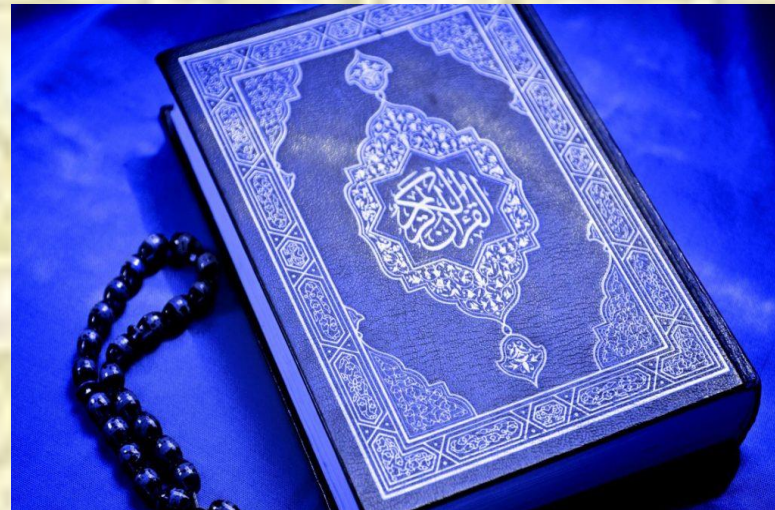


Islam

Special days and objects



Do you have a special object? This could be something really important to you like a teddy or a toy.

Why is this so special to you?

Where did you get it from?

How do you play with or use it?



Can you tell someone how you look after it?

There are lots of things which are special to people for different reasons. What special objects do your family have? Why are they important to them?

Challenge – Can you create a model of your special object? You could use playdough or junk modelling materials.

There are lots of things in the world we need to take care of.

Can you say this little rhyme with someone?

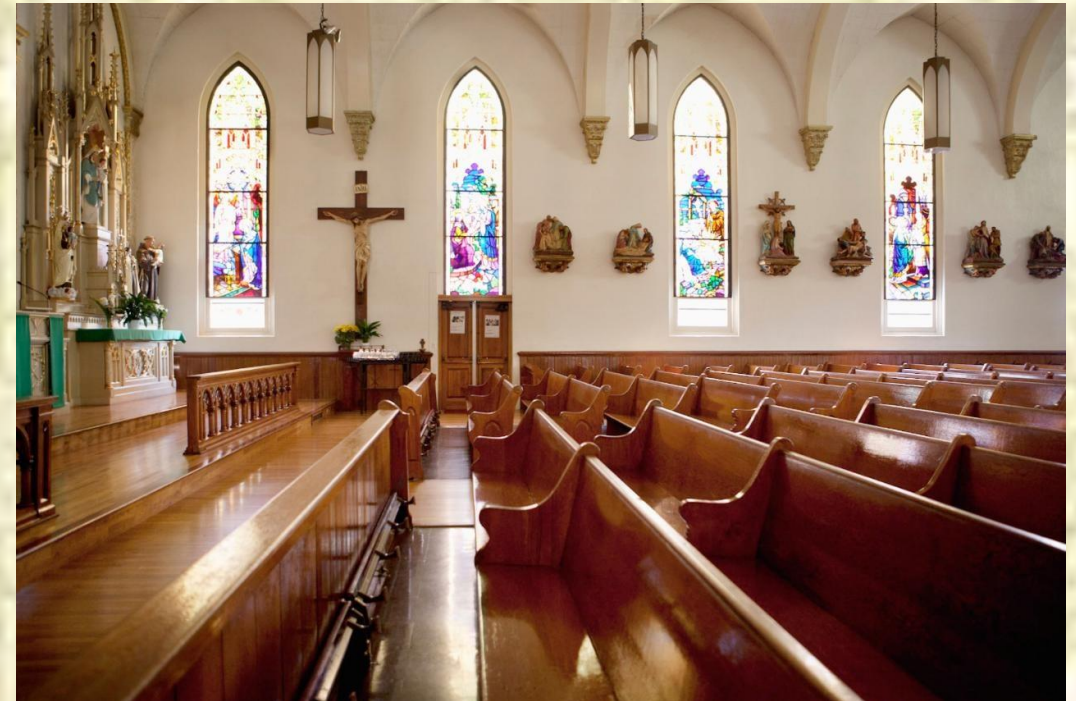
Two little eyes to look around.
Two little ears to hear each sound.
One little nose to smell what's sweet.
One little mouth that likes to eat.



There are lots of people in the world. Some people might have the same hair or eye colour as you but others have a different colour.

For some people, church is their special place where they go to pray and learn more about Jesus and God.

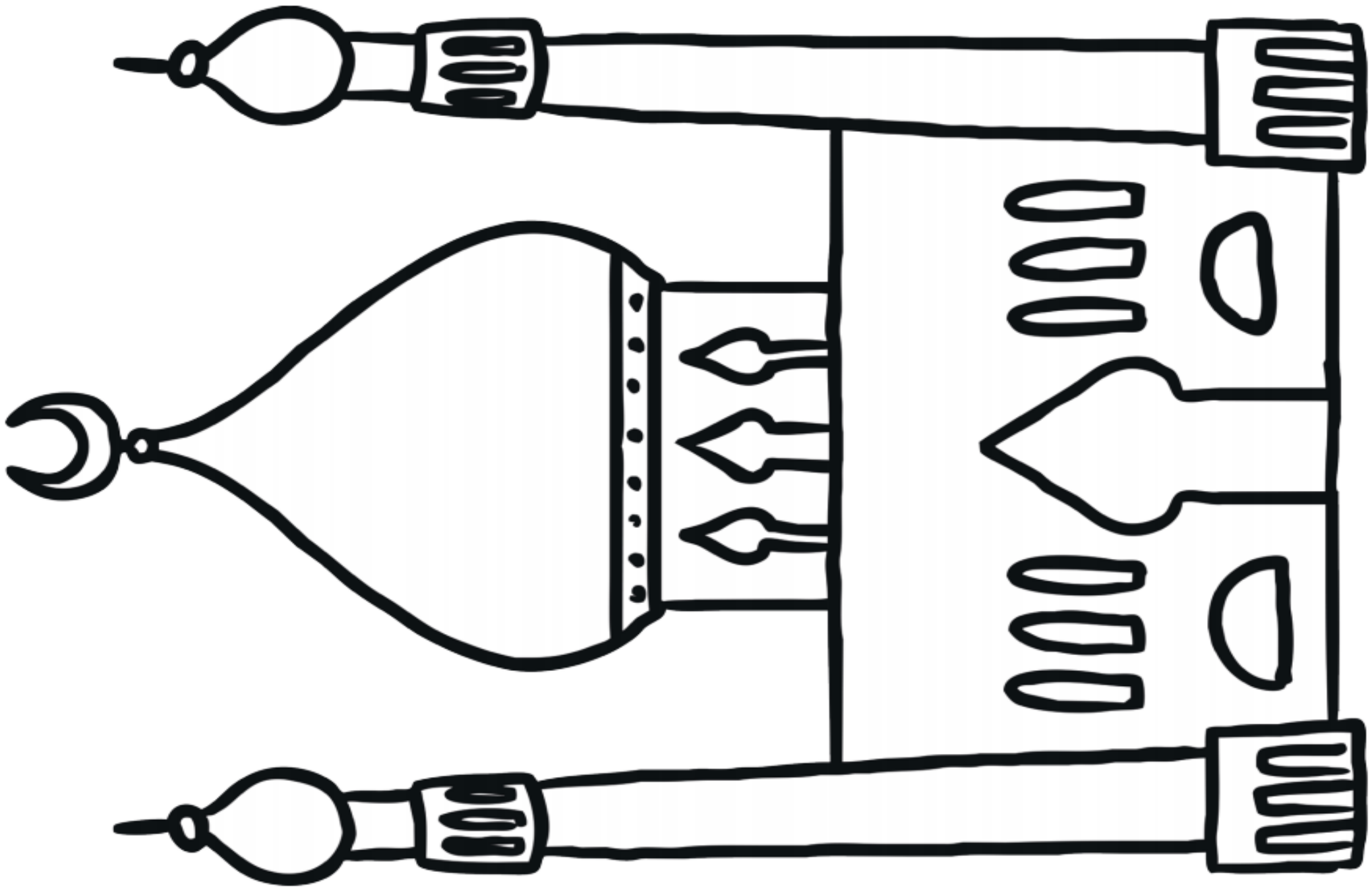
What happens at Church? Who do you go with? Can you draw a picture and do some writing about this?



Some people go to a special place called Mosque. Muslims go to the mosque to pray and learn more about God.



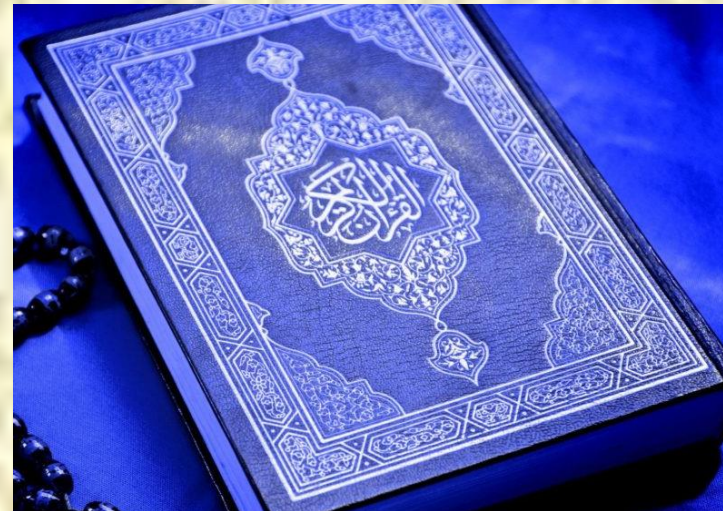
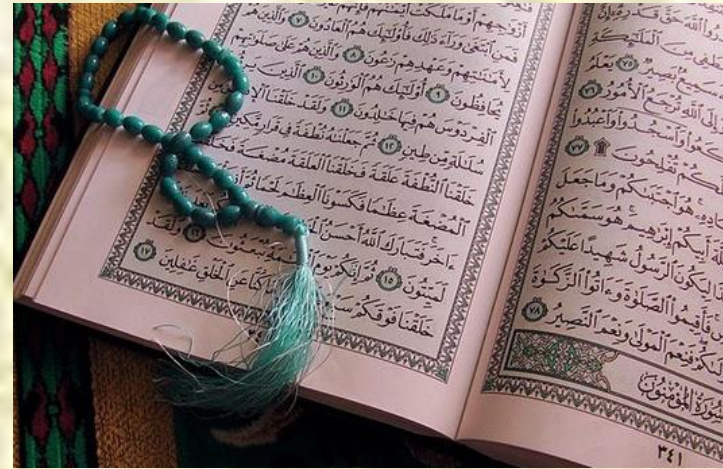
Challenge – Can you create a model of a mosque?



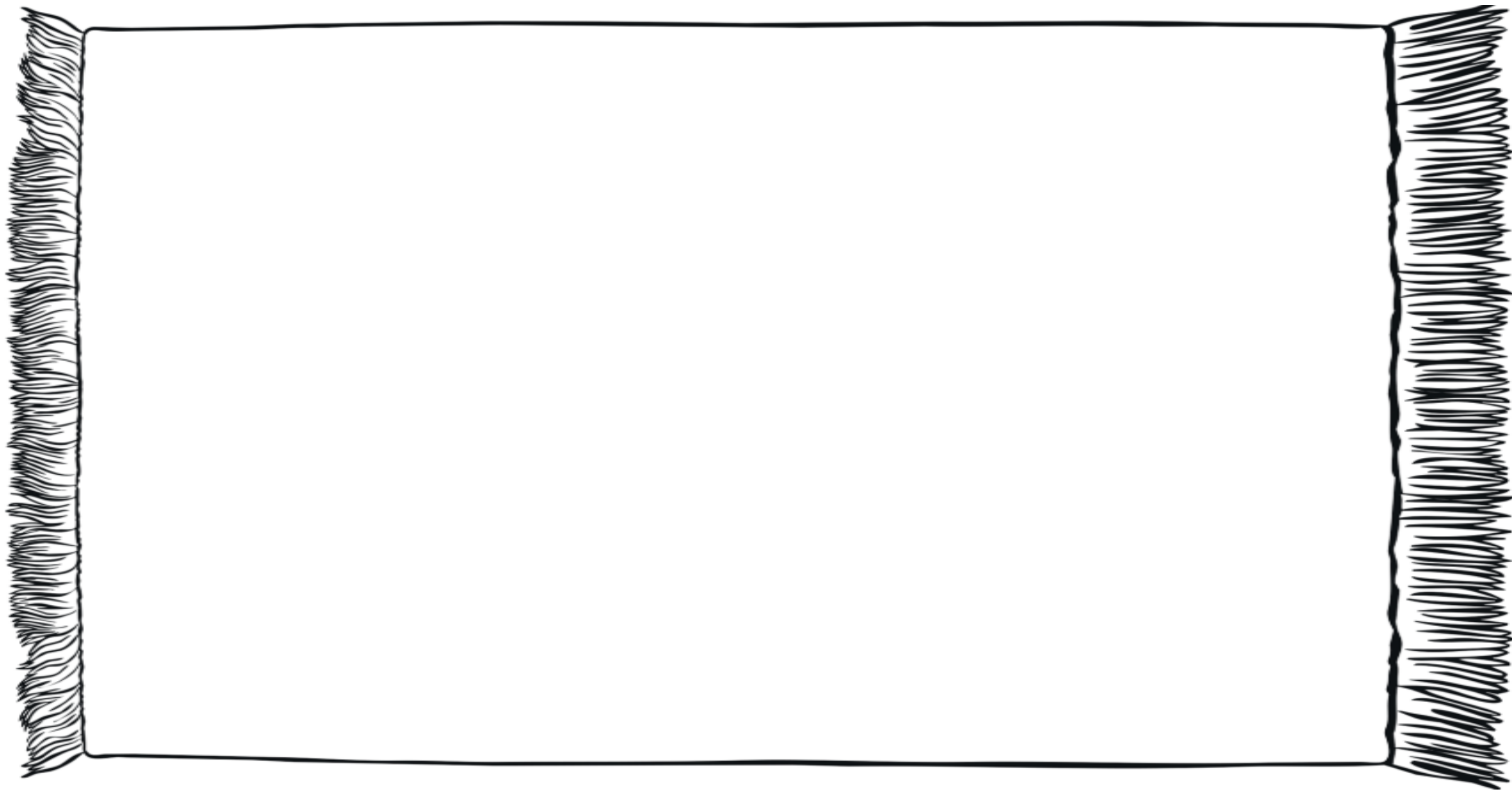
Prayer mats are used in mosques and are very special. Shoes must be removed before using a prayer mat.



The special book which is read in mosques is called the **Quran**.



Can you decorate a prayer mat with a colourful pattern?

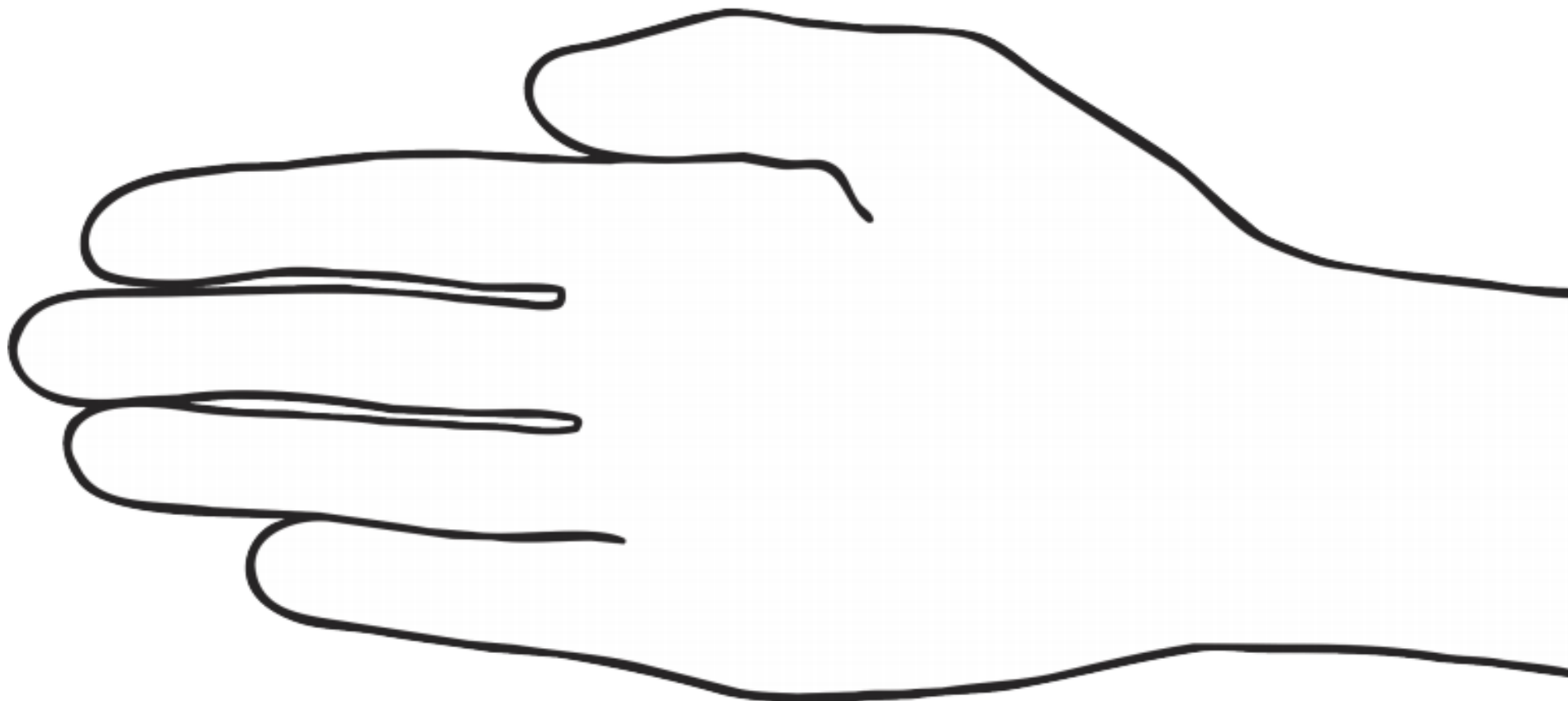


Muslims celebrate Eid which is like Christmas for them.

They wear their best clothes, visit the mosque and have a delicious feast with their family and friends. Some people decorate their hands with henna.



Use the template below to create your own henna design. You could draw around your own hand on a piece of paper and decorate it.



There are lots of people in the world and not everyone believes the same things that we do.

Ask someone to help you say this little prayer:

Thank you for giving us each other,
Thank you for every day that is new,
Thank you because you love all people near and far.

