



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - John 1: 35—42

John the Baptist's disciples began to follow Jesus. In this reading, we hear John call Jesus, 'The Lamb of God.'

One of the Disciples brought his brother Simon to meet Jesus, and it was at this time that Jesus renamed him Peter. Other translations of this Gospel relate to how this means, 'rock' and how Jesus said he would build his church upon him - the first Pope.



Gold Awards

Reception	Jessica Smith for quick thinking and brilliant blending
Year 1	Jake Nicholas for fantastic contribution and enthusiasm during wonder week!
Year 2	Gabriel Basnyet-Steingold for being a fantastic scientist all week using scientific vocabulary and making very thoughtful predictions. Well done
Year 3	William Pue for a fantastic start to Year 3, and for trying really hard with multiplication of 2 digit numbers
Year 4	Tyler Degnen for his excellent contributions to science lessons this week and being the first to make pan pipes of different pitch using straws. Well done!
Year 5	Harry Platt for his enthusiasm during WOW week and his knowledge of forces
Year 6	Freya Roberts for having a greatly improved focus and work ethic in all subjects

Wonder Week

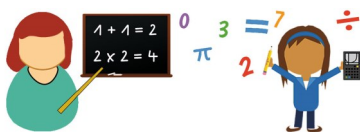


Welcome back and Happy New Year to everyone. I hope you all had a restful and holy Christmas.

The children have already been very busy focusing on science throughout the week. They have been investigating, making hypothesis, testing their ideas and discovering more about famous scientists.

Thank you to everyone who sent in £1 towards the science roadshows that took place on Wednesday. Mr Bowden wowed the children with his experiments and all week, the infants have been trying to escape their shadows!

Well done to the children, and parents, who completed the science homework tasks over the holidays. If you would like to look at other experiments, they can be found on the school website.



Please ensure that you put Parents' afternoon and evening dates in your diary. This year your 10 minute meetings with the teachers will be on Wed 7th and Thurs 8th February. The sign up sheets will be available in the school office from Monday 22nd Jan.

Finally, I would like to extend a very warm welcome to Mrs Gill Watkins, who has begun teaching in Year 5, following Mrs Rigby's retirement. Mrs Watkins is a very experienced teacher and has enjoyed her first week



