

Nursery- Celebrations

February 2024



What and why do people celebrate?

Key Vocabulary

Church, Priest, celebrate, celebrating, parish family, community, celebration, party, memory, Father, Alter, Temple, parish

For our topic of Celebrations we have been:

- Talking about different types of celebrations AT1:A5, AT2:B2,B7
- Looking at photographs of ourselves at a celebration AT2:B4,B7
- Talking about what we do at a celebration AT1:A5, AT2:B2,B7
- Drawing pictures of ourselves at a celebration AT1:A3
- Visiting church to look at where celebrations take place & name the religious artefacts AT1:A14 AT1:B2
- Listening and retelling the story of 'Jesus in the Temple AT1:A4,B2
- Discussing how we feel when we're at a celebration. AT2:B1,B2
- Joining in with a celebration liturgy in our school chapel AT1:A5

We thought about what a celebration is and named lots of celebrations we'd been to. We read stories about different celebrations.

AT1:A5, AT2:B2,B7

Baptism

Birthday

Wedding

Easter

Chinese
New Year

Christmas

We brought in photos of ourselves at a celebration and told our friends all about it.

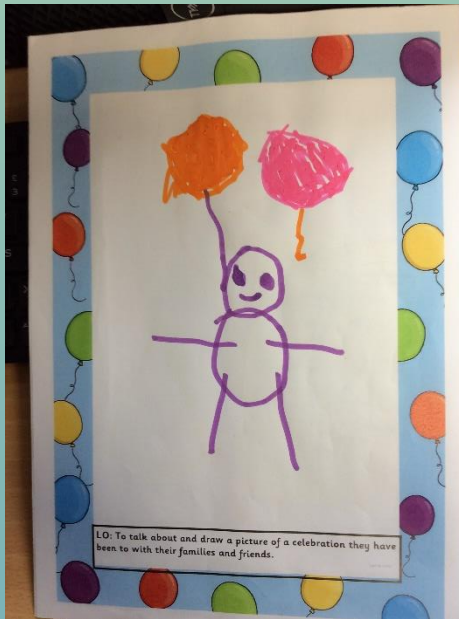
AT2:B4,B7



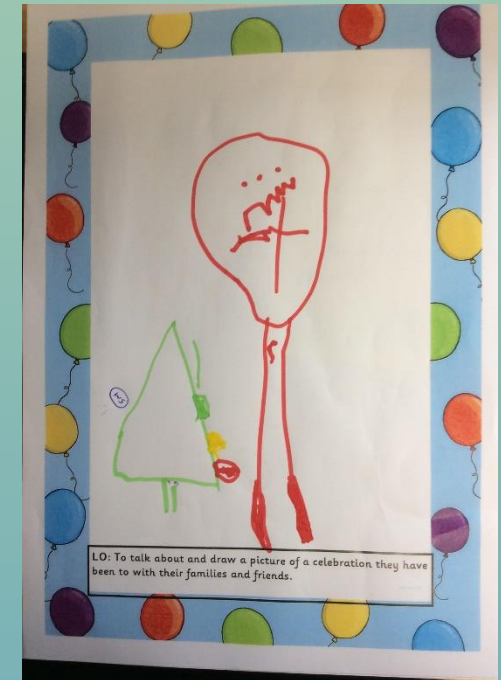
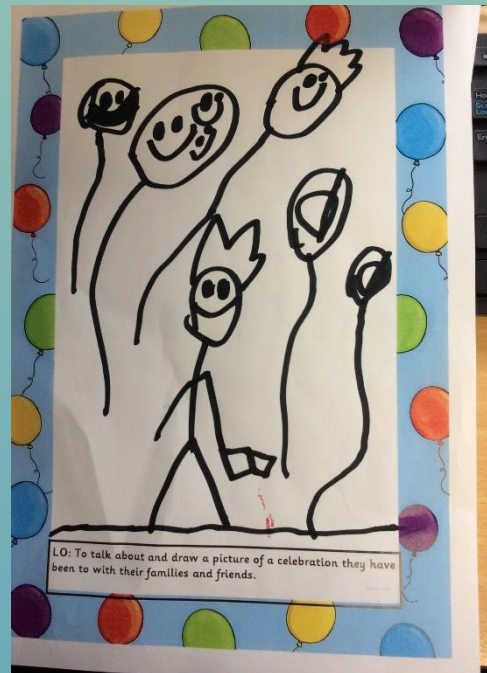
We talked about what happened at a celebration and we drew and painted pictures of ourselves celebrating with our family and friends.

AT1:A3

Birthday- "We ate lots of cake"



Party- "Had fun and got a party bag to take home"



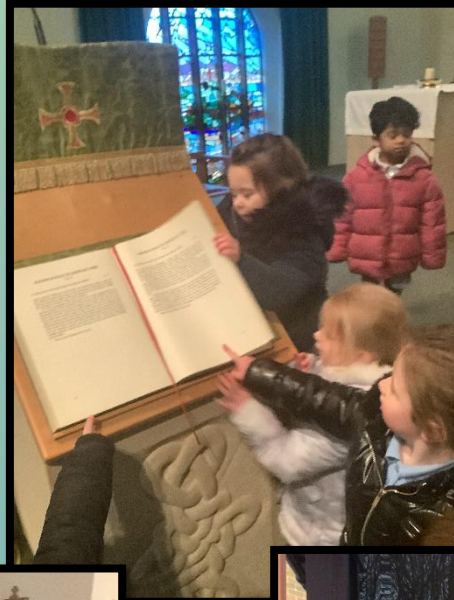
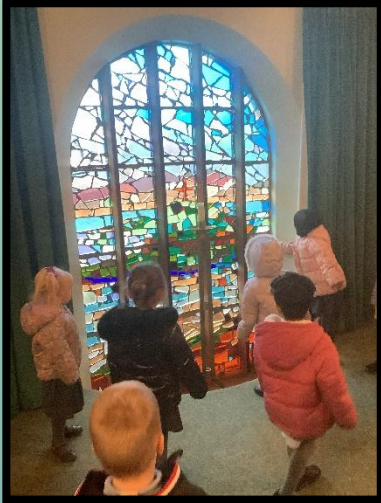
Christmas- "My tree is green, red and gold"

We Visited St Cuthbert's Church and saw where Masses, Weddings and Baptisms are celebrated. We looked at lots of religious artefacts such as: the Baptismal Font, Tabernacle, Candles, Altar, Statue of Mary and the Lectern.

AT1:A14 AT1:B2

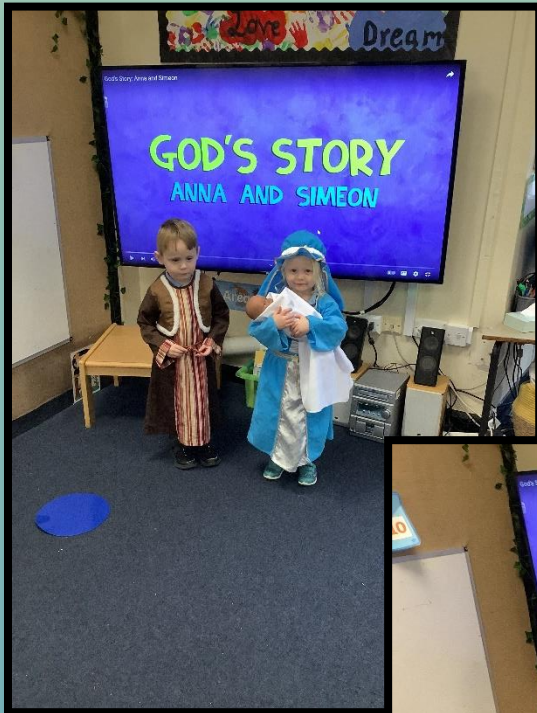


Inside St Cuthbert's RC Church



We listened to the story of 'Jesus in the Temple' and watched it on the smart board. Some of us dressed up as the characters Mary, Joseph, Simeon and Anna to act out the story in Nursery.

AT1:A4,B2



We love to go to celebrations. These are the words we thought of to describe how we felt when we knew we were going to a celebration.

AT2:B1,B2



Joining in with a celebration liturgy AT1:A5

