

## Year 3 Update 1.3.24

### RE

This week, we began our new topic called 'Listening and Sharing' where we learnt about the four parts of the Eucharist: We Gather/Introductory Rite, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist and the Dismissal/Concluding Rite. We looked in detail at what happens in each part of the ceremony and the importance of some of the actions and words that are said during this time. Next week, we will learn about the second part of the Eucharist in more detail and look at the importance of the words in the Gloria which is a prayer praising and glorifying God.

**Key vocabulary: Sacrament, Eucharist, Mass, gathering, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Holy Communion, homily, ambo, altar, rite**

### English

This week we started our new text called 'Dr Xargle's Book of Earth Hounds'. The children have made predictions based on the front cover, characters and setting. We have also started to learn about features of non-chronological reports. Next week, we will sort the information they gather from the text under the relevant subheadings and begin to write their own non chronological report as if they are aliens describing dogs in Earth.

**Key vocabulary: Non chronological, diagram, heading, sub-heading, facts.**

### Maths

Over the next few weeks, we will be focusing on length using mm, cm and m. This week, the children focused on the appropriate units to use when measuring various objects. They also reviewed how to use a ruler in order to get an accurate length.

**Key vocabulary: ruler, measure, length, centimetre, metre, millimetre**

### Messages

- There are still a number of children without the correct PE kit. **Please ensure your child has grey joggers for outdoor PE as the weather is still cold.**
- Your child can bring in some 'spares' clothing which can be worn at lunchtime when playing sports outside, so that their uniform doesn't get dirty, e.g. a pair of tracksuit bottoms and a jumper.
- A reminder that your child can bring in fruit or raw vegetables as a snack to eat at playtime.
- Any donations of tissues would be gratefully received.
- Please see TEAMS for this week's homework.

### Diary Dates

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March**- Art exhibition of self-portraits after school for **Padua** parents to view and **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** for **Lisbon** parents

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March- World Book Day- dress up in onesie/oodie or pyjamas. Please make donation via the Gateway for the Children with Cancer UK charity. Many thanks.

- Food Bank donation day

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March- Year 3 Lisbon sharing assembly for parents 9.15am

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March- Parents Evening 6-9pm

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March – Parents Evening 3.50- 6.30pm

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March -ALIEN DAY! To celebrate and enrich the book we are utilising in English, the children are invited to come to school in alien themed clothing. This could be simply their brightest clothes. The children will take part in a variety of different activities that day.

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March- Term ends 1.30pm

Have a great weekend,

Corinne and Frances 😊

### **Five Ways to Wellbeing**



### **GIVE**

Visit the chapel at least once this week and offer a special prayer for someone during this Lenten period.

### **Mark 10 Mission**

