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Matthew 7:12

13/6/25



Dear Family,

This week, as part of our whole school Assembly we focused on this half term's set of values *'Faith filled and Hopeful'*. St Joseph's pupils are growing to be *'Faith-filled'* in their beliefs and *'Hopeful'* for the future.

Together we shared the story of Pentecost and Leo from year 5, led us in the reading of the scripture, before we reflected on how the Holy Spirit also helps us, like the disciples, to be filled with faith and how we can share this gift in how we live our lives and be the best versions of ourselves.

Our mission for this week is to be guided by the Holy Spirit in all of our actions, remembering to be hopeful for the future, by being thankful for all that we have, whilst aspiring to be the best that we can be in all that we do.



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# Annie Jr.

Here is the cast of our production of 'Annie Jr', preparing for the performance on **Tuesday 15th July at The Savoy Theatre in Monmouth mat 6:00pm**. The children have worked incredibly hard on the show since February and it's looking AMAZING already!

'Annie Jr' is filled with well-loved songs like 'Tomorrow', 'Hard Knock Life' and 'Easy Street' and includes many dazzling performances from our very talented children!



Tickets are currently only available to the families of the children in the cast, but from **Wednesday 18th June** they will be available to everyone in the school community, at £6 per ticket.

Please contact the school office to book some tickets and bring your family along to watch the show. It will be a great way to end our school year! You won't be disappointed!





**Congratulations to our children who celebrated their First Holy Communion on Sunday with Father Nick, their families and fellow parishioners. The children have been preparing for this special Sacrament for many months, learning more about the Eucharist and the Catholic faith. Thank you Mrs Spray and Mrs Finlay, our catechists for preparing the children so well.**

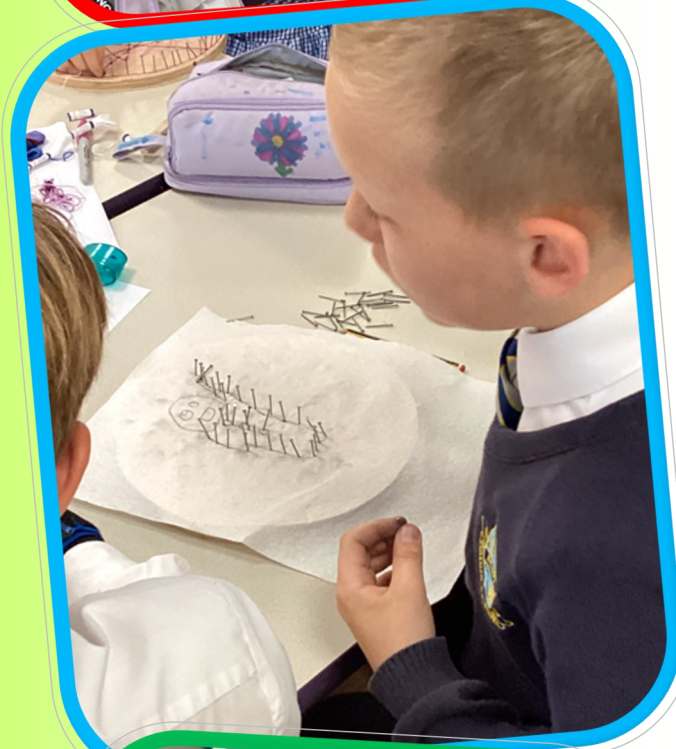




*A MESSAGE FROM MISS JENN....*

Last week Art Club played around with the mix of art and science when KS2 decorated polymer before changing the composition with heat and observing the change in their creation while KS1 explored pendulum painting, experimented with compression and chromatography and created Petri dish art. This week, KS2 explored one of the many intersections of art and math through string art. The children either followed a design pattern or created their own then hammered nails into a board which they then wrapped string around to create a picture or pattern. Our KS1 art club spent the afternoon creating a gift for a special Father figure for Sunday. In the remaining weeks of this term, we will have fun with weaving, screen printing, painting and lots more!!







**This week at Cooking Club, the children helped to bake one of our favourites - cheese scones. We started by rubbing together the flour and the butter to make 'breadcrumbs' before adding the cheese. We then slowly added milk to create a dough. Once the dough was combined and kneaded we cut out our scones with a cup. We then brushed the top of our scones with milk and added a sprinkle of cheese before putting them into the oven to bake.**



# Garden Club

What a beautiful day to be in the garden! A huge thanks to all who have donated grow pots. We have had a fun time taking an inventory and getting them organised. We then chose the best ones to sow parsley and cress. In a fortnight we will be able to take them home to share with our families.



# Welcome to Reception

We had a wonderful morning welcoming our new Reception children on Wednesday, as they joined us for their second transition session!

The children had a lovely time getting creative with painting, exploring the classroom, and playing with their buddies. Most importantly, they started making new friends and getting to know the faces they'll be seeing in September.

It was a joy to see so many smiles and hear so much laughter — we're really looking forward to our 'Teddy Bear's Picnic' on Wednesday 25th June!



# FUN TIMES!





**NURSERY IN ACTION THIS WEEK...**

*A MESSAGE FROM MRS LEREGO...*

**Nursery had a wonderful sports day on Friday. The children enjoyed a lovely picnic with their families followed by games and races. They all did very well and a big thanks to all the families for coming and supporting the children!**









# Summer Term

<b>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Year 3 trip to Dudley Zoo</b>
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Whole School Sports Day</b>
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	<b>Move up Morning!</b>
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>New Reception families picnic @ 1:00pm</b>
<b>Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Years 4, 5 and 6 visit Gloucester Mosque – Other Faiths topic</b>
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Reserve Date – Whole School Sports Day</b>
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Movie Night</b>
<b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Year 5 and 6 Residential to Cornwall</b>
<b>Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	<b>Years 3 and 4 @ The School Games Herefordshire</b>
<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Year 1 Cattle Country</b>
<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Year 2 trip to the Beach</b>
<b>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>End of Term Mass</b>
<b>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Year 6 Surprise Trip</b>
<b>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Annie the Musical Junior Performance</b>
<b>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Nursery Graduation</b>
<b>Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Whole School Colour Run</b>
<b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Year 6 Leavers Assembly</b>
<b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>End of Summer Term</b>

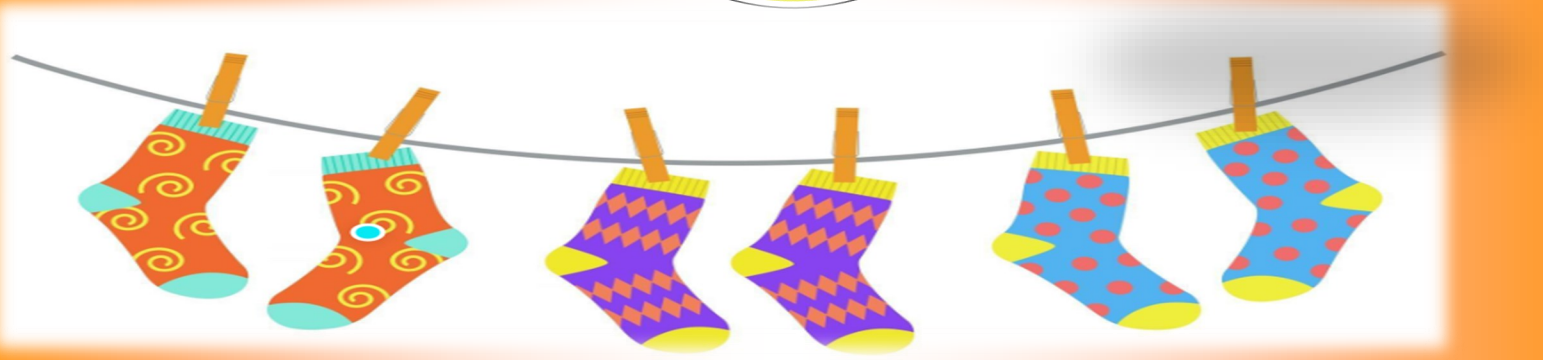
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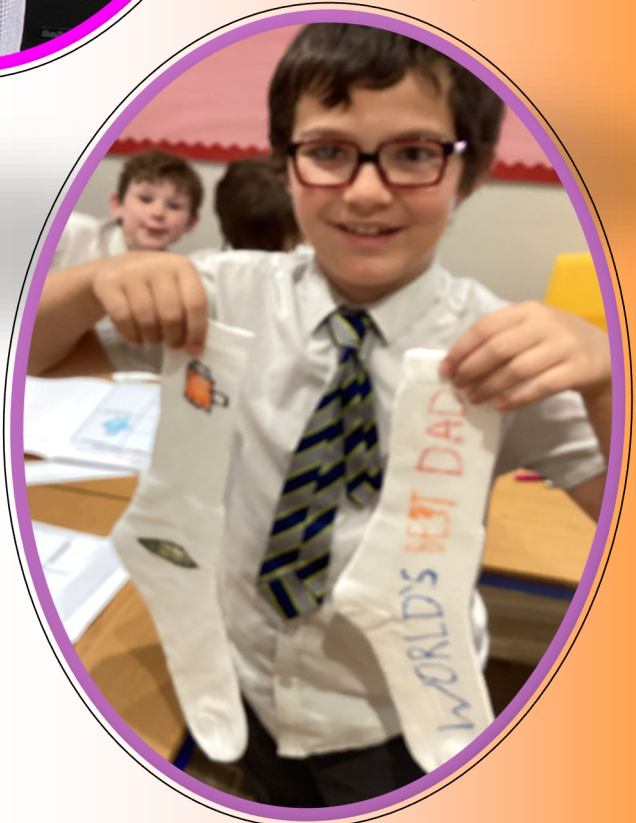
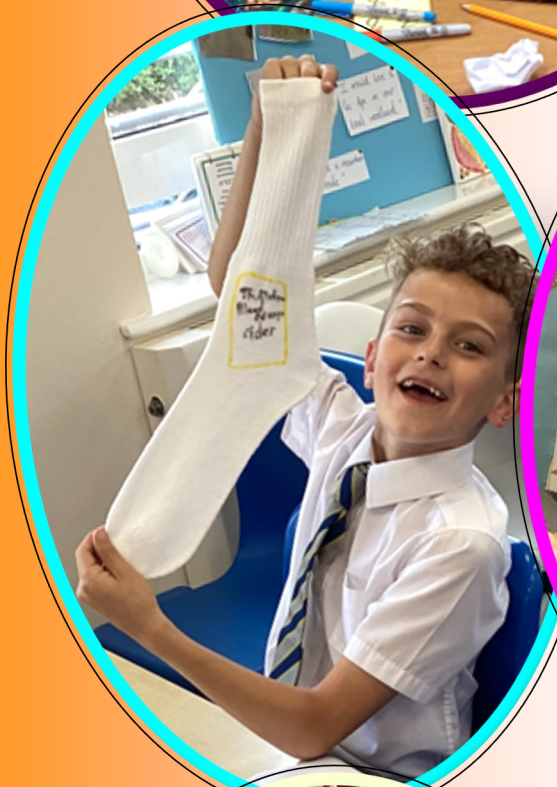
# CREATIVE



All of our classes had a fabulous time on Thursday, making their Father's/Grandfather's Day gifts, ready for this weekend.

We hope our families have a wonderful weekend and enjoy their hand decorated gifts made with love! Thank you as always to Miss Jenn for organising and leading on this.







# PIZZA, POPCORN AND MOVIE NIGHT

★ ★ ★ FRIDAY 27TH JUNE ★ ★ ★

£5 PER CHILD

## GREAT Attendance

SWIFTIES	88.17%
ABBA	98.97%
FANTASIA	90.3%
ZIMMER	92.22%
ALISHA	95%
MIRANDA	97.3%
SHEERIOS	97.1%

We will be holding a Pizza, Popcorn and Movie Night on Friday 27th June. There will be a choice of 4 movies to watch including:

- Sonic the Hedgehog 3
- Moana 2
- If
- Mufasa

The children will enjoy pizza, popcorn and a drink. The cost of this event is £5.00 per child and is payable via ParentPay. Pick up time will be 5:45pm from the designated movie classroom. If your child would like to attend please email the office and we can add this to ParentPay for you.

ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL



# SUMMER HOLIDAY

18TH JULY TO 29TH AUG  
(Except Bank Holiday)

Club



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Please contact the school office to book your child's place.  
Places are filling up fast!

Enjoy your weekend. Wishing all  
our Dads and Grandads a very  
Happy day on Sunday!

God Bless

Mrs Francis

