



**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Matthew 5: 1-12**

Jesus was followed by a great multitude of people and he stopped to talk to them. This is also known as the sermon on the mount. Jesus told them the Beatitudes.



# Gold Awards

Reception	<b>Delilah Meakin for brilliant blending and super segmenting to read and write cvc words</b>
Year 1	<b>Noah Gornall for writing the story of Zog and making up his own ending.</b>
Year 2	<b>Thomas Pickles for a great attitude to learning and being a pleasure to teach</b>
Year 3	<b>Tyler Degnen for working really hard on improving his reading</b>
Year 4	<b>Brooke Medhurst for being kind and thoughtful when working with a partner and for lovely, neatly presented work. Well done!</b>
Year 5	<b>Freya Roberts for showing enthusiasm in both her class work and homework this week</b>
Year 6	<b>Marcus Keefe for working hard in maths all week on our fractions work, super effort!</b>

## PTFA

Our next PTFA meeting will take place in school on Thursday 2nd February at 7pm.

Please come along and join this determined and friendly group as we plan our next events. Everyone is welcome.

### Whole School and Junior Class Mass Dates

Year 3	2nd Feb - 9am
Year 6	23rd Feb - 9am
<b>Ash Wednesday (whole school)</b>	
1st March 9.30am	
Year 5	9th March - 9am
Year 4	16th March- 9am
Year 3	23rd March - 9am



### Framed Art Work

Thank you for supporting the school and purchasing your child's art work. Approximately £250 has been raised from this for school funds. Thanks again to those who helped with the framing too.

### Dates For the Diary

Mon 30 Jan:	Parents evening appointment sheets will be available at the office
Thurs 2 Feb:	Year 3 Class Mass - 9am
Thurs 2 Feb:	PTFA meeting 7pm
Mon 6 Feb:	Choir visit to Stonyhurst
Tues 7 Feb	Parents' afternoon 1.30 till 8pm
Wed 8 Feb	Parents' meeting extra sessions after school (no country dancing)

Thurs 9 Feb:	KS2 hockey class 3.30-4.30 (5 weeks)
Fri 10 Feb	Close for Half Term
Mon 20 Feb:	School re-opens 8.45 am

# Reading

**To give your child the best chance in school and in their overall education, reading with them on a daily basis is the key.**

**Children love sharing books with adults and reading together. Make this your number 1 commitment in homework and we will be very happy!!**



A first for Alston Lane, after school Yoga sessions for children will start after half term.

The school council and this week's Gold Award winners will receive a free class on Monday 30th so they can experience some Yoga first hand. (PE kit needed). We hope they will then speak to their classes to promote the class to those interested.

The following information comes from the club providers.

Little Yogis Adventures is yoga for children delivered by story in a FUN way!

Our classes consist of a gentle warm up, a FUN adventure yoga story, games, cool down, and mindfulness relaxation.

Our classes are imaginative, dynamic and inspiring, whether is it through adventures with the hungry caterpillar, frozen, Harry Potter, a zoom to the moon or a dive to the bottom of the deep blue sea. Each story has a positive message and covers issues affecting the day to day lives of children.



All schools receive money from the Government to promote sport and ensure children have opportunities to be active during and after school.

Dave White (Tuesday morning tennis coach) will be leading sessions with classes during the spring term to increase the children's skills and enjoyment of tennis.

There is no cost to parents.

We hope this prompts children to want to play outside school hours too.

