Faithfulness

"Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things…"

Matthew 25:21

Reflection

Part of The King's School motto that appears on the crest is the word "fideliter", which in latin means "faithfully". But what does it mean to be faithful?

To explain faithfulness, Jesus told a story to his disciples about being trustworthy. As the story goes, a wealthy man was going on a trip and he gave three servants a sum of money. He asked each of them to put it to use to earn him more money.

Two of the three servants invested the money to earn the master more money, however, the third servant was afraid of loosing what he was given and didn't invest it. Instead, he put it in a hole until the master returned. When he did, the master praised the first two servants but told the third servant he was wicked and lazy.

We each have been given many opportunities to grow. Are we making the most of those opportunities? Or are we paralysed by fear, inactive and without faithfulness?

Prayer

Thank you Lord for opportunities you have given to us, to know you better and help others. Help us to make the most of them to grow in order to prove faithful.
In Jesus' name Amen.