

Nursery's

Journey of Faith

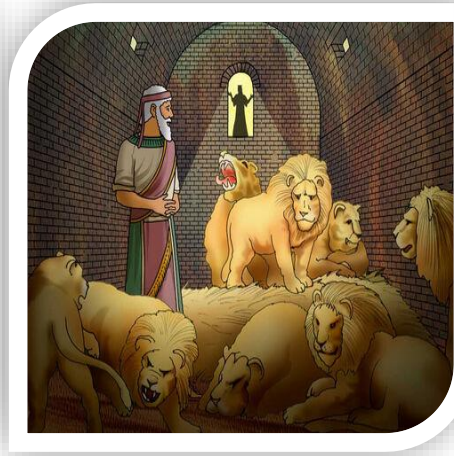


Prayer and Liturgy

At the beginning of the term, we focused on a different Old Testament story each week. We explored the story of Noah's Ark, David and Goliath and Daniel in the lion's den.



We have made our own Jesse tree for Advent and each day we share a story to lead us to Jesus' birth. Once we have read the story, we hang an ornament on the branches to remind us of what we have learnt.



"Advent is a time of waiting for our Lord, who will visit us all in our own hearts. The Lord is coming! Let us wait for him!"

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The children have enjoyed opening stories from our advent calendar and looking at the nativity crib on our prayer table.

We became more familiar with the stories, learnt songs about them, and prayed on the themes in them.

Learning and Growing as the

People of God's Family

Advent

We started the unit by thinking about our own family units and made hearts to show all those who love us. Nursery wrote sorry prayers to God to ask for forgiveness.

During the last weeks of term our focus has turned to Advent. We have learnt about how Jesus' birth is coming and we need to get ready and prepare for him. Nursery are so excited!

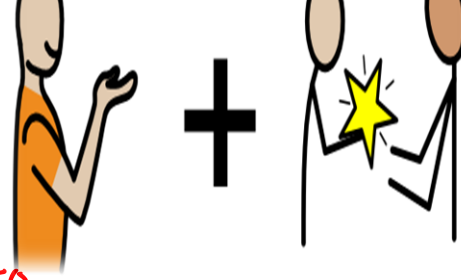


We then learnt that all of us are part of God's Family and that God's family gathers together in church. We made a collage of all those who gather in church together as a family of God.



We made birthday cards for Jesus and created our own wreath out of handprints as a symbol of Advent.

Catholic Virtues



Attentive and Discerning

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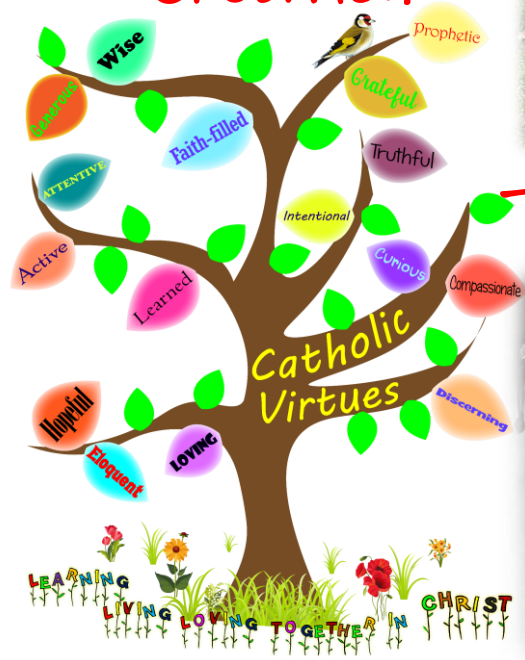
- We listen to what God wants for us and respond to the 'call' he has for our lives.
- We respect our parents and teachers.
- We enjoy God's Creation, looking after the wonderful world he has made.

Showing Forgiveness to others



Serving God

Enjoying God's Creation



Thinking about our 'Call'



In Nursery we are *discerning* when we:

- We think about our faith and how to serve God in all that we do.
- We consider the path that is set out for us and wish to follow that path.
- We show kindness, compassion and forgiveness to others.

Catholic Life of Our Lady & St Rose

As part of Advent Nursery took part in a whole school Retreat Day about Advent.



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The children loved dancing and singing to different songs from the nativity. We worked with Reception and Year One to tell the story of Jesus being born and to explain the importance of this event.

We enjoyed listening to Dan and Emily and taking part in various activities such as prayer, singing and collective worship.

