

With the help of God, are flourishing together in faith, courage and love'



Collective Worship

4th September

Let's flourish together...

This week in collective worship we have been thinking about what our new Vision and Values mean and how we can embrace them.

Thought for the week

Our new school vision focuses on us all, as a school community, flourishing together. This means us not just thinking of ourselves, but always thinking beyond ourselves - how can we help others to be the best that they can be? In turn, this will also help us to be our best selves. We all go through difficult times in our lives, but if we support each other by showing compassion, empathy and kindness, we will be able to flourish together. For those with a faith, God is with us to carry us through when we need Him. Let's work together to ensure that everyone is able to flourish.

**"I came that they may have life and have it abundantly."
John 10:10**



'God has shown us how to be kind and I will use that message to be kind whenever I can.'

Pupil voice

This week in collective worship

It has been lovely to welcome everyone back to school this week for the start of an exciting new year! We begin the new year by delving into our new Vision and Values to secure our understanding of our new Vision and to fully understand how we can live out our new values to help us be the best version of ourselves.

We thoroughly enjoyed welcoming our new Year 5 students and parents to the St Michael's Church service 'The Blessing of the Backpacks' where Vicar Suzanne introduced our new Vision and Values and shared ideas with our new students of how they can live these out. She gave everyone a blessing for an enjoyable year where everyone flourishes.

In class collective worship we have also been focusing on what our new vision and values mean and how we can truly live them out in and outside of school. We wrote pledges for how we will endeavour to show Aspiration, Resilience, Respect and Kindness.

We are excited about the new year ahead; a year in which, 'With the help of God, we will flourish together in faith, courage and love'.

Prayer for the week

Heavenly Father,
Help us to truly live out our school values by being aspirational this year and aiming for the highest goals. Help us to be respectful to every member of the school community, ensuring we are looking out for everyone and choosing to be kind whenever possible. Help us to have the courage to keep going when things get difficult and to build the resilience to bounce back.
Amen

