



# Year 4's

# Journey of Faith



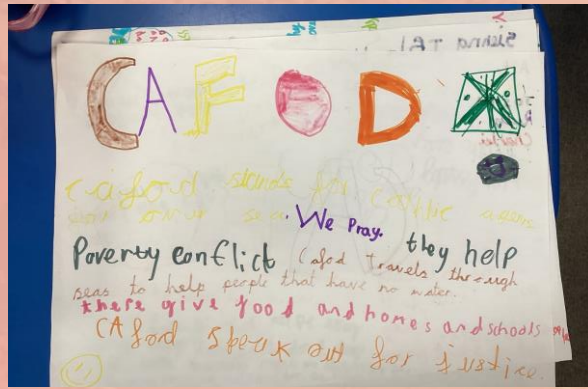
# Prayer and Liturgy

This half term we had the pleasure of being prayer buddies with Reception! We looked at what it means to be stewards of Our Common Home, and together wrote prayers about taking care of our planet and each other. We then gave each class half of our prayers to keep in our class prayer boxes, which we have then used over the rest of the half term in our collective worship time.



A big well done to Valentina, Teddy and Constance who read excellently in Mass which Year 4 led brilliantly this half term too!

Our RE lessons this half term have focused on the Creation story and then how Jesus has taught us how to pray. We have looked at the Pentateuch, in particular Genesis, and we have looked at different Psalms which Jesus would have read and prayed as a young boy.



Whilst looking at the Pentateuch we have also explored some aspects of the Jewish faith, including taking a virtual tour of a Synagogue! We also had a go at writing a diary entry from the perspective of Mary and Joseph as they visited the temple in Jerusalem with Jesus.

Learning and Growing as the People of God

# Curious



# Catholic Virtues

Our Catholic Virtues Luminary this half term went to Constance. She demonstrated over this half term a desire to always learn more, actively seeking out opportunities to further her knowledge and understanding, and always taking an active role in class work and discussions.

“Actively seek to improve our knowledge, reading books and doing our own research”

In Year 4 we are curious when we:

“Seek to improve our understanding of topics and of our faith”

“Ask questions in our lessons, showing an interest in our lessons and our work”

“Share our knowledge with others”



# Active



# Catholic Virtues

“Take an active role in our school community and our wider parish”

Our Catholic Virtues Luminary this half term went to Constance. She is always curious in our lessons, clearly having a thirst for knowledge, and she always asks insightful and thoughtful questions and is a kind and considerate member of our class.

In Year 4 we are active when we:

“Seek to do more and to improve and grow”

“Taking an active part in Mass services”

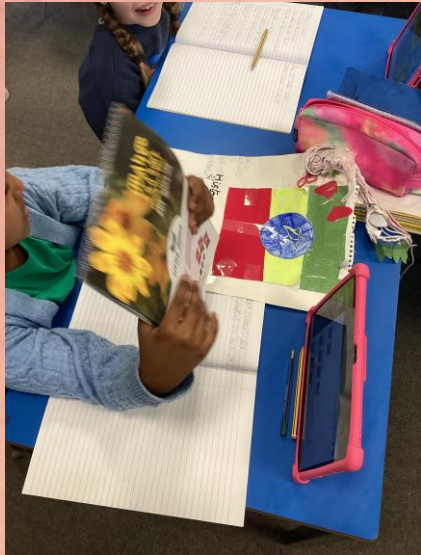
“We do not rest on our laurels”



# Catholic Life of Our Lady & St Rose

This half term we had the opportunity to share our heritage with each other as we took part in Our Heritage day. It was wonderful to see the children (and the staff) of our class and school celebrating their heritage and what makes them unique! We were so impressed with the variety of outfits that the children wore, and the conversations we had in class about a wide range of nations was very interesting!

A big well-done to Shalom who created an excellent poster all about Ethiopia!



# Catholic Life of Our Lady & St Rose



The children of Year 4 have been able to demonstrate the talents that they have been given by God in many ways this half term, especially in our Art and our Music lessons!

In Art the children have been experimenting with different lighting and shade, creating their own Caravaggio inspired still life pieces.

In Music we have begun to learn the ukulele with Mr. Reed, and the children have already demonstrated excellent playing and singing!

# Catholic Life of Our Lady & St Rose



We have been incredibly lucky this half term to be able to take part in Forest School with Miss. Mapother! The class have enjoyed being outdoors, learning outside of the classroom and experiencing the wonderful natural environment that God has created. As a class we are conscious of being good stewards of the Earth and we are able to put this into practice in Forest School.

