

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

### Whole School Collective Worship Plan

Term	Spring 1 2024	
Overall Themes	<b>Courage</b> <i>This half term's theme is based on the 'Roots and Fruits' resource book <b>pages 51-72</b>. (The original book is on AK's shelf.)</i>  <b>Useful websites for more ideas:</b> <a href="http://www.assemblies.org.uk">www.assemblies.org.uk</a> <a href="https://www.cofesuffolk.org/schools/resources-and-information/collective-worship/collective-worship-planning/">https://www.cofesuffolk.org/schools/resources-and-information/collective-worship/collective-worship-planning/</a> <a href="http://www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/faith-home/i-am-school-leader#na">www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/faith-home/i-am-school-leader#na</a>	
Key Bible Verse	'Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.' (Joshua 1:9)	
Key Quotes and Questions	<i>Courage doesn't always roar. Sometimes courage is the little voice at the end of the day that says, 'I'll try again tomorrow.'</i> (Mary Anne Radmacher – writer and artist)	Q. Can you remember a time when you thought, 'I've just got to keep trying?'
	<i>Courage is not the absence of fear. It is acting in spite of it.</i> (Mark Twain)	Q. Everyone feels scared sometimes. Have you ever overcome your fears and achieved something that you're proud of?
	<i>A person cannot discover new oceans unless he has the courage to lose sight of the shore.</i> (André Gide – French author)	Q. When did you last step outside your comfort zone to try something new?
	<i>If you have the courage to begin, you have the courage to succeed.</i> (David Viscott - American psychiatrist, author, businessman and media personality)	Q. Do you need courage to make a new start on something new?



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	Catherine 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 &amp; Truthfulness</i>	Bible verse / Story	Roots and Fruits Resource book & online resources	Wednesday (Teacher led)	Special Dates / Key information etc.
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2024	<i>Stepping out of your Comfort Zone</i>	Story of Moses and the Burning Bush (Exodus 3)	Pages 53-55	Wed 10 <sup>th</sup> Jan Mr Kay	Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan – SLT Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> Jan – Class Worship Activity (NO Catherine)
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<i>Doing the Right Thing, not the Easy Thing</i>	Story of Esther (Esther 4-8) 'Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.' (Joshua 1:9)	Pages 56-58	Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> Jan Miss Bramley	Tues 16 <sup>th</sup> Jan – Revd. Carol / Revd. Emma Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> Jan – Class Worship Activity (NO Catherine)
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Jan	<i>Facing a Challenge</i>	Joshua entering the Promised Land with the People of Israel (Joshua 2) 'Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.' (Joshua 1:9)	Pages 59-62	Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> Jan Mrs Watson	Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jan – SLT  Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup> Jan - Catherine
Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<i>Overcoming Fear</i>	'Perfect love casts out all fear.' (1 John 4:18)	Pages 63-65	Wed 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan Mr Ward	Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan (instead of Thursday) – Catherine Tues 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan – Revd. Carol / Revd. Emma Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb – SLT
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<i>Encouraging Others</i>	'Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.' (Joshua 1:9)	Pages 66-69	Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb Mrs Barker	Tues 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb – SLT Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb – Catherine
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<i>Trusting God's Promises (Celebrating the Season – Candlemas)</i>	Story of Jesus being presented in the Temple – Simeon & Anna meet Jesus (Luke 2:21-40)	Pages 70-72	Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> Feb Mrs Rosenbrier	Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb – Revd. Carol / Revd. Emma Thurs 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb - Catherine
February Half Term					