



## Reception Newsletter Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023



Dear Parents/Guardians,

During this Lent season we will continue to send home our **Lenten Prayer Books**. Please take some time as a family to sit together and share a prayer to write in the book, then return it the next morning so it can go home with another child. Thank you to those of you who have already had the book and have written some wonderful prayers which we have shared in class. We kindly ask you to make sure the book is treated with care and attention and returned safely to school.

### Learning for the week beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March

- We continue working in different groups for our phonics lessons and this is what we shall be learning this coming week:
  - Mrs Clarke's group will be revising all of the set 2 sounds that we have learned.
  - Mrs Damacus's group will be learning a new sound 'oo' look at a book and revising previous set 2 sounds learned.
  - Ms White's group will be learning 'oo' poo at the zoo
  - Miss King's group will be revising some of the set 1 sounds, special friends and tricky words.
- We will be continuing our topics for this half term which are 'Growing plants' and 'Life cycles'.
- We will be sequencing the steps of planting seeds and how they grow.
- In maths we will looking at, identifying and making repeating patterns. The patterns will be with shapes, colours and numbers.
- In RE we will continue our 'Growing' topic. This week we will be teaching the children about the events of Palm Sunday and how everyone celebrated when Jesus came into Jerusalem.
- Our story of the week is 'Jasper's Beanstalk.
- Our word of the week is 'Hosanna'.

Best wishes,  
Mrs Clarke and Mrs Damacus.