



"Encouraging every child to reach their full potential – nurtured and supported in a Christian community that lives and learns by the values of Love, Compassion and Respect".

John 13:34 "Love one another as I have loved you."

# KIDS AT KING'S

Faith Newsletter written by The King's School Faith and Prayer Ambassadors

## HELLO TO OUR READERS!

Welcome to our first Faith Newsletter, written by our Faith and Prayer Ambassadors! We will write these termly and it will tell you all about the ways that our values of Love, Compassion and Respect are brought to life at The King's School. We hope you enjoy our first edition.

*Faith and Prayer Ambassadors*

## THE PASSIONTIDE AND EASTER

After Palm Sunday, Passion Week gives way to Holy Week and the Church follows Jesus during his final days in Jerusalem. The Passion narrative was traditionally proclaimed during Mass on each day of Holy Week leading up to Holy Thursday. Our Year 5 pupils performed their own Passiontide to mark the last two weeks of lent. Mrs Noyes, Miss Carter and Mr Megrah put on a splendid show that was enjoyed by all.

## PRAYER

*Dear Lord,*

*We pray for the people who are still living on the street, without a roof of the head, food for their stomachs and shelter to keep warm.*

*We ask you to provide them with hope and courage and keep them safe through the night.*

*Amen*

*Faith and Prayer Ambassadors - Yr 3*

## COURAGEOUS ADVOCACY

This spring term we have been raising awareness for Homelessness. We started by discussing together how we could tackle this problem as a school. Although we are a small part of a lot of change that needs to take place, we have all been determined to make a difference. We decided we wanted to run a 'Shoe Box Appeal'. We found a charity we wanted to work with called 'The Vineyard Community'. Therefore, we contacted David Logan, The Chief Executive and he came into school and spoke to us about all of the support his team provide for people who are living on the streets. On Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February, we all delivered our own class based collective worships across the school about the appeal to inform our peers about what they would need to do.

Once all the donations and cardboard started to come in and was collected, as a team we packed the boxes and were ready to go off in the van, with David to deliver the care packages.

We have really enjoyed being a part of this project and meeting David. We are hoping to spend more time with David and the Vineyard Community and extend our courageous advocacy. We were thinking about going into David's shelter to show our support and help with the services they provide for our next project!

