

St. John's C of E (Aided) Primary School

Whole School Collective Worship Plan

Term	Autumn 1 2023	
Overall Themes	Generosity <i>This half term's theme is based on the 'Roots and Fruits' resource book pages 11-30.</i> Useful websites for more ideas: www.assemblies.org.uk and www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/faith-home/i-am-school-leader#na	
Key Bible Verse	'God loves a cheerful giver.' (2 Corinthians 9:7)	
Key Quotes and Questions	<i>Real generosity is doing something nice for someone who will never find out. (Frank A. Clark)</i>	Q. Have you ever been generous without telling anyone?
	<i>A community flourishes when people plant trees under which they will never sit. (A Greek proverb)</i>	Q. When has your generosity served to help future generations?
	<i>If you can't feed a hundred people, then just feed one. (Mother Teresa)</i>	Q. Remember one small way you have shown generosity to one person. (You don't always have to do big things for lots of people.)
	<i>Use what talent you possess; the woods would be very silent if no birds sang except those who sang best. (Henry Van Dyke)</i>	Q. Have you ever been put off doing what you are able to do because someone might be able to do it better?



Monday	9:00-9:20am	Monday Morning Praise – led by SLT
Tuesday	9:00-9:20am	Rev. Carol / Rev. Emma / SLT (alternate fortnights)
Wednesday	9:00-9:20am	Teacher led
Thursday	9:00-9:20am	Mrs C. Simpson - Chaplain
Friday	9:00-9:30am	Star of the Week Celebration – led by SLT

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Week Commencing	Theme / Key Idea: <i>Truth & Truthfulness</i>	Bible verse / Story	Roots and Fruits Resource book & online resources	Wednesday (Teacher led)	Special Dates etc.
Wed 6th September 2023	<i>Welcome New Beginnings</i>			Wed 4 th Sept. Mrs Pallister	
Mon 11th September	<i>Loving others as we Love Ourselves</i>	“Love your neighbour as yourself.” (Mark 12:31) Story of Johnny Appleseed	Pages 13-15	Wed 13 th Sept. Mr Ward	Tues 12 th Sept. Rev. Carol / Rev. Emma Thurs 14 th Sept. – Mrs Simpson
Mon 18th September	<i>Giving Sacrificially</i>	The Widow’s Offering (Luke 21:1-4)	Pages 16-18	Wed 20 th Sept. Mrs Barker	Tues 19 th Sept. SLT Thurs 21 st Sept. – Mrs Simpson
Mon 25th September	<i>Giving Cheerfully</i>	‘God loves a cheerful giver.’ (2 Corinthians 9:7)	Pages 19-21	Wed 27 th Sept. Mrs Rosenbrier	Tues 26 th Sept. Rev. Carol / Rev. Emma Thurs 28 th Sept. – Mrs Simpson
Mon 2nd October	<i>Caring for Creation</i>	‘The Lord God placed the man in the Garden of Eden to tend and look after it.’ (Genesis 2:15)	Pages 22-24	Wed 4 th Oct. Mrs Taylor	Tues 3 rd Oct. SLT Thurs 5 th Oct. – Mrs Simpson
Mon 9th October	<i>Giving our Time</i>	Rebuilding the City Wall of Jerusalem (book of Nehemiah – from chapter 3)	Pages 25-27	Wed 11 th Oct. Miss Bramley	Tues 10 th Oct. Rev. Carol / Rev. Emma Thurs 12 th Oct. – Mrs Simpson
Mon 16th October	<i>Creation & Harvest Thanksgiving: Giving as God Gives</i>	Beauty of God’s Creation (Psalm 65:9-13)	Pages 28-30	Wed 18 th Oct. Mrs Watson	Tues 17 th Oct. SLT Thurs 19 th Oct. – Mrs Simpson
Mon 23rd October		God’s Amazing Creation: <i>For the Beauty of the Earth</i>		Wed 25 th Oct. Mr Kay	Tues 24th October - 9:30am Harvest Celebration Service Thurs 26 th Oct. – Mrs Simpson
	October Half Term				