

Collective Worship

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Music to enter
Welcome and introductions



The Gathering

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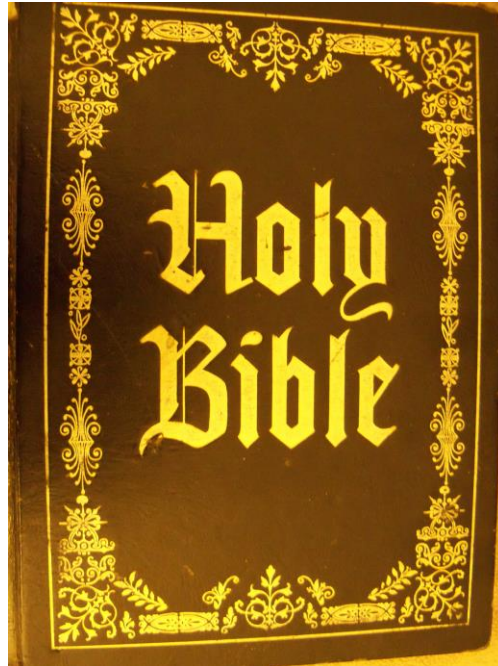
LIGHTING THE CANDLES



God's love brings light to the world and we light 3 candles to remember God is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Trinity.

Jesus light of the world is here.

We welcome the Bible; it guides us in everything we try to do.



We welcome God's words.

We welcome the cross; it reminds us of what Jesus gave for us.



We thank you Jesus.

Black history month



What is Black History month?

Black History month is every year. This reminds us about some of the amazing Black people and what they did. It's remembering their achievements.

Why Do We Have Black History Month?

- Throughout history, people have been treated differently because of their race.
- Black people were not seen as equal and were not treated in the same way as White people. For example, they had to sit in different seats on a bus or public places like the cinema.

In 1926, in America, a man called Carter G. Woodson introduced a week-long event to recognise and celebrate the history and achievements of Black people. This later turned into Black History Month.

In 1987, the first Black History Month took place in the UK.



Can you guys name at least
name 3 black history people

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Famous Black People

Mary Seacole

1805-1881

Mary Seacole went to help soldiers in the Crimean War. Because of all her efforts, the soldiers called her “Mother Seacole,” as she comforted them, nursed them back to health and was always there if they needed clothes, blankets and kindness.



Famous Black People

Nelson Mandela

1918-2013

Nelson Mandela was the first Black South African President. He spent 27 years in prison for trying to change things so that they were equal for both Black and White people. Many people around the world thought he was a hero and respected him for his courage and wisdom in bringing people together and living in peace.



Famous Black People

Alice Coachman

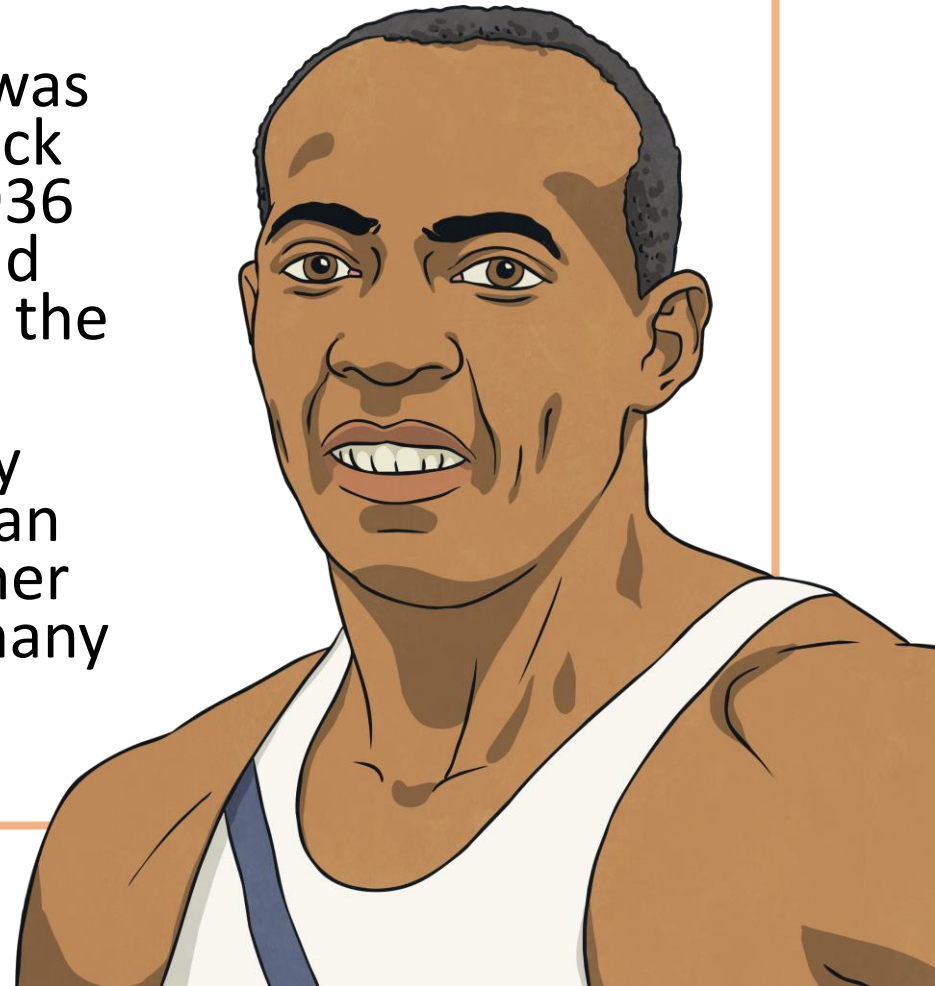
1923 - 2014

Alice Coachman was an African American athlete, who specialised in the high jump. In London in 1948, she became the first Black woman to win an Olympic gold medal.



Famous Black People

- **Jesse Owens**
- 1913 – 1980
- Jesse Owens, or 'Buckeye Bullet' as he was commonly known, was an American track and field athlete. He took part in the 1936 Berlin Olympic Games and won four gold medals; the 100 metres, the long jump, the 200 metres and the 400 metre relay.
- Hitler had wanted the games to wrongly show that White people were better than Black people but Owens, along with other Black athletes, defied him by winning many medals.



Famous Black People

- **Oprah Winfrey**
- 1954 –
- Oprah Winfrey is an American billionaire, media executive and actress. Winfrey was born in a small farming community in Mississippi and had a difficult start to life. At the age of 17, she went to Tennessee State University and began working in radio and television.
- From 1986 to 2011, Winfrey hosted her talk show, The Oprah Winfrey Show, which was aired in more than 100 countries and had millions of viewers. Oprah has also broken into the world of film, starring in and producing many successful films.



Famous Black People

- **Benjamin Zephaniah**
- 1980 –
- Benjamin Zephaniah is a British poet and a human and animal rights activist. He was born in Birmingham, England. As a boy, he wrote his own poetry as he did not find the poetry he was reading at school was relevant to him. His poetry is strongly influenced by the music and poetry of Jamaica. He also writes poetry for children who find his work inspiring and accessible.



Famous Black People

Barack Obama

1961 -

Barack Obama was born in Hawaii on August 4th 1961. His father is from Kenya and his mother is from Kansas.

On November 4th 2008, he became the 44th American President. He is the first Black president in the United States of America.



Famous Black People

Bishop Wilfred Wood

1936 -

Wilfred Wood became the first Black bishop in the Church of England. He was Bishop of Croydon from 1985 to 2003.

In 2004 the British people voted him second in the 100 “Great Black Britons” list.

Bishop Wilfred Wood worked hard to help with the relationships between people of different races living in the United Kingdom.



Famous Black People

Glossary ▲

racism – When people are not given respect, their rights, dignity or value because of their race. A race is a grouping of people who share the same physical and non-physical features.

Rosa Parks

1913-2005

Rosa Parks was born in America and as a child, she was used to having to sit at the back of a bus because she was Black but she didn't think this was fair. Often, Black people were treated unfairly because of the colour of their skin; this is known as **racism**. One day on a bus, she refused to give her seat to a White person just because she was Black. She was arrested by the police and fined for breaking the rules but other Black people, and also some White people, agreed with Rosa and made this clear to the American government. Eventually, they changed the rule and Black people no longer had to sit in a separate section of the bus or give up their seat to someone just because of the colour of their skin.



[Rosa Parks Story | Stories for Kids | Black Month History | Educational Videos | Social Studies – YouTube](#) 8 mins





The School Prayer

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Blessing:

O holy *God*, you have made our world very curious:

Help me, as I explore your world,

To discover your presence in all things,

For Jesus' sake.