

Just to let you know..



This week the children worked in groups across the year group to bake mince pies and biscuits, create wonderful floral displays and orange pomanders, carefully measure and mark out Merrels Boards and make beautiful tree decorations as well as bags of chocolate bark! They worked incredibly hard and were delighted with the results of their labour!

Thank you for supporting the Year Five Tudor Fayre on Thursday afternoon. The children raised an amazing £271 which will be given to 'One Big Step for Daniel'.

Please copy the link below for Information about Daniel.

www.onebigstepfordaniel.co.uk/



Thank you so much for your help with group reading. We will resume our guided reading sessions after the Christmas holidays. Remember to keep up the regular reading aloud at home, too!

Dear Parents,

A few dates for your diary at this very busy time!

Monday 16th: Y5 and Y6 Disco (6 —7.30 pm)

Tuesday 17th: Y4 and Y5 Winter Walk 9—10.30 am
Y6 Fund raiser for Guildford Homeless and Syria in Crisis appeal. Children may bring a small amount to purchase items, if they would like to —11.30 am

Wednesday 18th (am): Y5 to visit Y2 Pewley friends

Thursday 19th : Parent 'Thank You' 12.30 — 1 pm
Christmas church service 1.45 pm

Friday 20th: End of term —collect at 1.45 pm

This week Year Five visited the BAPS Shri Swaminarayan Mandir, London, which is a beautiful Hindu temple. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience and were a credit to the school and to you; their behaviour was exemplary and was commended by worshipers at the temple. The children observed arti, which is a form of prayer offered in greeting and thanksgiving to God. We all found the experience deeply spiritual.

The children will have brought home bibles, which are a gift from 'Bibles for Children'. Each bible has a plate inside which has been written by a child in Year Four; Year Five wrote theirs to the children in Year Four. The bibles were swapped during a special assembly on Thursday morning where Robert Cotton and Nick Williams, along with members of staff, shared their favourite bible stories with the children.

This is a gift that we are sure the children will treasure.

This week the children have an exciting homework challenge! They are invited to write their 100 word challenge on the new class blog (see below, but add 5HH, 5H or 5A for your class)

www.kidblog.org/holytrinity