



GIFT TEAM NEWSLETTER

Learning and growing together through prayer, belief and love.

Sunday's Gospel Reflection

Luke 24:13-35

Two of Jesus' disciples were walking to Emmaus when they encountered a stranger who turned out to be Jesus, but they did not recognise Him at first. After Jesus spoke to them and broke bread with them, their eyes were opened and they realised that it was Him. This story reminds us of the importance of receiving Holy Communion as Jesus is truly present in the bread and wine. Let's remember Year 3 in our prayers this week as they complete their final preparations for their First Holy Communion.



In class this week...

Today, we celebrated the feast of St Anselm. Our day began with a whole school Mass, which was beautifully led by 5 Poplar. Key Stage 2 then completed a pilgrimage to St Mary's Church to retrace St Anselm's footsteps. Rev. James Power spoke to the children about why St Anselm visited Harrow and he showed them the icon and stained glass window that have been installed in St Anselm's honour.

Callum in Year 3 enjoyed his trip. 'It was lots of fun and I liked tracing the footsteps of St Anselm and St Thomas of Canterbury.'

Back at school, Reception made their own stained glass windows, Year 1 painted St Anselm and Year 2 made their own bishop's hats.

Prayer of the Week

Risen One,

like those disciples on the road to Emmaus, we struggle to recognize you in the everyday journey of our lives.

Open our eyes, Light of the World,

to your work of transformation in and around us.

Amen

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