

be curious, be resilient, be compassionate



Collective Worship Spring 2: Forgiveness

***'Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.'* Ephesians 4:32**

A daily act of collective worship will be led by Claire on Mondays using Teams; by staff in key stages on Tuesday, Wednesday; by Claire or the ethos group in church Thursday; on Fridays, Claire will lead Celebration worship in the hall. There are options and links on the following pages for you to use with your classes over the coming half term.

Use of reflective journals or thinking time can be used as an act of worship and there must be a moment of prayer – either spoken or silent to suit the theme, age of children and time of day. Children can be involved in leading worship. Songs can be listened to and music can be used to enhance the stillness of reflection.

	Weekly focus
W/C 26.02.24	<p><u>Forgiveness</u> Forgiveness is the best gift that they can give themselves and it is an important theme in the Bible. Ephesians 4:32 reminds us 'Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.' Whole School Collective Worship - HeartSmart TV (heartsmartv.com) Don't Hold on to What's wrong (7) Bible reference: <i>'Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.'</i> Ephesians 4:32 Reflection activity focus: write a prayer for forgiveness</p>
W/C 04.03.24	<p><u>Forgiveness</u> The story Jesus being anointed in Bethany in the lead up to his betrayal. SPCK Assemblies - Precious perfume: For Lent and Mothering Sunday Bible reference: <i>'Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.'</i> Ephesians 4:32 Reflection activity focus: create a 'perfume' that represents all you are thankful for when thinking about the mothers in your life</p>
W/C 11.03.24	<p><u>Forgiveness</u> To consider our reactions when things go wrong and to forgive ourselves our own mistakes. SPCK Assemblies - Wrong Again!</p>

	<p>Bible reference: <i>'Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.'</i> Ephesians 4:32</p> <p>Reflection activity focus: a mind map of people who can help us when things go wrong</p>
W/C 18.03.24	<p><u>Forgiveness</u></p> <p>In this collective worship we talk about the importance of letting the hurt out, not burying it, but letting it out. How do we handle negative emotions without damaging others in the process. Where do you go? Who do you talk to? What do you do when you're feeling blue?</p> <p>Whole School Collective Worship - HeartSmart TV (heartsmarttv.com) Don't Hold on to What's wrong (8)</p> <p>Bible reference: <i>'Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.'</i> Ephesians 4:32</p> <p>Reflection activity focus: Using place, person, play and pray – children are to create their own 'plan' for letting hurt/pain out.</p>
W/C 25.03.24	<p><u>Forgiveness - Easter</u></p> <p>Exploring the symbolism of the cross.</p> <p>SPCK Assemblies - Sign of the Cross</p> <p>Bible reference: <i>'Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.'</i> Hebrews 11:1</p> <p>Reflection activity focus: People are precious to God (like treasure), fill a chest with people you treasure (are precious to you)</p>