

Letters from Long Ago: 5

May God our Father give us grace and peace.

Last time we read a letter in which Paul talks about bodies, this time he is writing to Christians in a town called Colossae and he seems to be writing about clothes...

You are the people of God; he loved you and chose you for his own. So then, you must clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. Be tolerant with one another and forgive one another whenever any of you has a complaint against someone else. You must forgive one another just as the Lord has forgiven you. And to all these qualities add love, which binds all things together in perfect unity.

Colossians 3:12-15

Loving Lord,

Thank you for our school, for all that we do and for everyone who works, plays and learns here

Help us to play our own parts in the life of school so that together we can be a strong and happy community.

**Amen** 

Thinkabouts:

What did the reading make us think?

Were there any words that were difficult to understand?

Paul writes about putting on clothes

... does he mean wearing T-shirts with words like compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience on them?

... or is he using clothes as a picture to help us thing about how we should behave?

Peace be to our whole community, and love with faith, from God

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Wondering:

Which T-shirt would you like to wear most?