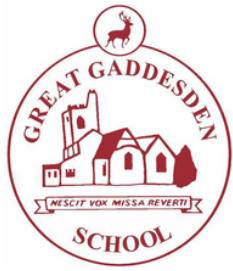


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# Christmas 2024



## Headteacher's reflection

Dear Parents, Carers, Neighbours and Friends,

It has been a very busy and exciting end of term here at Great Gaddesden.

All of the joy, nativities, carols, prayers and reflections bring us back to our foundation as a Church school. As I shared last night at the carol service, at Christmas we remember the coming of Jesus Christ. The good news is shared with people from all walks of life. Jesus, the son of God himself, was born in a stable and without comfort. Jesus brought us light, hope and as Angel Gabriel said, 'I bring you good news that will bring great joy to all people' (Luke 2:10-11). Therefore, this Christmas, let us be reminded that the season is about:

Good news - Great joy - All people



*"For unto us a child is born, to us a son is given. And He will be called Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."  
Isaiah 6:9*

## Decorating the school & Church

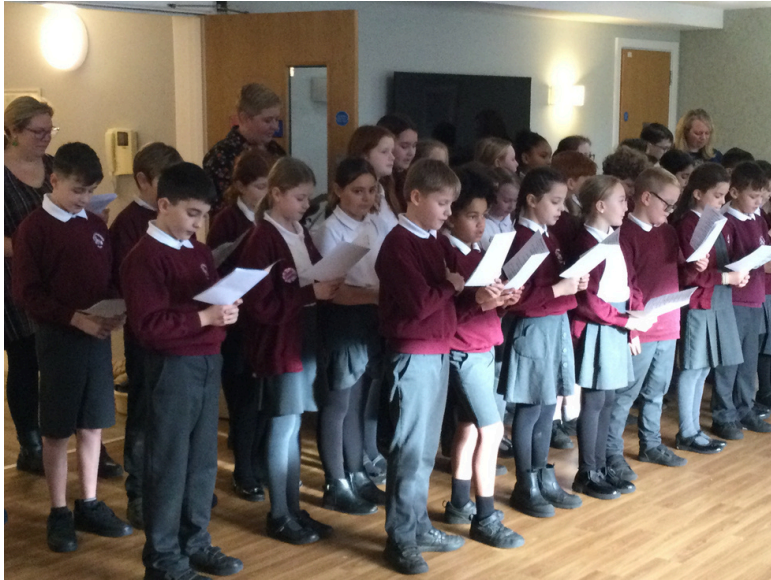


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# Serving the community



On Monday, Key Stage 2 visited St Paul's Care home to sing carols to all of the residents. Bringing joy to all at Christmas is important for us as a Church school; our visit was very much enjoyed and appreciated.



# Nativities

Early Years and Key Stage 1 retold the special story of Jesus' birth through acting and singing.



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# Carols by Candlelight

KS2 led the Carols by Candlelight service which included retelling the coming of Christ through carols, readings, prayers and blessings.



# Christingle

We finished the week with the Christingle which was led by our Reflection Ambassadors.

