







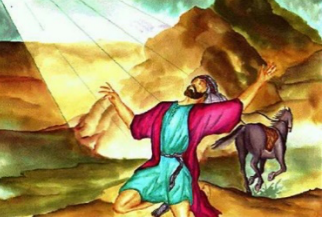



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2021-2022 Long Term Plan Theme	Autumn 1 Spirituality	Autumn 2 Confidence	Spring 1 Aspiration	Spring 2 Enquiry	Summer 1 Resilience	Summer 2 Spirituality
38 weeks	15 lessons	15 lessons	15 lessons	15 lessons	15 lessons	15 lessons
Year 3	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>CREATION</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘How are we called to a new life?’</b></p> <p>Examines how we are called to be part of God’s creation through baptism.</p> <p>Explores how Jesus calls us and called his disciples.</p> <p>Looks at the initiation rites of the Hindu faith and other faiths.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Luke 3: 21 – 22</i>  <i>Mark 1: 9 – 11 Baptism of Jesus</i>  <i>Mark 3: 13 – 19 The call of the disciples</i>  <i>Luke 2: 11 A saviour has been born to you: he is the Messiah, the Lord</i>  <i>Mark 1: 9 Baptism in the Jordan</i>  <i>Psalms 24: 1</i>  <i>Romans 5: 5</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>HARVEST CELEBRATION</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>PRAYERS SAINTS AND FEASTS</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘How can we seek and help bring about peace and forgiveness?’</b></p> <p>Peace and forgiveness, expressed both by Jesus and in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, are explored.</p> <p>Examines the life of St Francis of Assisi and his prayer for peace.</p> <p>Examines Muhammed as the Last Prophet of the Muslim faith.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Luke 19: 1 – 10 The Story of Zacchaeus</i>  <i>Matthew 6: 14 – 15</i>  <i>1 John 1: 9</i>  <i>Our Father</i>  <i>Mark 11: 25</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>ADVENT</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘Why is Mary an important guide for us during Advent?’</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>CHRISTMAS</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘What part do the shepherds play in the Christmas story?’</b></p> <p>Through the shepherds, we reflect on the nature of Jesus’ birth.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Luke 2: 8 - 20</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>REVELATION</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘Does God still call people today and how do they respond?’</b></p> <p>Introduces work on the Presentation and Baptism of Jesus as signs of God’s revelation.</p> <p>Explores the Liturgy of the Word as revealing God.</p> <p>Looks at what Sikhs do at the Gurdwara (Sikh Temple) and the holy days and festivals of the Sikh religion.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>1 Samuel 3: 1-19</i>  <i>Mark 1: 9-12 – Baptism of Jesus – not studied directly, children may choose it however as one that inspires them.</i>  <i>Luke 2: 22-40 – Presentation of Jesus</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>LENT</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘Why is Lent a special time to show compassion?’</b></p> <p>Looks at how Jesus changed the people he met and deepened his relationship with the Father through prayer.</p> <p>Explores how Jewish people pray.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Act of Contrition</i>  <i>Luke 7: 11 – 17 The Widow of Nain</i>  <i>Mark 2: 1 – 12 The Healing of the Paralysed Man</i>  <i>Matthew 9: 35 – 38 The Workers are Few</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>HOLY WEEK</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘How do the events of the Last Supper still guide us today?’</b></p>  <p>Places the Last Supper within the events of Holy Week.</p> <p>There is a particular focus on the Last Supper because of its connection with the Mass.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>EASTER</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘Why is it good to find the time to share a meal?’</b></p> <p>Provides a focus on the appearance of Jesus to his disciples.</p> <p>Symbolism of the Easter season, including the liturgical colours, is explored.</p> <p>Explores Hindu worship.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Matthew 28: 1 – 10 Easter Story</i>  <i>John 21: 1-14 Breakfast on the shore</i>  <i>Matthew 14: 13-21 Feeding of the 5000</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>PENTECOST AND MISSION</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘How are you transformed by the Holy Spirit?’</b></p> <p>Explores the effect of the Spirit and the role of the Holy Spirit in the Eucharistic Prayer.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Genesis 9:8-17</i>  <i>Acts 2:1-15 The Holy Spirit comes at Pentecost</i>  <i>Acts 9:3-20 The Conversion of St. Paul</i>  <i>Galatians 5:22-23 Fruits of the Spirit</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>SACRAMENTS</u></b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>‘How does Jesus feed his followers?’</b></p> <p>Looks at the Sacrament of the Eucharist.</p> <p>Looks at what happens during Mass and the meaning behind what happens.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Luke 9:10-17 Feeding of the 5000</i>  <i>Matthew 26:17-30 / Luke 22:7-38 – Last Supper</i></p>

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		<p>Explores Advent as a time when we prepare for Christmas and recognise Jesus in the world.</p> <p>Examines the story of the Annunciation.</p> <p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Luke 1: 26 – 38</i>  <i>Luke 1: 39 – 56</i>  <i>Luke 1: 46 – 56 The Magnificat</i>  <i>1 Corinthians: 13</i>  <i>Isaiah 7: 14</i>  <i>Numbers 24: 17</i>  <i>Genesis 2: 18</i></p>		<p><b>Scripture:</b>  <i>Mark 14:12-16</i>  <i>Luke 22:7-13</i>  <i>Matthew 26:17-29</i>  <i>John 13:1-20</i></p>	<p><i>John 14:27 Peace offered by Jesus</i>  <i>Romans 14:19 What we do leads to peace</i>  <i>1 Corinthians 12:1-11 Gifts of the Holy Spirit</i></p>	
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NB: Exact dates for units are dependent on when key feasts fall. Please see topic planner for dates for 2021 – 22.