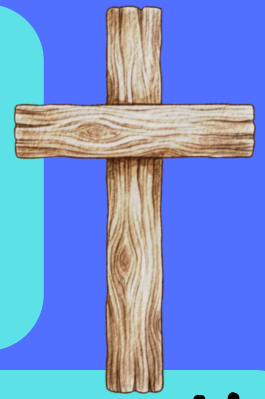


Collective Worship

1st May



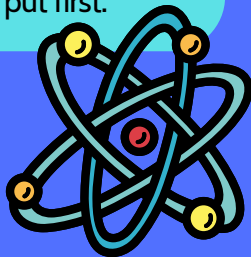
Celebrating...Humility

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Thought for the week

Consider, is the world a fair place? Do the people in charge always consider the needs of the people in the world who don't push themselves forward or do not have huge amounts of money? How can we humble ourselves so that everyone's voice is heard? How can we humble ourselves to serve others and make life a little fairer for everyone?

Let's celebrate those who humble themselves by thinking less of themselves and more of the people who need to be put first.



"Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet"

John 13:14

'Humility has made me think of kindness - it's important to think about what you say and how it makes others feel.'

Pupil voice

This week in collective worship

This week we have been considering what humility is and how humble people behave. We have heard that humility is not 'thinking less of yourself' but 'thinking of yourself less'.

We had an absolutely joyful Praise, led by Mrs Martin-Papp and our wonderful student school band. Some incredible singing of 'Joy' and 'Thanksgiving' which made it clear that our school is truly flourishing! Our Science Ambassadors led an inspiring worship where they shared with us some of the wonders of science and invited everyone to get involved in the Science Share that is happening in a few weeks' time. What a fantastic opportunity to explore scientific ideas, practice critical thinking, and showcase creativity and problem-solving skills. We were reminded how awesome science is; what a fantastic way to enhance our spirituality.

The KS3 Sports Day event was launched by Mr Manley - it looks to be another fantastic opportunity for St. Michael's students to enjoy, excel and show humility.

In class collective worship, we have been really challenged to consider if we are behaving humbly at every opportunity or if perhaps there are times when we put our own needs before others. We have also considered our behaviour when no one else is watching and what our work, character and actions say about us. We have reflected on the fact that humility links with kindness, empathy and compassion; treating each other respectfully helps us to live well together.

We have been reminded about how Jesus lived His life in a humble way and humbled Himself not only in washing the feet of His disciples, but also in the way that He treated others.

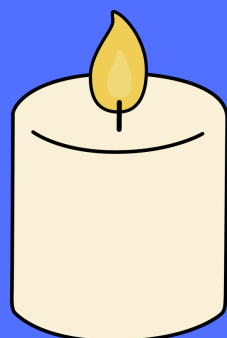
Let's celebrate humility and ensure that we are treating each other in a way that means we are considering and respecting each other's needs and wellbeing.

Prayer for the week

Heavenly Father,

May we have the courage to be humble, the strength to be kind, and the wisdom to see the greatness in others as clearly as we see it in ourselves.

Amen



Each person uniquely made in God's image merits the best that we can give.