

Netherhall St James CE (VC) Infant and Nursery School

Christian Newsletter



Home learning challenge

Your child will be given a sheet to take home about how they can be honest? Once filled in please bring this in to share at school and you will receive a dojo point from your teacher and the work will be displayed in school.



A story to share....

A Day That Changed Everything It began just as any other day. Peter the fisherman was mending his nets as he always did. But then Peter met Jesus. On that ordinary day his life was changed forever. Peter was to actually see Jesus heal people who were ill, make blind people see again, and turn 5 loaves and 2 fish into a feast for 5000! Peter became Jesus' follower and friend. "I will do anything for you" he said to Jesus. "Just say the word!" "One day you will tell people you never knew me" said Jesus, "and then a cock will crow." "No" shouted Peter "Never, Never, Never!" Sure enough, life for Jesus did become difficult - difficult and dangerous. The day came when Jesus was on trial for his very life. He needed his friend to stand by him. But Peter said "I don't know him, I never knew him, I never saw him before." And at the end of the day a cock crowed....just as Jesus had said it would. Jesus was sentenced to death and crucified, even though he had done nothing wrong. But death could not defeat God's Son! Three days later Jesus was alive again and went to find his friend, not to blame him but to forgive him. It was a new day and Peter had another chance. Everything was different! Read together... Bible story based on Luke 5: 1-11; Luke 22:54-62; John 21:15-19

This term our Christian values is Truthfulness

'I promise to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, so help me God' In a court of law a witness swears an oath on the Bible or another sacred text, but sometimes in everyday life people find it more difficult to be truthful. Talk together about occasions when complete honesty could cause trouble or be hurtful. For example:

- When a member of your family asks you if you like their new shoes
- When telling the truth will get your friend into trouble
- When someone asks what you are thinking but the answer would hurt their feelings



Words of Wisdom

Truthfulness is a cornerstone in character, and if it be not firmly laid in youth, there will ever after be a weak spot in the foundation.

Jefferson Davis

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