



THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

**Kingsland CE (VA)
Primary School**



The Kingsland Times

Friday 8th April 2022

Let your light shine

“Let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5:16

Let your light shine on our vision:

As God’s children, overflowing with His light, we will shine before others to inspire, nurture and bring joy so all may embrace life in its fullness to the glory of God.

Our Christian value for this half-term is **THANKFULNESS**

Please help your child to reflect on the importance of this Christian value.

Life at Kingsland CE Primary School: life in all its fullness (John 10:10)

We are certainly extremely **thankful** for being able to return to some sort of normality over the last few weeks, enjoying the opportunity to gather together as a community again in activities such as the HPAF Celebration Concert, the PTA Bingo and our Easter Service in church. Summer terms are usually extremely busy and the upcoming term will be no different – iSingPop, a variety of national assessments, the Queen’s Platinum Jubilee celebrations, Sports’ Day, Y3/4 residential at Oaker Wood, Y6 transition days to high schools, new YR transition days ...

In the meantime, however, we wish everyone a peaceful and relaxing Easter holiday.



PLEASE DO NOT PLAN HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME

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Dates for your diary

Monday 25 th April	Start of the Summer term
9 th – 12 th May	National Assessments for Y6 (SATs)
Friday 27 th May	Queen's jubilee tea party, and Parents' Show and Tell
Monday 6 th June	Extra Queen's Jubilee Bank Holiday – school closed
Thursday 30 th June	KS1 Sports' Day 9.30am; KS2 Sports' Day 1.15pm
Tuesday 5 th July	iSingPop concerts in Kingsland Church 2pm and 6pm
Thursday 7 th July	Y6 transition day to high schools
7 th – 8 th July	Y3/4 to Oaker Wood
Thursday 14 th July	Y6 leavers' service in Hereford Cathedral
Thursday 21 st July	Last day of term

The full 2021 - 2022 term dates can be found on the school website following the link:

<https://www.kingslandceprimary.com/term-dates/>

This week's attendance

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	School total
88.24%	97.77%	100%	94.54%	96.73%	95.74%



An update from the school governors: this week a number of the school governors assisted at our whole school **Easter Experience** in Kingsland Church on Wednesday. Parent governor, **Jason Marrett**, kindly shared part of the Easter story at our Easter Service on Friday.

Big Question

We continue our series of BIG QUESTIONS as a focus for family discussions. This week's BIG QUESTION is:

What have you learnt about thankfulness this term?



Every Friday, a child is awarded with "The Maths Rock" – this is given to a child who has worked especially hard in maths during the week. This week's winner is **Joseph** ... Well done!

House Tokens

Congratulations to the following children for achieving a house token!

Ambrey	Berrington	Croft	Mortimer
Olivia Arthur Ada Harry	Harper Imogen Ben Emmy Evie Joseph	Pixie Austin	Lucie Eleanor Nora Will

Congratulations to Ambrey who are this half term's house winners!

iSingPop Concerts

We are thrilled to be undertaking another iSingPop extravaganza. This is a Christian singing project where each class will learn a series of songs based on Christian values, culminating in two fabulous concerts in Kingsland Church on 5th July, the first at 2pm and the second at 6pm. ALL children will be involved in both concerts so we ask that you keep the diary free for what will be an incredible musical celebration.

Library reopening

We are delighted to be able to reopen the school library after the Easter holidays. As in previous years, children in each class will be able to visit the library before school, between 8.50am – 9.00am to take out and bring back books. There will be a team of Y6 librarians to assist the children in signing out the books.

From 25th April, each class has been allocated a day as follows:



Mondays: Class 5

Tuesdays: Class 4

Wednesdays: Class 3

Thursdays: Class 2

Fridays: Class 1



Children who wish to come to the library on their allocated day should come into school at 8.50am through the main school entrance – parents are welcome to drop their child off at the main school entrance. Children can come to the library themselves as there will be Y6 librarians ready to help them out.

Y4 Multiplication Tables Check (MTC)

All Y4 children will soon be taking the government's Y4 MTC. Click on [this link](#) to take you to a practise simulator.

Children in Year 3 should know all multiplication **and division facts** for the following multiplication tables:
10 2 5 3 4 8

Children in Year 4 should know all multiplication **and division facts** up to 12 x 12.

Children in Years 5 and 6 should know all multiplication **and division facts** up to 12 x 12 and be able to rapidly recall them and apply this knowledge to problem solving questions. They should also **make connections** with other related facts e.g. fraction and decimal facts – if I know $6 \times 7 = 42$, then I also know that $0.6 \times 7 = 4.2$ and $60 \times 7 = 4200$.

Congratulations go to the following children who have received Headteacher's Awards:

Maisie, Edie and Lilly for super progress in arithmetic; **Zac** for excellent writing about The Butterfly Lion; **Flo and William** for great improvement with grammar; **Olivia** for super hard work and perseverance this term; **Peter, Jasmine, Jamie and Jess** for fabulous poems; **Lucie** for always being a good role model; **Isabelle and Helen** for super writing about going to the green grocers; **Ava** for great writing about the Easter story – well done!

Life in all its fullness (John 10:10)



As part of their topic about 'Awe Inspiring Architects', Class 5 visited the Border Oak showhome in Kingsland. Thank you to Border Oak for facilitating this visit.



On Monday, Class 5 children worked in groups to present Worship Time to each of the other four classes.



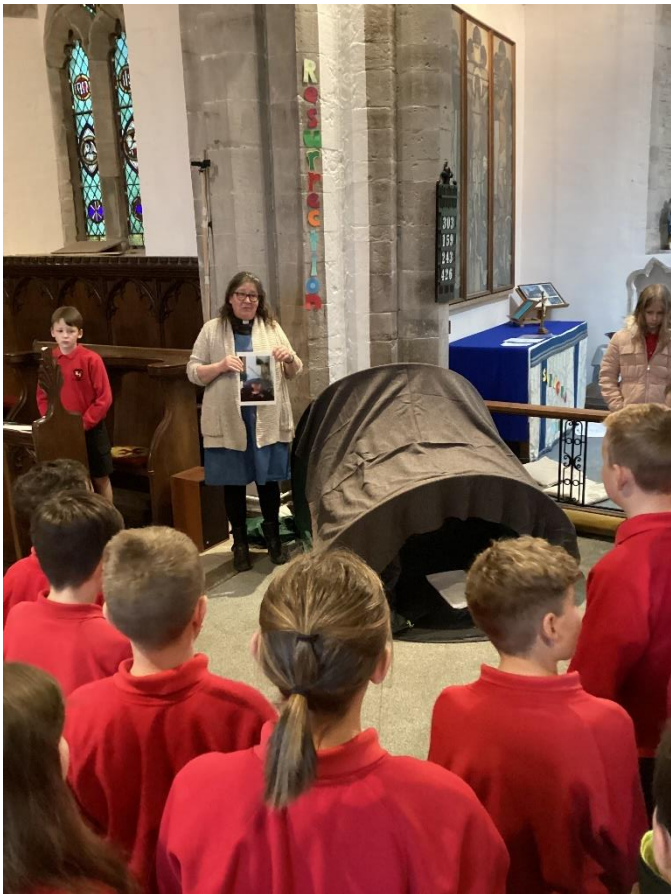
Each class enjoyed a fabulous Easter Experience at Kingsland Church on Wednesday. Thank you to Rev Julie, governors and community volunteers who made it so memorable.













The children wrote their hopes and aspirations on a stone to create a cairn of hope.



THANK YOU

The staff of Kingsland CE Primary School would like to send a heartfelt THANK YOU to the anonymous Easter cake donor who has delivered this fabulous cake to the staffroom. We are extremely humbled by your generosity – thank you.



A huge THANK YOU also to the anonymous donor (via Applegreen Filling Station) who gave every child in the school a chocolate egg.

Well done to the choir who sang beautifully in our Easter service.





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Ofsted:
OUTSTANDING

“ ... the quality of education provided is exceptional”

“Pupils’ experiences go far beyond what they learn in lessons.”

“Pupils’ behaviour exemplifies the aim ‘Learn to love.’”

(Ofsted March 2020)



SIAMS:
OUTSTANDING

YR SCHOOL PLACES

Do you have a child due to start school in September 2022?

We currently have a small number of school places still available for children who are due to start school in YR in September 2022.



Please contact the school office for further information:

01568 708436 or

admin@kingslandengland.hereford.sch.uk





MILK - SUMMER TERM

Milk for children **OVER THE AGE OF 5**

for the whole of the Summer Term

(up to the Summer holidays) will be **£14.82**

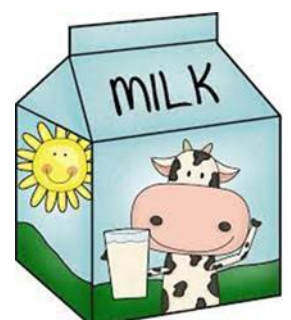
The price of milk per day will remain at 26p

Online payment is now open.

Closing date for orders is **Friday 29th April 2022**

Orders cannot be accepted after this date.

Thank You



Easter Collective Worship



This week we explored the Easter events from 2000 years ago, and reflected upon the idea that the tomb was empty but full. We used Easter eggs to help us pray and learned an Easter Shout that churches will say on Easter Sunday.

You can watch the video again here: <https://youtu.be/pR4lldT-Uao>

Further ideas for reflecting

The tomb
was empty,
but the
world was
full, full
of... ?

Full of Promise

The Easter message is one of hope and joy as Christians celebrate that Jesus is alive. The empty tomb is full of promise. Why not make a promise box or jar this Easter and fill it with some of God's promises to remind you of the hope Jesus came to bring.



Here some verse to get you started look them up [online](#) or in your own Bible:

Jeremiah 29:11, Psalm 40:5, Proverbs 3:5-6, Psalm 61:3, Psalm 139:14. Add others as you learn them in our worship or when reading the Bible at other times.



DESIGN your own cross.

In Latin America wooden crosses are often decorated to represent different parts of Jesus life and teachings. This cross represent the place Jesus has in the local community. Why not design your own cross on paper or card, you could use collage, paint or draw it. If you have an adult to help you might even want to make one out of wood. What would you want your cross to show. How could it show God's place in your community?

EASTER GARDENS

Parts of the Passion (the Easter story) take place in a garden.

If you're able too why not make an Easter garden. Like the ones shown below.

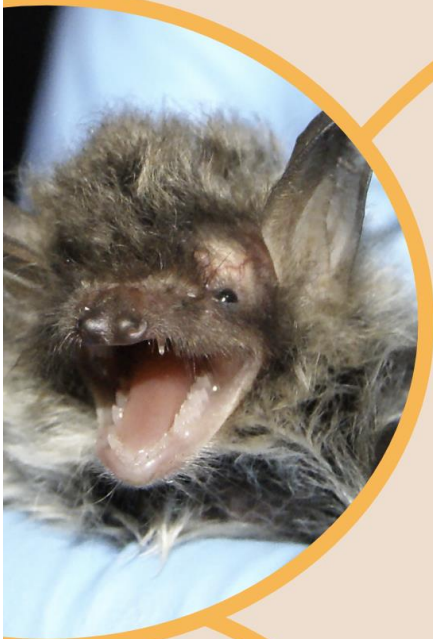
If you have the space you could make a larger version in your garden using sticks to make three crosses and a den to represent the tomb.

What else could you put in it?

As you make it think about the events that happened at the cross and the tomb.

Think about some of the different people who were there, Jesus' mum Mary, the disciples, the other Mary who visited the tomb. How did their feelings change during the Easter story?

You may like to write a reflective poem, a song or a prayer to show what you think about.



Introduction to Bats

with James Bissett

Herefordshire's very own 'Bat man' will lead you on a gentle introduction to the world of the bat. We will have a short talk on how incredible bats are and then head out with detectors to see what we can find in the village. Suitable for all ages, bring a torch and wrap up warm.

30th

April 2022

7 to 9pm

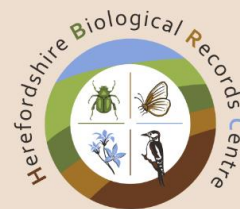
Eardisland
Village hall,

HR6 9BP

To book or for more info

tim@clan-cic.org

www.hbrc.org.uk



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EASTER HOLIDAY FUN!

Fri 8th – Sat 23rd April
Weds–Sat & Easter Sun & Mon
10.30am-4.30pm



Who's stolen Bertie Bunny's carrots?

Help Bertie Bunny find his lost treats by following the carrot clues through the Judge's rooms. Win a choccy prize—yum yum!
A bonus crafty prize for finding a purple carrot!

Through our wonderful Gift Aid scheme, if you choose to give your admission price as a donation, you will receive a pass that allows you to come back as many times as you like for a whole year



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Easter Celebrations in the Churches of the Mortimer's Cross Parishes

A message from Rev Julie read ...



10am - 11am on Good Friday April 15th at St Andrew's Church Leinthall Earles HR6 9TX

Children's Story and Walk. For the last two years Stuart and I have done this alone!

A story and a walk up a hill with a cross in the beautiful setting of St Andrew's Church, Leinthall Earles. HR6 9TX finishing with hot chocolate and hot cross buns. Wear sensible shoes and coats if the weather is cold or wet. All are welcome.

Easter Sunday 9. 30am at Eardisland Church, or 11am at Kingsland Church. Easter Service (with the Kingsland Easter Bunny after the service on the green scattering Easter Egg fun) and the Easter tree by the gate





Sponsor an Easter Egg!

You are invited to sponsor an egg this Easter at Kingsland Church to remember a loved one, or to give thanks for a special event or occasion. A donation of £5 per egg is suggested, but lesser – or greater – sums would be equally welcome. Eggs will be displayed on the tree near the gate for Easter Day! A list will be

posted outside the church of the people and events being remembered.

SPONSOR FORM

Please return **no later than Wednesday 13th April** with your donation to Rev. Julie Read at The Rectory.

I would like the following names or events to be remembered with an egg:

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Number of eggs.....

I enclose donation of £.....

Name of sponsor.....

Address

Postcode

Signed

Date

GIFT AID IT

(Delete this paragraph if inappropriate) I am a UK taxpayer intending tax to be reclaimed on the enclosed donation made under the Gift Aid scheme. I understand that I must have paid tax that at least equals the tax being reclaimed on the donation (currently £1.25 for every £5 donated).



Junior Golf Taster Camp



Learn to Play Golf at Kington GC

Junior Golf Half Term Taster Camp at Kington Golf Club

Tuesday 12th April - 1pm until 4pm

Learn how to play golf

Coaching from our PGA Golf Professional

All equipment and refreshments provided

£10.00 pp

Ages 7 -11 years ONLY - Girls & Boys all welcome



Contact : pro@kingtongolf.co.uk or call 01544 230340 ext 1



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This half term's Christian value is:

THANKFULNESS

Educating for Community and
Living Well Together



A prayer for THANKFULNESS

Thank you, God, for all your blessings to me and my family; for the strength you give me each day and for all the people around me who make life more meaningful. Amen

Christian Value Family Reflection

Welcome to our Christian Value Family Reflection which offers some suggestions, thoughts and ways into exploring and reflecting on the value of this half term: **THANKFULNESS**

A reflection on THANKFULNESS by Wendy Priday, Foundation Governor, Eardisland Church

A Bible story that illustrates the value of THANKFULNESS is the story of the ten lepers: Luke, Chapter 17.

A leper is a person who has a disease called leprosy which causes sores all over their bodies. In Jesus' day this disease was very common – people who had this disease were thought to be unclean and were required to stay away from others because of the fear that they may be infected.

One day, Jesus was walking through a small village when he saw a group of ten lepers. They stood far away from Jesus and called to him, “Jesus, Master, have pity on us.” Obviously, they knew who Jesus was and that he had the power to heal them. When Jesus heard them, he called back to the lepers and said “Go, show yourselves to the priest.”

As the lepers went on their way to see the priest, they looked at their skin and the sores were gone! Jesus had healed their disease! They were so happy that they ran up and down the streets singing and dancing. Suddenly, one of them stopped and went back. Praising God with a loud voice, he threw himself at Jesus' feet and said “Thank you”. Jesus said to him, “Weren't there ten who were healed? Where are the other nine?” Only one out of ten remembered to say, “Thank you.”

Every one of us has so much for which to be thankful and don't you just hate it when someone does something nice for you and you are prompted with the words “Now what do you say?” We all know what to say, but unfortunately, we sometimes forget to say it - which is what happened in our Bible story.

Last year many of you sent cards and pictures to the Wye Valley NHS to say a very big “Thank you” to them for all their extra hard work during this pandemic – and then they wrote back to you with their heartfelt thanks saying how much they appreciated what you had done!

There is a very old saying “Count your blessings” and, indeed, it reminds us to celebrate and be truly thankful for everything, our families and friends and the acts of service in this amazing world that keep us all going each and every day.



**Developing our
reading fluency and
comprehension.**

**Developing our
resilience and
never giving up.**

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'Let Your Light Shine'



What are our aims for this year?

**Developing a sense of
passionate service and
courageous advocacy.**

**Developing our
mastery of number
and number sense.**