



COLLECTIVE WORSHIP AT ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



Collective Worship Autumn Term 2019

Liturgical Calendar	Week	Sunday Gospel	Theme	Special Celebrations
Week 22 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	2nd September	Luke 14: 7-14 He who humbles himself will be exalted	"Putting others first" Welcome to the new school year - How can we be welcoming, generous and thoughtful to others? By thinking and putting others needs before our own we will be kind, generous and thoughtful.	8 <sup>th</sup> September- Our Lady's Birthday
Week 23 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	9th September	Luke 14:25-33 Possessions are not important	"To be part of God's Family" God does not place importance on material possessions. Love, kindness, generosity and compassion towards others is of greater value. How do we practise these qualities in our daily lives?	
Week 24 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	16th September	Luke 15:1-10 Lost and found- "The lost sheep " and "The lost coin"	"We are all important to God" We all make mistakes and turn away from God's love at times in our lives but God always searches for us and welcomes us back with great rejoicing..	Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> Feast of St Matthew
Week 25 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	23rd September	Luke 16:1-13 You cannot serve 2 masters -God and money.	"Gift of Love" God isn't interested in money, because to him money isn't what makes a person rich. What makes a person rich is their honesty, goodness, understanding and love for God and each other. What can we offer to God as a sign of our love?	
Week 26 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	30th September	Luke 16:19-31 We must live our lives as Jesus showed us.	"Put Others First" How can we be generous and thoughtful? Open our eyes to the needs of others Focus on Cafod Fairtrade and Harvest Fast Day	Fri 4th October CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Tue 4 <sup>th</sup> October St Francis of Assisi Feast Day Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> October



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				Our Lady of the Rosary October is the month of the Rosary
Week 27 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	7th October	Luke17:5-10 Faith	"Faith is a gift from God" Faith is a gift from God which opens our hearts and minds. If we endeavour to follow God's teachings in our daily lives our faith will grow.	
Week 28 Ordinary Time Year C - Green	14th October	Luke 17 :11-19 Parable-The 10 Lepers	"Saying Thank you" What do we need to say thank you for? What do we take for granted? Think about ways we express our thanks.	
Week 29 Ordinary Time Year C	21st October	Luke 18:1 -8 Parable - The Persistent Woman	"Perseverance" How many times do we give up because we don't think anyone listens or cares? We should never give up praying as God always listens to our prayers.	
Week 30 Ordinary Time Year C	28th October	Luke 18:9-14	Half Term	Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov All Saints Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov All Souls
Week 31 Ordinary Time Year C	4 <sup>th</sup> November	Luke 19: 1-10 Story of Zacchaeus	"Hope" No person is beyond help .God's is always ready to love and forgive. His love and forgiveness can transform lives if people wish to change.	
Week 32 Ordinary Time Year C	11 <sup>th</sup> November	Luke20: 27-38 We are God's Children	"We belong to God" We are all Children of God. We are welcomed into God's family at baptism and God's love is never ending.	



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Week 33 Ordinary Time Year C	18 <sup>th</sup> November	Luke 21:5-19 Follow your faith	"Be strong and follow me" It is not always easy to follow your faith throughout your life. There are many challenges in our greedy and selfish world, but with the strength of the Holy Spirit, we can be strong and believe	
Christ the King Year C	25 <sup>th</sup> November	Luke 23: 35-43 Christ is king	"Feast of Christ the King" Christ is our King... Of forgiveness and love	Operation Christmas Child Collection 11 <sup>th</sup> -18 <sup>th</sup> Nov
Week 1 Advent Year A	2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Luke 21: 25-28,334 - 336 Be ready to welcome Jesus	"Waiting" Advent wreath and Jesse Tree Symbolism throughout Advent  By living each day as Jesus taught us filled with goodness and love, we will be ready to welcome him when he comes again.	: Start of Church's New Year - Happy new Year
Week 2 Advent Year A	9 <sup>th</sup> December	Luke3:1-6 John the Baptist	"Get Ready" Advent John the Baptist was son of Zechariah and Elizabeth who was barren - he was a wonderful gift from God sent to help us to prepare well. How can we get ready?	Sun 8 <sup>th</sup> December Feast of the Immaculate Conception
Week 3 Advent Year A	16 <sup>th</sup> December	Luke 3 :10-18 Prepare a way to God	"Joy" Advent How can we make other happy?	