St Bede's Catholic School

Daily Reflections and Prayers

Theme - The Father revealed in the Son

12th June - 16th June 2023



The liturgical colour is GREEN

We are in the ORDINARY Time

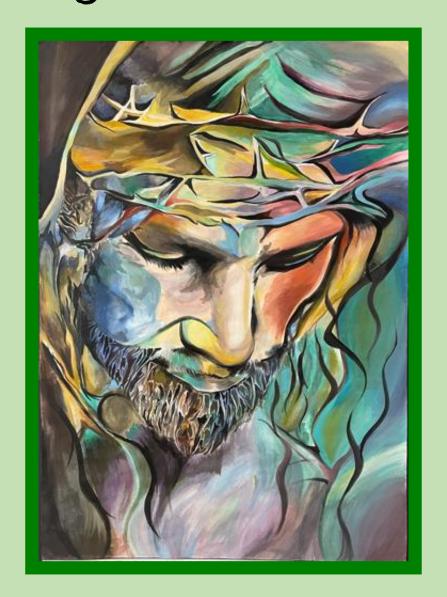
Mission Statement

With the Lord's help, we are united in **faith**, we strive for success and **excellence**, we are **determined** to be the best that we can be.

Faith ~ Excellence ~ Determination



Monday 12th June 2023



Morning Prayer

Father, you revealed your Son to the nations by the guidance of a star.

Lead us to your glory in heaven by the light of faith.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Jesus said, "I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Those who eat this bread will live forever. Now the bread which I will give is my flesh, and I will give my flesh for the life of the world. Those who eat the bread which is my flesh have eternal life now, and I will raise them up on the last day. My flesh is true food; my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood live in me and I live in them. So my flesh is the bread which comes down from heaven. It is not like the bread which our ancestors once ate in the desert - they died, but those who eat this bread will live forever."

John 6:51-58



Gospel Reflection:

If we really think about this Gospel, we could almost be thinking that by eating the flesh and drinking the blood we are becoming cannibals.

What this Gospel is telling us is that we take Christ's body and blood into our mouths, through the bread and wine during the Eucharist at Mass.

This goes into our stomachs, into our bodies, so that Christ remains in us and we remain in Christ. As we eat and drink, Christ moves us closer to himself.

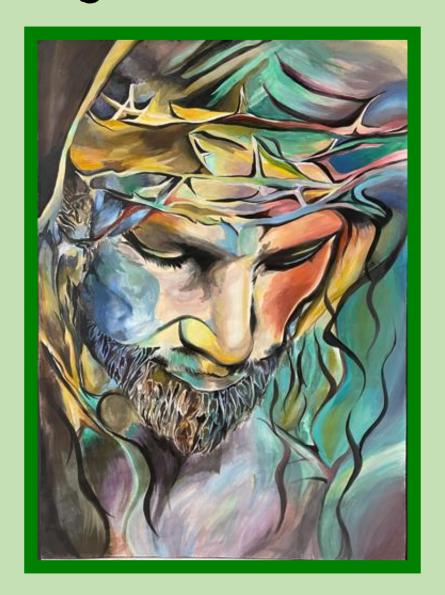
Christ moves us closer to the very life of God. Christ moves us closer to himself, so close that we are as intimate with Jesus as the Father is with the Son.

End of Day Prayer

Good Jesus,
by your loving kindness,
enable me to come to you,
the fountain of wisdom,
and to stand forever before your
face,
Amen

Signum Crucis (The Sign of the Cross in Latin)

Tuesday 13th June 2023



Morning Prayer - Gloria

Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to men of good will. We praise You. We bless You. We adore you. We glorify You. We give You thanks for Your great glory.

O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord Jesus Christ, the Only-begotten Son. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father: you Who take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

You Who take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. You Who sit at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are holy. You alone are the Lord. You alone, O Jesus Christ, are most high. Together with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Reading/Assembly Day

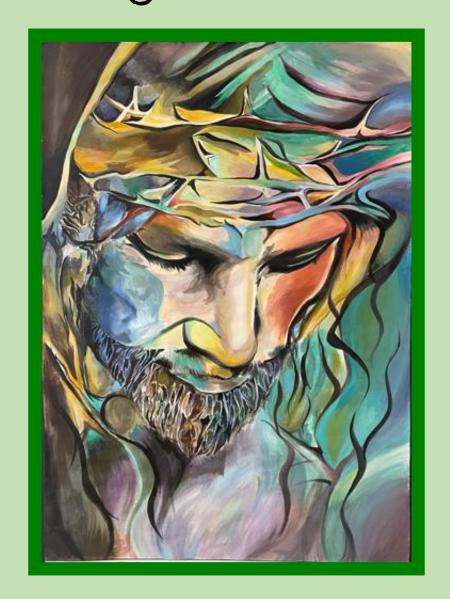


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Wednesday 14th June 2023



Morning Prayer - The Lord's Prayer

Our Father Who art in Heaven Hallowed be Thy name; Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done On earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses As we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, But deliver us from evil Amen



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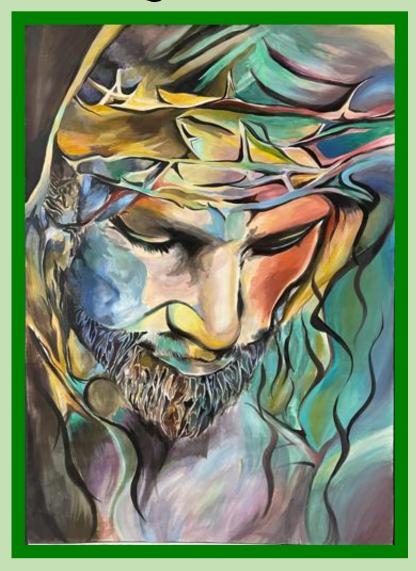


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Thursday 15th June 2023



Morning Prayer - Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace,
The Lord is with thee;
Blessed art thou amongst women
And blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
Pray for us sinners, now
and at the hour of our death
Amen

Reading/Assembly Day

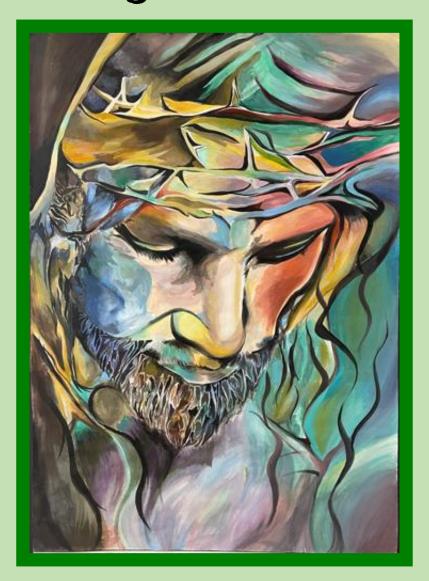


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Friday 16th June 2023



Morning Prayer

Let us end our week together thinking about the sacrifice that Jesus made for us and remembering that he is truly present in our lives:

The response is - Hear our prayer

Leader: With gratitude for the gift of the Eucharist, which strengthens and renews us, we turn to the Father with our prayers and petitions:

For the Church, that all who lead us and guide us in our faith will help us to live as the one Body of Christ, growing ever closer to Jesus.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

For world leaders, that they will always strive to satisfy the human hunger for peace and justice.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

For all who are in need, that richer peoples and nations will share their bread and wealth with those who are poor.

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

For the Jewish people, the first to hear the promises of God, that they may be faithful to the covenant they received and obedient to the commands of God. Lord in your mercy Hear our prayer

For our parishes and for all who hunger for meaning and purpose in their lives, that our needs will be satisfied by turning to Jesus, the living bread. Lord in your mercy Hear our prayer

For all who are sick, or suffering in any way, that they will be comforted by the ever-present love of our Lord. Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

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