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Collective Worship Autumn B: Trust

A daily act of collective worship will be led by Claire on Mondays using Teams; by staff in their classrooms on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday; on Fridays, Claire will lead Celebration worship (sharing assembly) 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 1.11.21	<p><u>Trust</u> Time to reflect on our own thoughts, feelings and experiences about what 'Trust' means to us. The concept being explored in RE this half term is 'Incarnation'. https://www.assemblies.org.uk/pri/3428/in-gods-hands In God's hands, we trust. Bible reference: Psalm 146 "God made heaven and earth, the sea and everything in it." Reflection activity focus: complete the 'hands' based activity in the worship plan using the web link and discuss how this links back to our worships about the Hands of Jesus.</p>
W/C 8.11.21	<p><u>Trust (Don't Forget to Let Love In, 3)</u> Follow the assembly and delivery from the link below https://www.heartsmartv.com/whole-school-collective-worship/season:2 (Don't Forget to Let Love In 3) Just like beauty is in the eye of the beholder, so is value. We want children to know that they are valuable and their worth is immeasurable. Through the parable of the lost coin (Luke 15:8-10), we also want children to know that they are precious, loved and valued by God.</p>

	<p>Bible reference: Luke 15: v8-10 "Or suppose a woman has ten silver coins⁹ and loses one. Doesn't she light a lamp, sweep the house and search carefully until she finds it? ⁹ And when she finds it, she calls her friends and neighbours together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost coin.' ¹⁰ In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."</p> <p>Reflection activity focus: make a heart for each child where they can say why they are special, important, precious and loved.</p>
W/C 15.11.21	<p>Trust (Children in Need – 19th Nov) https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/schools/primary-school/ for various resources and ideas. Bible reference: Isaiah 12, v2 "Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation." Reflection activity focus: Make a poster celebrating all that we can do to support Children in Need.</p>
W/C 22.11.21	<p>Trust https://www.assemblies.org.uk/pri/3550/pause-for-thought-blowing-bubbles placing our trust in something we cannot see Bible reference: Proverbs 3, v5-6 "Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths." Reflection activity focus: blow bubbles as a class thinking about the people we trust and how we can be trusted as you blow bubbles and then pop them.</p>
W/C 29.11.21	<p>Trust (Advent) https://www.assemblies.org.uk/pri/3799/hopeful-waiting Bible reference: Romans 15v13 "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in faith so that you overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Reflection activity focus: Make an advent calendar with hopes, dreams and prayers from each child to be opened and read each day until the end of term.</p>
W/C 6.12.21	<p>Trust (Don't Forget to Let Love in, 4) Follow the assembly and delivery from the link below https://www.heartsmartv.com/whole-school-collective-worship/season:2 (Don't Forget to Let Love In 4) 'Don't Forget to Let Love In' means knowing we are important and valuable enough to be loved by others. We need to remember to let those around us love us, even when we feel unlovable. When we learn to open our hearts to love we open our hearts to God. Bible reference: 1 John 4:16 'God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God lives in them.' Reflection activity focus: Make a love 'high 5'. Using the template of a hand, each child is to write/draw 5 people whom they love and/or feel loved by.</p>
W/C 13.12.21	<p>Trust (The Story of Christmas) https://www.assemblies.org.uk/pri/3818/pause-for-thought-a-hopefilled-christmas Bible reference: Matthew 12:15-22 "In his name the nations will put their hope."</p>

	Reflection activity focus: Create a 'Christmas' mind map
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