

Holiday Headlines

St Nicholas Holiday Club

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Today we've been thinking about the greatest treasure of all: Jesus.

The Lord's Prayer

Jesus taught his disciples how to pray to God. This is called "The Lord's Prayer". We say it here in St Nicholas Church every Sunday.

Our Father in Heaven,
Hallowed be your name,
Your Kingdom come,
Your will be done,
On Earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread,
And forgive us our sins
As we forgive those who sin against us,
And lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from evil,
For the Kingdom, the power and the glory
are yours,
Now and forever,
AMEN

"Hallowed" is an old word that means "holy"

Something to remember

Each day we have a Bible verse to learn. Today's verse is about giving. What could you give to someone today? (Perhaps a smile, a hug, or something you've made in craft time?)

Give to others and God will give to you

Luke: Chapter 6, verse 38

Services at St Nicholas Church

Come to our Holiday Club service on Sunday morning (at 10am) ...

... followed by a barbeque in the Vicarage Garden!



We have a Family Service every month, which is for everyone aged 0 to 100! Our Family Service is normally the first Sunday of each month, at 10am. (*But September 6th isn't a family service.*)

On the other Sundays, we have Junior Church for ages 3 - 12, with songs, Bible stories and activities, in the Church hall.

If you'd like to know more, talk to one of the Holiday Club helpers! Or take a look at the Church website: www.godspell.org/nicholas



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Craft Time

We've been enjoying lots of new crafts this year as well as some old favourites!

We've been decorating...

- ... Treasure boxes
- ... Butterflies
- ... Bags
- ... Biscuits!



And making...

- ... Owls
- ... Friendship bracelets
- ... Hama bead creations
- ... Cardboard models
- ... A video!

Pirate Joke Corner

Why was the pirate's ship so cheap?
Because it was on sail!

What has 12 arms, 12 legs and 12 eyes?
A dozen pirates.



Galileo's Telescope *400 years old!*

If you were a pirate looking out for a treasure island, you'd want a way to see further than with just your eyes...



It was four hundred years ago yesterday, on 25th August 1609, that an Italian astronomer, Galileo, demonstrated his new invention: the telescope.

The telescope led to the discovery of all sorts of things about our universe: before this, people thought that the moon was smooth (it's not!) The telescope also proved that the Earth orbits around the Sun.

