



St Aidan's Catholic Primary School

'Come in and learn with Jesus; go out and serve with love.'

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Dear Parents & Carers

[Please read our full newsletter here](#)

We are now well into autumn term and school is as busy as ever! Please do check our diary dates for the coming term. The children are working hard at their curriculum subjects and we are looking forward to welcoming you on Wednesday 8th October at 1.15pm for our open afternoon for parents and carers to come and work alongside their children and see what they have been doing in class.

As you are aware, part of our role as a Catholic school is to ensure our children learn about Catholic Social Teaching. In order to develop children's ability to understand and articulate what this means in practice we are asking a weekly 'Big Question' linked to the pillars of CST.

Next week's Big Question is **'How should we treat someone who is different from us?'** During these oracy sessions based on CST children will be expected to share ideas, build on the opinions of others and develop the skills to challenge others in an articulate and confident appropriate manner.

Thank you to Year 4 who led the school in Celebration of The Word this week on the theme of placing trust in God and following Jesus. They were excellent. Thank you to those of you who shared in that with them today.

Our Faith In Action group were superb helping out at the CAFOD shared lunch today. Thank you to those who were able to attend.

Last week, Year 4 were on a fabulous visit to Washington Wetlands as part of their science curriculum to learn about birds and their habitats. See below for photographs.

These newsletters will hopefully keep you up to date with what is going on in school week by week and also direct you to useful organisations and suggestions to support your child's education and development.

In the newsletter this week

- *Faith In Action*
- *Jubilee*
- *Attendance*
- *Statements to Live By*
- *RE Autumn Term Curriculum Plans*
- *Curriculum Information*
- *The Wellbeing Hub*
- *Love Reading: Books Of The Week to Read for Pleasure*
- *Caterpillar*
- *Keeping Children Safe – Snapchat*
- *Keeping Children Safe – Safeguarding Team in School*
- *The Wednesday Word*
- *PTA*
- *Feeding Families – How to Collect your Shopping*
- *Cost of Living Support for Parents*
- *Connect Mental Health Support*
- *School Lunch Link*
- *Wallsend Children's Community*
- *Dates for the Diary*

If you have any queries about any of these items, please get in touch via the school office.

Best wishes
Ms Lalor