

St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

Live the Gospel and when necessary use words



Bernadette's Blog

Winnie The Pooh Day



This week, we have been celebrating

"Winnie The Pooh Day"

This is celebrated each year on 18th January which was the birthday of author A.A. Milne.

Winnie the Pooh first appeared on the printed page in 1926, together with friends Piglet,

Tigger and Eeyore. All of them were based on toys owned by the

author's son, who also featured in the famous stories as Christopher

Robin. The character later starred in a series of much-loved

Disney cartoon films.

And more recently featured in the 2018 movie

"Christopher Robin".

Pooh bear is a very wise character, who is often quoted for his

inspirational thoughts about life, friendship and love.

During the pandemic we have really missed being able to hug members of our family and friends, so this week we are sending this special bear hug

to every member of our school community.

We miss you!

Stay safe!



"Pooh, how do you spell love?"



"You don't spell it, Piglet...you feel it."

**"Good friends are like stars,
You don't always see them..."**



"But you know they are always there."

"It never hurts to keep looking for sunshine!"



"A hug" said Pooh, "is always the right size."



**"You are braver than you believe,
stronger than you seem..."**



"...and smarter than you think!"

Happy Birthday, Lads!!



Don't forget!

We would love to see all your Home Learning activities, birthday photos, achievements, good news, sports awards, holy toast ideas and acts of kindness on the blog each week! Let's keep in touch during Lockdown!

Please email to blog@st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk by 10am Thursdays

Next Week!

We shall be preparing for the **Big Garden Bird Watch**. Details of what this day is about and how you can contribute to our next blog, will be with you on Monday morning via Parentmail.

BBC Teach and Winterwatch

We're thrilled to have teamed up with BBC Teach and Winterwatch for an exclusive day of Live lessons from 11am on Thursday 28 January based around completing a wildlife survey. Lessons are designed for KS2 and include data handling for maths and classification in science.

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Out For A Walk?

We still have some High Viz Jackets available in school for children to have, so that they stay safe and sound while out on their bikes or walking for their daily exercise, on these dark winter days.

These are free! Please make use of them.

Contact Mrs Royle in the school office if you would like one for your child.



Mass: Sunday 11.30am
Fr John McElhone— 0191 2623820



Message from Fr John

We have launched new more interactive websites bringing you the most up to date news regarding our parish communities which will be updated on a daily basis.

These can be found at:

www.staidanschurch.uk

www.stbernadetteschurch.uk

On our websites you will find information relating to times that churches will be open, booking a place for Mass and the initiatives that we will be undertaking to try and keep in touch with parishioners.

Additionally we have a Facebook Page:

[St Aidan's and St Bernadette's Community Page](#)

which you can join.

Holy Toast



As President Biden takes office in the USA

"There is always light,
If we are brave enough to see it,
If we are brave enough to be it."

Amanda Gorman

Prayer for the Week

Pope Francis

Prayer for protection from Coronavirus

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen. We seek refuge under your protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our pleas - we who are put to the test - and deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin.



NEVER ALONE

- NSPCC: 0800 800 5000 (24hrs)
- National Domestic Abuse Helpline: 0800 2000 247 (24hrs free)
- Mind: 0300 123 3393 (Mon-Fri 9-6)
- Victim Support: 0800 168 9111 (24hrs)
- Cruse Bereavement: 0800 808 1677 (Mon-Fri 9-5)
- ChildLine: 0800 1111 (24hrs)
- Action on Elder Abuse: 0800 808 8141 (Mon-Fri 9-5)
- Respect - Men's Advice Line: 0800 801 0327 (Mon-Fri 9-5 or 8pm)
- Samaritans: 116 123 (24hrs free)
- National Centre for Domestic Violence: 0207 186 8270

Vacancies

We have spaces in Year 2 and Reception, please email

office@st-bernadettesprimary.co.uk

for details.

You may also apply for Reception Class places for Sept. 2021 now.

