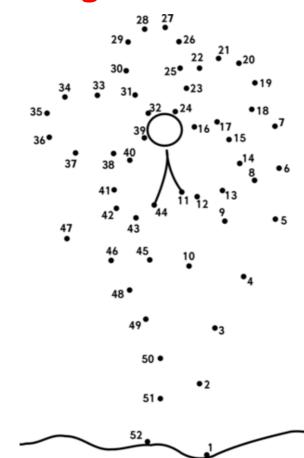
"Love one another as I have loved you" John 13:34

Fun Page

The children have been thinking about ways to connect with God's World.

Can you connect the dots in the picture to reveal an image of something we might find in nature?





Can you unscramble these words? They are all words about Pancake Day and Lent.

abttre	The mixture used to make pancakes	
srhvoe asuyted	Another name for Pancake Day.	
lufro	The dry ingredient used in pancakes.	
dbear	Symbol of Jesus' body.	
niwe	Symbol of Jesus' blood.	
afts	To go without food.	
cakenap	Made from flour, eggs and water.	
puersp	A meal eaten late in the day.	
amdri args	The French name for Pancake Day.	
has desawyden	The day after Pancake Day.	
mbot	Where Jesus' body was taken.	
icpedlis	A follower of Jesus.	
djusa	He betrayed Jesus.	
sertde	Jesus went here for forty days.	



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Care, Learn, Respect

"Where two or three gather in my name, I am there among them"

Matthew 18:20

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Debate Mate

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On the 9th of February our debating team participated in the first round of the annual Debate Mate Cup. These two teams consisted of a mix of Year 5's and 6's who all performed brilliantly against the other teams.

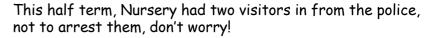
The structure was two teams of six; four speakers and two floor speakers, and we both had two brilliant but challenging debates. We debated on

things such as banning homework and making children pay for their parent's

care in their old age. Both teams worked especially hard and helped those pupils debating for the first time. Well done everyone!

By Leah, Year 6

Police Visit



That's right, our local communities PCSO's came to tell our Nursery children about what it's like being a PCSO, how they help our communities and why it's important. They showed all of Nursery around their police van and let the children (and the teachers!) try on the uniform. Remember, if you are in trouble and unsafe, call 999 or 112 for help. Make sure you are good too, or they might visit you next to go in the back of their van!

Thank you to Officer Paul and Officer Hannah for visiting!

By Kaylen, Year 6

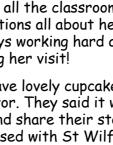


We recently had the Lord Mayor of Manchester visit our brilliant school. She went to all the classrooms, visiting the children and answering questions all about her life. She shared the message of always working hard and never giving up! The children loved having her visit!

Some children also got to have lovely cupcakes and a sit down interview with the Lord Mayor. They said it was very nice to get to ask more questions and share their stories too. The Lord Mayor was very impressed with St Wilfrid's and told us she had a lovely time visiting.



By Leea, Year 6



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Taekwondo Club



On the 5th of February, 10 of our pupils competed in a taekwondo competition. There were lots of schools there and 5 of our pupils came home with medals. Miss King, their taekwondo instructor, said she was very proud of everyone who attended. Master Miley has also been here recently for the children to do a grading. They all did very well with this too.

Well done Taekwondo Club!

By Humaira, Year 6

Chinese New Year

This term, Nursery learnt all about Chinese New Year. One of our Nursery children had brought her parents, Irene and Antony, in to teach them all about it. During their time learning about Chinese New Year, they made cardboard dragons and they did dragon dancing in the hall. They made lanterns and even made their own restaurant menus, with lots of pretend Chinese dishes.



The children also found out that they are all either a Dog or a Pig in the Lunar Calendar.

Surprisingly, they learnt how to say Happy New Year in mandarin and were very good. Finally, the children were given a red envelope with some chocolate in it, which is a sign of good luck.

By Amarei, Year 6

Assemblies

This half term, year 5 and 6 were working hard on putting together an assembly on what they have learned in their RE lessons.

Year 5 did an assembly based on Discipleship and Year 6's was about the New Covenant- [Love one another as I have loved you].

Everyone loved the assemblies and a big thank you again to all the families for coming along to watch us.

By Mariana, Year 6

Eco Warriors

The Eco Warriors have started a new initiative this half term about growing and looking after trees, working with Raichael from MEEN again. Trees will take a very long time to grow, so we are learning about how to look after things for a long time. They will share more about this soon! We are very proud of the Eco Warriors and all the school for continuing to work hard to Care For Our Common Home!

The Eco Warriors would also like to thank all the children and families for their lovely nature pictures that have been emailed in. They are a lovely reminder of how to connect with nature and God's World.

By Leshawn, Year 6

Interview a Class- Year 3

For this edition, we are going to be taking a sneak peek into year 3 to see what exciting and interesting things they have been doing in class...

They have been learning about volcanoes!! As part of this, they learnt about them erupting and the people who live nearby active and dormant volcanoes.

They have had a very exciting topic in Literacy, learning about Mary Anning. The Year 3's told me she was a very cool scientist who discovered lots of fossils in the 1800's and they learnt a lot about her story. If you want to know more, ask a Year 3!

In R.E, they have been making art about sins and discussing God's forgiveness.

They also have been making some yummy, yummy food with Kiddy Cook, every Thursday. As you can see, they have been learning about a lot of interesting things.

By Rosie, Year 6

School Council

School Council have been very busy!

Firstly, they have started a new club called Social Club. It is on every Friday and in this club you will be able to play games and chat with your friends. Each week the school councillors will choose a year group and use this time to chat and get to know their fellow pupils. Just like our local councillors, our school council know this is important to make sure they know how to help them!



They have also been responsible for toast, which has been going very well and they have listened to Key Stage 2's concerns about lunch time and have set up a new, fair order of who gets to go first in the line for lunch.

Soon they will be giving each pupil a questionnaire to ask if there is anything else they would like help with in school, so have a think and share with your school councillors!

By Modou-Lamin, Year 6

Loreto Workshop Day



This term, myself and four of my fellow Year 6 students went to a fun workshop at the Loreto High School. We were lucky enough to be invited and we even spotted some people who used to come to St Wilfrid's. We were joined by four other primary schools. We were split up and socialized with the other schools. During the day, we were in five different groups with a pupil from each school making up the groups. Whilst in the groups all day, we experienced four different lessons, which were English, Art,

Maths and Drama. We had a project to create our own products and even made our own adverts. It was great fun!

By Maxwell, Year 6