

# Growing In Faith Together



4th March 2022 Our Lenten Journey



Learning and growing together through prayer, belief and love

**Sunday's Gospel Reflection:** Luke 4 v 1-13 – The Temptation of the Lord

This week ... After Jesus' Baptism and His Father's words "You are my Beloved Son in whom I am well pleased." Jesus was led into the wilderness where he was tempted for 40 days. In our prayers we ask for strength to know right from wrong and to try to take the right path, following Jesus' footsteps.

### From the classes:

Classes prayed the Rosary for peace in our world, and especially the people of Ukraine. In the afternoon we attended the Ash Wednesday Service, led by the Gift Team, and received ashes from Fr Derek. We have all made Lenten promises in class which are going to be displayed in the foyer.

On the 21<sup>st</sup> February, Emily, from Children Catholic Society, presented an assembly to the children about the wonderful work the CCS carries out in the local community. We have decided, during the season of Lent, to raise money to support the charity. Every child will have purple CCS box sent home today to collect any spare change. This money could also be raised by washing cars, asking someone to sponsor you, donating sweetie money or doing odd jobs around the home. Please return boxes during the week beginning 28<sup>th</sup> March

**Semper Fidelis Award:** Andrew G 6 Yew; Isabel V- Alder



**A prayer for Ukraine:** Loving God we pray from the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for the World Leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world, Amen.

**This week's Editors are:** Renelle and Marisa

**The Gift Team are:** Marisa, Renelle, Kate, Catherine, Kuba, Ezio, Elida, Hephzibah, Matilda, Ethan, Alayna, Flynn and Papa.