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**Tuesday 7th May 2024**  
**ASCENSION**



Let's light the candle to begin our Worship today.



**Welcome Words –**

**The glory of the Lord has risen upon  
us.**

**Let us rejoice and sing God's praise  
for ever.**



# Ascension

What does it mean?

How long was Jesus on Earth for?



*Jesus told his disciples that he would be always with them, even though he was leaving them. He told them they would know him through loving each other.*

*Today we hear how Jesus ascended, or rose, up into Heaven to be with His Father.*

*We hear about the message He left his Disciples so they could continue His great works. Let's read about it from the Gospel of Matthew*

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Let's see what you can remember about today's story.

Where did Jesus go?

Why did Jesus leave his Disciples?

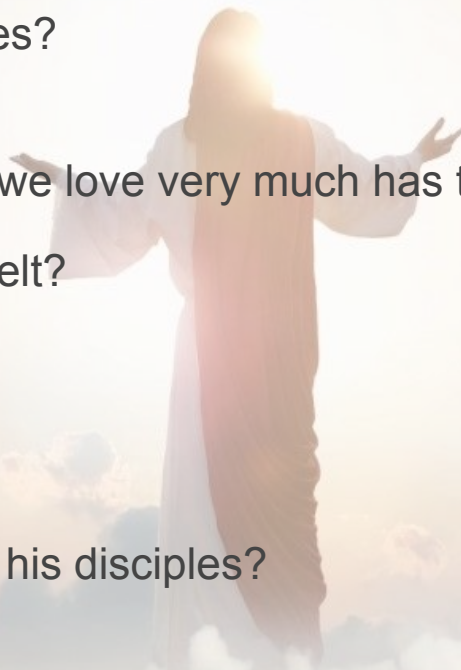
How do we feel when someone we love very much has to leave and go away?

How do you think the Disciples felt?

How would he be with them?

What was the job Jesus gave to his disciples?

Who does this job today?



# Let us pray

Lord Jesus, help us to remember that you are with us always and we need never be afraid. Help us to go out and do your work in this world until we see you again when you come back to us at the end of time.

Amen





**Closing Words –**

**Glory to the Father and to the Son and  
to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning is now and  
shall be forever**

**Amen.**