Dates	Time	Who	What
Wed 8th Nov	6pm	Reception parents	Phonics information evening
Fri 10th Nov	9:05	Whole school	Y1 assembly
	1-4pm	2018 Reception	Open afternoon for Reception 2018 parents
Fri 17th Nov	9:05	Whole school	Y6 assembly
Saturday 18th Nov	5pm	Y3 children and parents	Enrolment Mass for Reconciliation at St Mary and Monica's Church

**News:**



**Well done** to our pupils who sang on Sunday morning for BBC Radio 4's Sunday Worship at Bradford's Cathedral, you sounded amazing! We are so proud of you!

Reminder—this evening, Miss Wakefield will be holding a **Phonics**

**Information evening** to inform parents about how we teach phonics in our school and she will give you tips for helping and supporting your children at home with their sounds and reading. All welcome.

On Friday 10th November, we will be holding an **open afternoon** for prospective parents of children eligible to start school in September 2018. No appointment is necessary, pop along between 1-4pm.

Poppies and other small items are available to buy this week in school. Suggested donations range from 50p to £1 depending upon the item bought.



Well done to our **football team** who won a match last night against Crossflatts and drew against Eldwick. Well done team!

A massive **thank you** to you all for bringing in over **90 shoe boxes** for our appeal. This is marvellous, much appreciated and will really make a disadvantaged child's Christmas. Thank you for your unfailing generosity. The final tally will be in next week's newsletter!

Reminder—please do not block in other drivers when you park either on the surrounding streets or in the school carpark. Please be considerate of our neighbours, other road users and other parents. Thank you.

The Catholic Schools Partnership Teaching School Alliance of Bradford & Keighley are holding a Teacher Training Open Evening at St Anthony's Catholic Primary School, Bradford Road, Clayton, BD14 6HW on 22nd November at 6.30pm.

If you are a graduate and interested in becoming a teacher in our Catholic schools then please come along to find out more.

Further details are available from the Director of the Teaching School, Simon Gallacher, by emailing: csptsadirector@outlook.com

**The Catholic Schools Partnership**



A Teaching School Alliance of Bradford & Keighley

*If you are worried or concerned about the safeguarding of any of our pupils, please make an appointment to speak to Mrs Robinson, Miss Lister or Mrs Garbus who are our safeguarding leaders. Any other concerns should be raised with the class teacher.*

