

Parish Notes for March

School Prayer

Lord teach us how to keep your day
Lead and bless us on our way
Christ within our hearts and minds
His care and love forever binds.

Amen

As I write these notes, the children are leaving to begin their half term adventures with their families. We have had a busy few weeks in school. All of the children have been focusing on keeping themselves safe online - work that is promoted by Online Safety Day. The focus this year was on being kind and understanding the impact that words / images can have when using social media. For pupils in KS2 this learning has been extended for some children by the very popular Jam Coding club.

This term, our school council have been focusing on raising funds to pay for Nadia's education in Rwanda. They decided to organise and hold a book sale, which raised £140. Thank you to everyone who supported this. Nadia's letters through Compassion UK have inspired us to help further as we can see the difference that her schooling is having to her and her family. Next term, the school council are focusing on improving the environment, so I look forward to sharing some of their eco adventures with you!

In our worship this term, we have been focusing on the people that Jesus met as a child and the beginning of his ministry. Year 5 and 6 have also completed the walk through the Bible course with Mr Bovenizer from the Faith Mission. Our Worship group and house captains have all led worship and inspired deep thinking. Mrs Burton and John Robinson from Blackburn Cathedral have taught us many new worship songs, which the children love singing.

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Dates for your diary

3 March	Year 3 children will be performing at King George's Hall as part of the Sing Together Programme
5	Pupils will be celebrating World Book day by sharing their favourite

March	bedtime stories...and coming into school in their pyjamas!
9 March	Our swimming team will be competing in the swimming gala
25 March	School will be hosting a puppet show, ;The carnival of the Animals.' Tickets are available at the school office for £5
2 April	Year 1 pupils will be performing 'Easter Praise' in church at 2pm and 6pm. You are very welcome to join us.
3 April	School closes for Easter

Thank you once again for all your prayers and support throughout the school year. If you would like to join us for any events or would like to volunteer in school - please get in touch.

God bless

Kathryn