

Summer term – new headteacher Mrs Sarah Roach

General Resources:

<https://www.wednesdayword.org/school/index.htm>

<https://www.themark10mission.co.uk/teachersguide>

<https://cafod.org.uk/education/children-s-liturgy>

<https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/programmes/prayer-and-liturgy/30-september-4-october-2024/p-1/for-us/>

<https://cafod.org.uk/education/primary-teaching-resources/cst-resources-for-children>

EYFS: <https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/prayers/i-can-pray/>

Week Liturgical colour Table	Gospel & Theme	Feast Days	Resources/ideas
21 April Eastertide - WHITE	John 20:1-9 Hope, See and Believe	23 rd April: St George: https://missiontogether.org.uk/calendar/saint-george/	Hope Filled Faith Faith is the gift of being able to see in a spiritual way. It is not a leap in the dark but a leap in the light! This week's prayers invite the Holy Spirit to help us understand and see, in faith, the Hope of Jesus' Resurrection. Review Holy Week and what happened: https://missiontogether.org.uk/calendar/holy-week-easter/ Design a Cross Competition will be launched in assembly. Please spend some time looking at different crosses and the meaning of the cross to us.
28 April Eastertide - WHITE	John 20:19-31 An Encounter With Jesus	May – the month of Mary 1 st May – St Joseph (And 19 th March)	Praise Ye The Lord (Psalm 118(117):2-4. 22-24. 25-27) During Lent, we fasted from saying 'Alleluia', which means 'rejoice' or 'praise the Lord', but we now rejoice and sing out all of our joy and praise for the Risen Lord throughout the 50 days of Eastertide! This week's prayers offer prompts for children to rejoice by offering thanks to God and praise Him by singing together.

			May is the month dedicated to Mary. We will have Rosary club happening. Please have rosary beads out on your prayer tables. Focus on learning the Hail Mary, Our Father and Glory Be. You could focus on a different Mary each week – Lourdes, Fatima, Walsingham, Loreto, and just respond to the statue in P&L books.
5 May Eastertide - WHITE	John 21:1-19 Shorter Version John 21:1-14 Needs and Feeds		It Is The Lord! The Gospel this week shows us the disciples recognising Jesus after His Resurrection. John says, “It is the Lord!” In the prayers, children notice and know the Lord Jesus is active in their everyday life. God is now here – display or page in P&L book. Where is God?
12 May Eastertide - WHITE	John 10:27-30	13 th May – Our Lady of Fatima	Hear His Voice Prayer is a two-way communication between us and God that involves speaking and listening. Jesus invites us to listen to His voice and this is a skill that can be developed. When we listen to Jesus, He leads us to the Father through the Holy Spirit. Guided meditation for older children (Katie has a book in her office!)
19 May Eastertide - WHITE	John 13:31-33a, 34-35 As I have loved	25th – 26th May: World Children’s Day 29th May – Ascension	Pilgrims Who Pray In this week’s Gospel, Jesus gives His ‘new’ commandment - to love others as He has loved us. Jesus loved us as much as it’s possible to love someone - He gave His very life out of love for each of us. These prayers help children to recognise the power and responsibility of intercessory prayer: one of the most loving and powerful things we can do for others is pray for them.
02 June Eastertide - WHITE	John 17:20-26 Holy is His name	31 st May: The Visitation	In God’s Name How amazing it is to hear Jesus’ intimate conversation with His Father! This week, we lift up our eyes and hearts to heaven and follow Jesus’ prayer to bring others to know the Father.
09 June RED for Pentecost	John 20:19-23 Pentecost Party	8 th June – Pentecost	Every Good Tree Bears Fruit Guided by the help, inspiration and encouragement of the Holy Spirit, the Church grew and the disciples were recognised by their love for one another; the fruits of the Holy Spirit at work in their lives. Each day this week, children will focus on the fruits of the Holy Spirit as they begin to recognise those fruits in their actions and the actions of others. Look at inspirational people and how they use the fruits of the HS. Display different fruits in class. https://missiontogether.org.uk/calendar/resources-for-pentecost/
16 June	John 16:12-15	15 th June – The Trinity & Father’s Day	The Work of God’s Fingers (Psalm 8:1,3-8)

Ordinary time - GREEN	Guide to truth	20 th June – World Refugee Day	The Psalmist wrote that God is great - because He is! This week's prayers create a daily opportunity for children to reflect on and explore the many ways that God is amazing, and to offer their own praises to God.
23 June Ordinary time - GREEN	Luke 9:11b-17 5 + 2 = 5000?!	22 nd June – Corpus Christi	Eat and Be Satisfied The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ celebrates Jesus' greatest gift to us - His very self in the Blessed Sacrament. The prayers this week are a series of invitations and meditations to lead the children towards Jesus in a new way, in the Blessed Sacrament (Adoration).
30 June Ordinary time - GREEN	Matthew 16:13-19 The Rock and the Pen	29 th June – St Peter & St Paul https://missiontogether.org.uk/calendar/st-peter/	Follow in their Footsteps This week's prayers call upon the example and words of Ss Peter and Paul to guide us and those we pray for. We thank God for all those people in our lives who lead us, especially with and through the grace of Jesus, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit.
07 July	Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 Long version In His Name		Moments of Joy (Isaiah 66:10-14) Jesus sent His disciples out to spread the Good News, knowing that they would not be welcome everywhere they went. His instructions were clear: speak peace to everyone and do good work amongst others but, if you are not made welcome, move on. Our prayers this week will help children to respond lovingly and joyfully, even when their efforts are unwelcome. Christ has no body now but yours.
14 July	Luke 10:25-37 Don't Miss the Moment	18 th July – Nelson Mandela Day	Faith, Hope and Love (Deuteronomy 30:10-14) Moses explains to God's chosen people that God's laws are not beyond us but 'in your mouth and in your heart'. The prayers this week help children to recognise that on our pilgrimage of life, God gives us what we need to live according to His Word through the gifts of Faith, Hope and Love.