

# COULSDON CHRONICLE – WEEK 4 – SEPTEMBER 2022

## Curriculum Corner – Year 4

I popped into Year 4 this week. They have been writing narratives based on Erik the Viking. They have also started a new topic about Fresh Food and Good Food and have been looking at packaging and how food decays.

## Queen Elizabeth II

During Collective Worship on Tuesday we reflected on the Queen's funeral. We talked about how a funeral can be a celebration of a person's life and a chance to give thanks for all the ways they have blessed our lives. We reflected on what a special place the Queen had in people's hearts and how she dedicated her life to the service of others.

## Reflection

Thank you to Leo in Year 6 for this week's reflection:

*"We thank you for our journey and new beginnings of a school year. Lord, though our Queen has passed, give us hope in the new monarch King Charles III, that he will rule us with honesty and faith in you. Help us to look forward to a new day, a new week and a new year.*

*Forever in your name, Amen.*

## Notes from the Head Teacher



Dear Parents and Carers,

It was wonderful to visit the Church together this week for a Blessing Service with Rev. Paul. It was my first time at St John's. Children in Year 6 told me why it is important to go together to Church. They said:

*'We go because we pray to God and we think about the different journeys we all have'* Tiggle

*'We go to worship Jesus and God.'* Frederic

*'It is important to thank God for the things he made and the things he has done and to thank him for Jesus.'* Franklin

*'Sometimes in life if people feel down or upset they can go to Church to pray. It is quiet and that means you can be with God. It helps you to concentrate and think about the right thing to do.'* Gui

We thought about the special things in our school and asked for God's blessing over all our school community.

## SPORTS NEWS

### Whole school cross country

A big thank you to Douglas (our Sports partner) and to Mr Johnson for organising our cross country event on Wednesday. The children seemed to really enjoy it, even those who initially thought they might struggle. It was great to see them all take part and accept a challenge. Thank you also to the parents who came to support the children and to help them cross the roads.