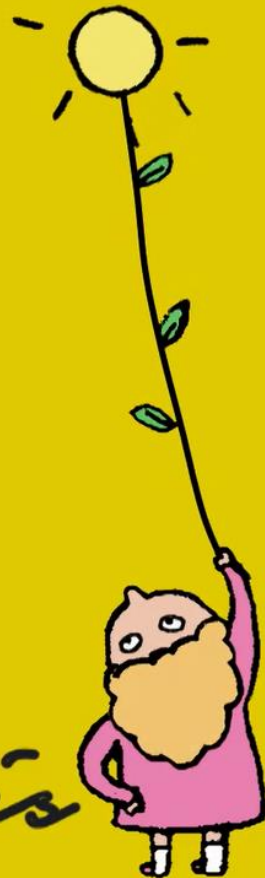


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A letter from
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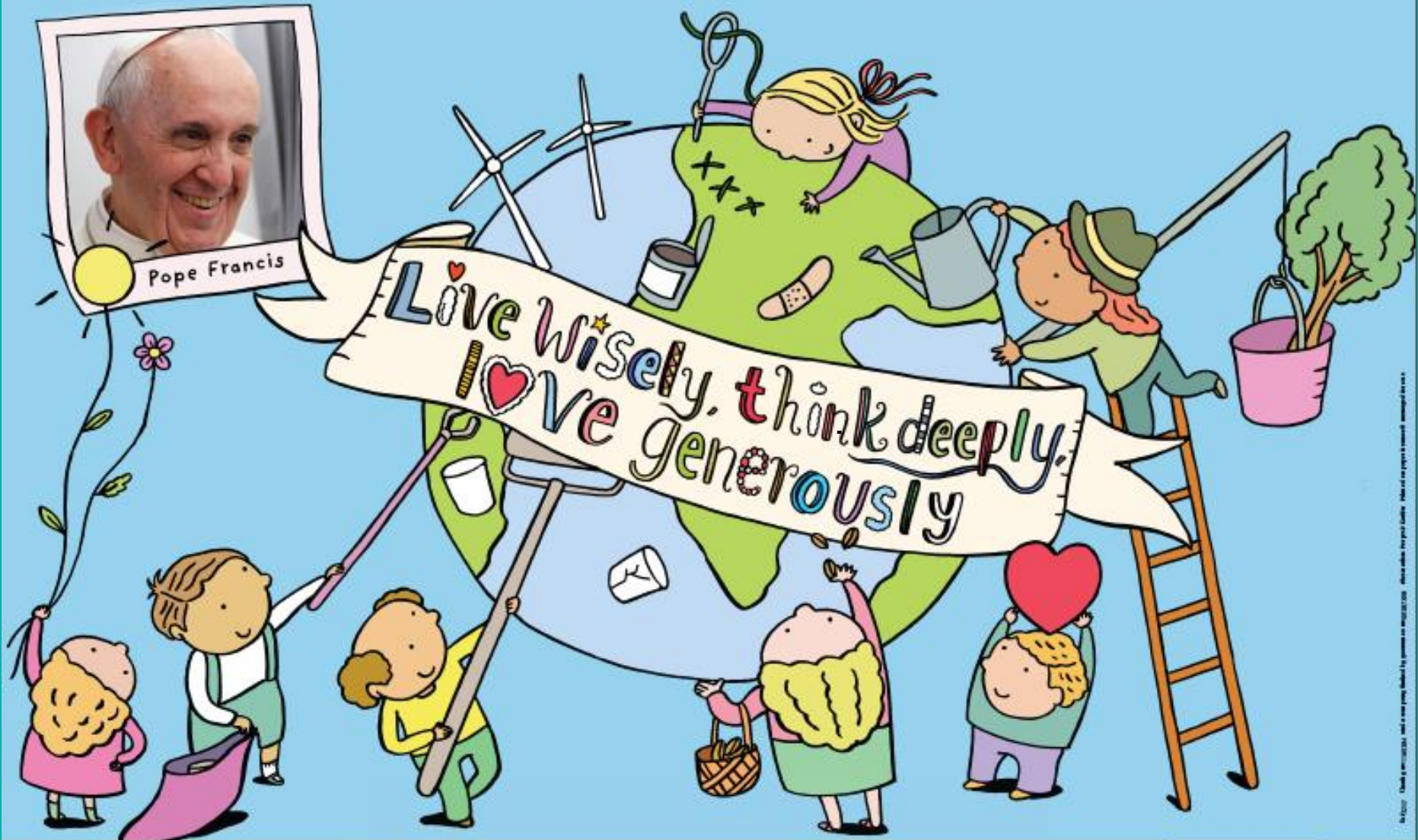
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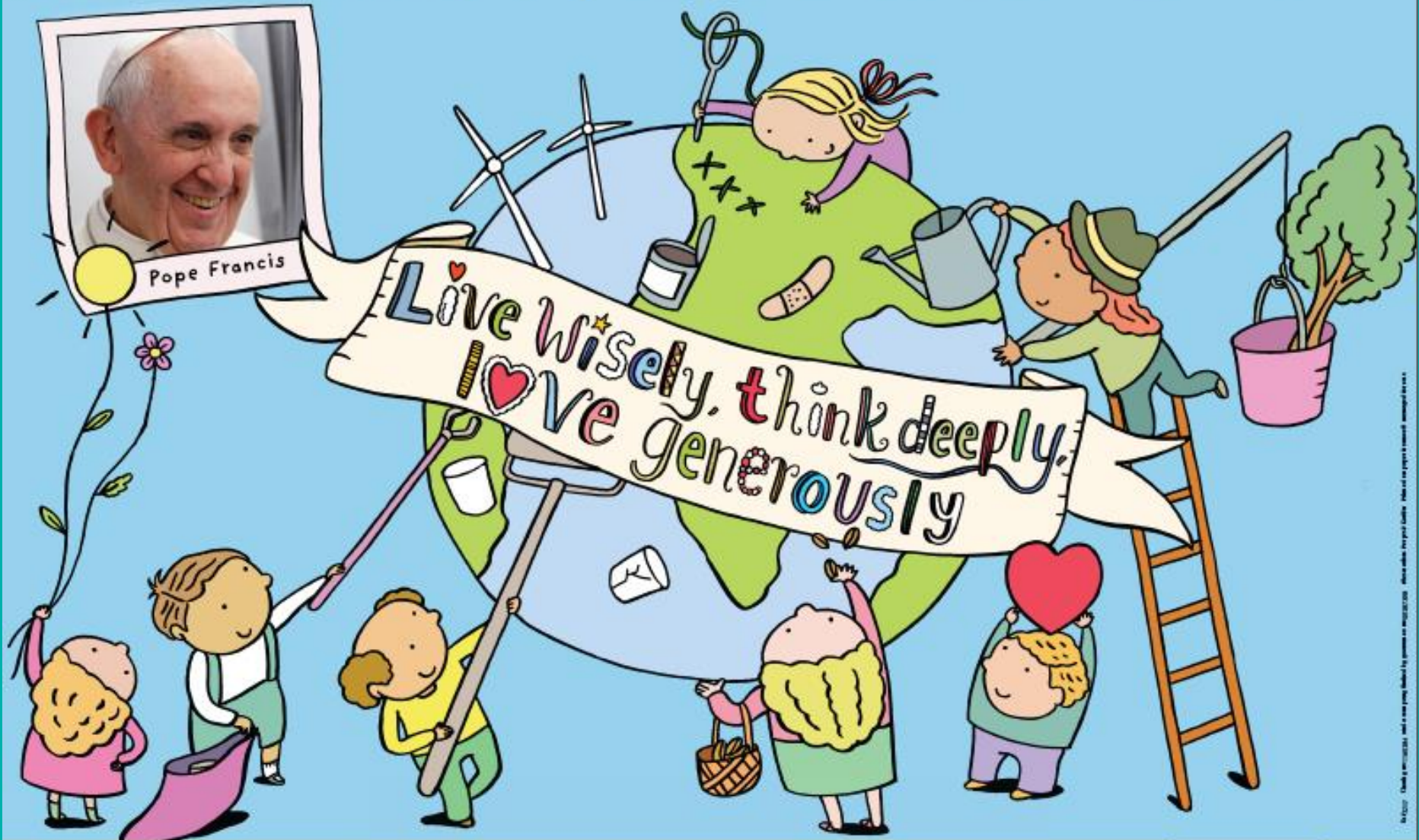


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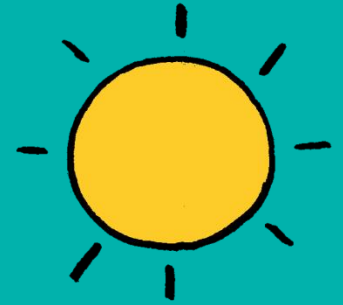


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St Francis Canticle of the Sun




St Francis (1181-1226) cared greatly about **God's creation** and **God's people**.

St. Francis is the patron saint of **Caring for the planet**.

We praise You, Lord, for all Your creatures,
especially for Brother Sun,
who is the day through whom You give us light.
And he is beautiful and radiant with great splendour,
of You Most High, he bears your likeness.



A dark blue night sky filled with numerous small, bright white stars. A prominent crescent moon is visible in the upper left quadrant, glowing with a soft yellow light. The overall scene is serene and celestial.

**We praise You, Lord, for Sister Moon
and the stars,
in the heavens you have made them bright,
precious and fair.**



We praise You, Lord,
for Brothers Wind and
Air, fair and stormy,
all weather's moods,
by which You cherish
all that You have made.



We praise You, Lord, for Sister Water,
so useful, humble, precious and pure.

We praise You, Lord,
for Brother Fire,
through whom You
light the night.
He is beautiful,
playful, robust,
and strong.





We praise You, Lord, for Sister Earth,
who sustains us with her fruits,
coloured flowers, and herbs.



We praise You, Lord, for all those who pardon,
one another for the sake of God's love.
Blessed are those who endure in peace,
by You Most High, they will be crowned.

We praise and bless You,
Lord, and give You
thanks,
and serve You in all
humility.





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