



Sacred Heart RC Primary School
'Where Every Heart is Sacred'
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Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

It has been a great pleasure to welcome back some of our Year 6 children this week. It has been absolutely wonderful to see them again and great to see parents too! The children came in to school with huge smiles and they have brought so much happiness back to the school already. They have settled in quickly and are following all of our new school rules brilliantly!

We will continue to monitor the coronavirus situation as we consider the reopening of the school to more pupils with great caution. The next update regarding wider reopening will be on 26th June.

I really look forward to the Sacred Heart Zoom Mass each Sunday and it's such a joy to see so many families on screen. It reminds me that you are still all out there praying for the school and community. If anybody wishes to join the Zoom Masses please email Fr Kevin and let him know. His email is FrKevin.Murphy@dioceseofsalford.org.uk

God bless
Mrs Walker

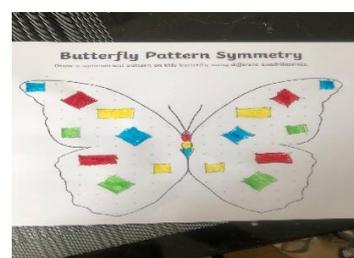
Key Worker Group Fun

The Key Worker children had lots of fun again this week with Miss Rattigan and Mrs Meadows. They were all super heroes and made super hero masks. Lunchtime was extra special as they ate in their very own, personally designed dens!



Home Learning

Class 5 have been learning all about symmetry. Oliver and Kacper sent their wonderful symmetrical butterflies for us all to enjoy. Well done boys.





Hope as we go forward



Pope Francis tells us: “We cannot tolerate or turn a blind eye to racism and exclusion in any form and yet claim to defend the sacredness of every human life.”

He is telling us we have an opportunity to lead the way in setting the agenda for a just world. But this must include:

- Recognising that our mandate to fight ‘injustice’ intersects with racism and we must therefore speak out.
- Recognising that in our country, racism isn’t a gun, an ignorant tweet or a confederate flag. But it could be, and these are just symptoms. We must get comfortable with the role the UK has played in history, how it has shaped global conflicts, global poverty and, yes, racism.
- Recognising that George Floyd is one of many and not the last. We will be confronted with this again. What therefore will our response be?

We may fumble, we may not know what to say, we may worry we’ll offend, we may have to ask questions, we may have to be silent, and we may be challenged, but as Catholics, Christians, global citizens and human beings we must see our commitment to fighting injustice as a commission to anti-racism and all that’s in between.

By Sam Aidoo – CAFOD

Good and gracious God,

You invite us to recognize and reverence your divine image and likeness in our neighbour. Enable us to see the reality of racism and free us to challenge and uproot it from our society, our world and ourselves.

Amen