

## **St Mary's Worship 2023-2024: Autumn Term 1**

### **Mission Statement - 'We are happy living and learning in God's friendship'**

At St Mary's we value the importance of prayer to enable the children to develop their growing and maturing relationship with God. We take part in Collective Worship, whether this be in groups, classes, whole school or Parish, we aim to provide an opportunity for all our children to grow spiritually in Jesus's love. The Catholic Faith is witnessed in the life of the school and in everything we do. Prayer is developed all around school, as well as through our daily acts of worship. We value the importance of staff and children having time to reflect on their daily lives as well as growing in their faith and spiritual maturity.

### **Values Themes for Worship**

	Autumn 1 (7 weeks)	Autumn 2 (8 weeks)	Spring 1 (5 weeks)	Spring 2 (6 weeks)	Summer 1 (7 weeks)	Summer 2 (6 weeks)
(2023-2024)	Respect	Love	Tolerance	Forgiveness	Mercy	Peace

#### **Liturgical Colours:**

September to November – class display is green for Ordinary Time

4<sup>th</sup> December to end of term – class display is purple for Advent season

#### **Class Assemblies – Autumn term**

25<sup>th</sup> September – Y6

9<sup>th</sup> October – Y5

16<sup>th</sup> October – Y2

6<sup>th</sup> November – Y4

13<sup>th</sup> November – Y1

20<sup>th</sup> November – Y3

Autumn Term 1 RESPECT	<b>Monday</b> Whole school: Prayer and worship in class themed focus	<b>Tuesday</b> KS2: Key stage worship / class assembly / British values linked to whole school theme  KS1: In class worship: Saints & people of significant faith / learning prayers / Mass responses	<b>Wednesday</b> Whole School: Hymn Practice	<b>Thursday</b> KS1: Key stage worship / class assembly / British values linked to whole school theme  KS2: In class worship: Saints & people of significant faith/learning prayers / Mass responses	<b>Friday</b> Whole School: Celebration
Week 1 4/09	New beginnings + Respect for family	Story: The Lost Son (Luke 15:11-32)  Class: Person: Pope Francis	Who Put the Colours in the Rainbow?  <a href="https://youtu.be/9BfRO4RA0G4">https://youtu.be/9BfRO4RA0G4</a>	Story: The Lost Son (Luke 15:11-32)  Person: Pope Francis	
Week 2 11/09	Harvest and sharing + Respect for others	Story: Elijah and the Widow (1 Kings 17:7-24)  Class: Focus on Prayer	Harvest Samba  <a href="https://youtu.be/dqpkWsR6Yew">https://youtu.be/dqpkWsR6Yew</a>	Story: Elijah and the Widow (1 Kings 17:7-24)  Focus on Prayer	
Week 3 18/09	Mission Statement and values	Story: Abraham Obeying God (Genesis 12:1-9)  Class: Person: St Matthew	The School Rules Song <a href="https://youtu.be/bvNQQTFNcZk">https://youtu.be/bvNQQTFNcZk</a>	Story: Abraham Obeying God (Genesis 12:1-9)  Person: St Matthew	
Week 4 25/09	Class verse linked to Mission statement and values	<b>KS2 – Y6 class Assembly</b>  Class Bible verses to analyse and learn  Class: Person: St Vincent de Paul	The Beatitudes Song <a href="https://youtu.be/5yxs5wFpnGg">https://youtu.be/5yxs5wFpnGg</a>	Class Bible verse to analyse and learn  Person: St Vincent de Paul	

Week 5 2/10	Peace + Respect for Creation	Story: Jesus Calms the Storm (Luke 8:22-25)  Class: Person: St Francis of Assisi	If I Were a Butterfly <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2R-AI4AvwiU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2R-AI4AvwiU</a>	Story: Jesus Calms the Storm (Luke 8:22-25)  Person: St Francis of Assisi	
Week 6 9/10	Mental Health and wellbeing + Respect for Self	<b>KS2 - Y5 class Assembly</b>  Class: People and their stories: Nelson Mandela / Martin Luther King	One more step along the world I go <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7PXV3dwaeNU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7PXV3dwaeNU</a>  10000 Reasons <a href="https://youtu.be/dYsygZgENFA">https://youtu.be/dYsygZgENFA</a>	People and their stories: Nelson Mandela / Martin Luther King	
Week 7 16/10	Facing Challenges + Respect for differences	People and their stories: Rosa Parks / Katherine Johnson  Class: Asking for help through prayer – Our Father and Hail Mary	Here I am to Worship  <a href="https://youtu.be/kmnPzKNDdsA">https://youtu.be/kmnPzKNDdsA</a>	<b>KS1 – Y2 class Assembly</b>  People and their stories: Rosa Parks / Katherine Johnson  Asking for help through prayer – Our Father and Hail Mary	