



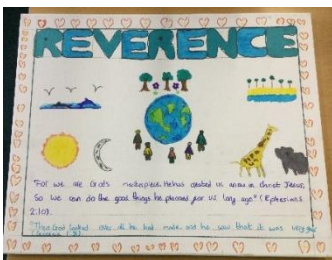
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## **Burton Church of England VC Primary School**

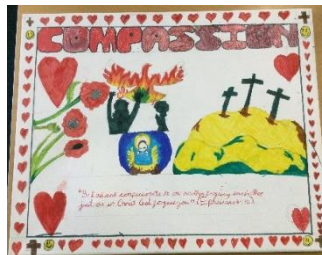
### **Collective Worship Themes Autumn 2026 (Cycle C)**



Themes for Collective Worship cover our core Christian Values and Vision for every child followed by the Spirituality focus.



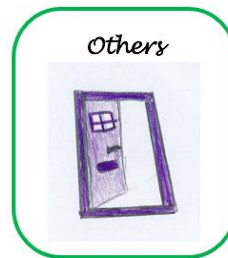
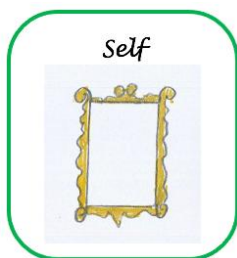
*By Julia and Valentina*



*By Kai and Rosie*



*By Zara and Ava*

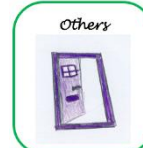


The three-year rolling programme will ensure that children visit each theme at least twice in their time at Burton Primary School.



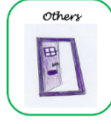
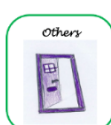
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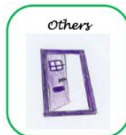
| Week commencing:                                                                                       | Collective Worship theme                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Bible Verse focus (Good News)                           | Christian Value                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Christian Vision                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Spirituality focus                                                                    | Special events and/or Visitors      | Liturgical colour |
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| 31.8.26<br><br>Children start school<br>3.9.26                                                         | Welcome back and Growth mindsets                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Ephesians 4:32<br><br>Ephesians 2:10<br><br>Romans 8:28 | Friendship<br><br><br>Reverence<br><br><br>Compassion<br> | <br>Belong.<br><br><br>Believe.<br><br><br>Achieve. |    |                                     | Green             |
| Four-part teaching series: 'Friends of Jesus' exploring different stories about Jesus and his friends. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                       |                                     |                   |
| 7.9.26                                                                                                 | 1/4 Friends of Jesus: The Alabaster Jar<br><br><br>Jesus shows us in the story that he never turned anyone away or left anybody out, no matter who they were and so we should not either. | Luke 7:36-39<br><br>Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman    | Friendship<br>                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <br>Belong.                                                                                                                                                                                                            |  | Rev. Kathy from Saint Luke's Church | Green             |



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| 14.9.26 | <p>2/4 Friends of Jesus: Help a Friend Out</p>  <p>Jesus' followers and friends sacrificed time away from their homes and families to support Jesus, through hard and good times. We even see how his followers Susannah and Joanna sacrificed their finances to support Jesus and his ministry.</p> | <p>Luke 8:1-3</p> <p>Women Who Followed Jesus</p>           | <p>Friendship</p>   |    | <p>Others</p>    | <p>Jackie McGregor from Christchurch Baptist Church.</p>                                                                      | Green |
| 21.9.26 | <p>3/4 Friends of Jesus: Bickering Brothers</p>  <p>Jesus teaches his disciples that you shouldn't demand or expect the things you think you should deserve, instead you should put others first in all you do and help them in all the ways you can.</p>                                          | <p>Mark 10:35-45</p> <p>The Request of James and John</p>   | <p>Reverence</p>  |  | <p>Others</p>  | <p>Mrs M Hibbert (United Reformed Church and Foundation Governor).</p> <p>Allergy Awareness Assembly - Mrs Reeves (SENCo)</p> | Green |
| 28.9.26 | <p>4/4 Friends of Jesus: Foot Washing</p>  <p>Jesus becomes the humblest of them all, doing a</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <p>John 13:1-17</p> <p>Jesus Washes His Disciples' Feet</p> | <p>Reverence</p>  |  | <p>Others</p>  | <p>Keith Jewell from PACE</p> <p>Jackie McGregor from Christchurch Baptist Church.</p>                                        | Green |



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|                                                            | job that is messy to help and elevate other people.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                       |                                                                                      |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |       |
| 6.10.26                                                    | <p>British Values - Rule of Law</p> <br><br><p>We will be looking at how our understanding of right and wrong shapes not just our own decisions, but how overtime it has shaped how our society works.</p>  | <p>Micah 6:8</p><br><p>The LORD's Case Against Israel</p><br><p>Romans 2:15</p><br><p>God's Righteous Judgement</p> | <p>Reverence</p>     |    |    | <p>Mrs M Hibbert (United Reformed Church and Foundation Governor).</p><br><p>Harvest Collective Worship at Saint Luke's Church with Tracy Blick (Christchurch Food Bank Plus) and led by Spirituality Champions.</p> | Green |
| 12.10.26                                                   | <p>Black History Month</p> <br><p>"Honouring Our Communities"</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <p>Romans 12:16</p><br><p>Love in Action</p>                                                                        | <p>Friendship</p>  |  |  | <p>Jackie McGregor from Christchurch Baptist Church.</p>                                                                                                                                                             | Green |
| <p>Two-part teaching series on the 'Miracles of Jesus'</p> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                       |                                                                                      |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |       |



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| 19.10.26                    | <p>1/2 Miracles of Jesus: The Bleeding Woman</p>  <p>This Collective Worship tells the New Testament story of the woman, who after years of bleeding - a serious condition at the time which excluded her from society - was healed by simply touching the hem of Jesus' cloak.</p>                                                           | <p>Luke 8:43-48</p> <p>Jesus Heals a Sick Woman</p> | <p>Compassion</p>   |    |    |                                                          | Green |
| Half term 2/11/26 - 5.11.26 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                     |                                                                                                      |                                                                                      |                                                                                       |                                                          |       |
| 2.11.26                     | <p>2/2 Miracles of Jesus: Jesus calms the storm</p>  <p>The disciples had witnessed a day of incredible miracles but that trust quickly turned to fear when they were caught in the middle of the storm. Jesus wakes up and rebukes first the storm and then the disciple's lack of faith. We can trust God because he is powerful even</p> | <p>Luke 8:22-25</p> <p>Jesus calms the storm</p>    | <p>Reverence</p>  |  |  | <p>Jackie McGregor from Christchurch Baptist Church.</p> | Green |



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|          | when caught in the middle of a storm.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                |                                                                                                       |                                                                                      |                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                |       |
| 9.11.26  |  <p>Remembrance:<br/>Lest We Forget - Remembering the people who have died in wars around the world.</p>                                                                                                                       | <p>Ephesians 4:32</p> <p>Instructions for Christian Living</p> | <p>Compassion</p>    |    | <p>Beyond</p>    | <p>Remembrance Collective Worship led by the Spirituality Champions.</p> <p>Two-minute silence on Burton Green</p> <p>Basket Ball Assembly</p> | Red   |
| 16.11.26 |  <p>The Anti-Bullying Alliance is a coalition of organisations and individuals that are united against bullying.</p>                                                                                                         | <p>John 15:13</p> <p>The Vine and the Branches</p>             | <p>Friendship</p>  |  | <p>Others</p>  | <p>Virtual Anti-bullying Assembly from Anti-Bullying Alliance.</p> <p>Jackie from Christchurch Baptist Church.</p>                             | Green |
| 23.11.26 |  <p>This Collective Worship tells the story of Jacob and Esau who were twins. Esau was the heir as the oldest son and was going to inherit the most of his father's wealth once he died. However, Jacob was his mother's</p> | <p>Genesis 27</p> <p>Isaac Blesses Jacob</p>                   | <p>Reverence</p>   |  | <p>Others</p>  | <p>Rev. Kathy from Saint Luke's Church</p> <p>Kismatui link School updates (Mrs Castro)</p>                                                    | Green |



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|                                                                                                                                | favourite and helped with a deceitful plan to trick his father and gain the inheritance for himself.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                  |                                                                                                |                                                                                    |                                                                                     |                                                                                                                    |        |
| <h2>Three-part 'Joy to the World' teaching series</h2>                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                  |                                                                                                |                                                                                    |                                                                                     |                                                                                                                    |        |
| 30.11.26 - 1 <sup>st</sup> week of Advent<br> | 1/3 Teaching Series - Joy to the World: Baby Jesus<br> <p>This Collective Worship tells the Christmas story with a slight difference! We all know the story of Jesus' birth but have we thought about the joy that was brought to the first visitors, and what this was like? At first, they must have been shocked, but then the Joy of a new baby filled their hearts, and we all know what happens when we are filled with Joy - we smile and tell everyone about the event. That's what happened at the first Christmas.</p> | Luke 2:1-7<br>The Birth of Jesus | Reverence<br> |  |  | Mrs M Hibbert<br>(United Reformed Church and Foundation Governor).<br><br>Jackie from Christchurch Baptist Church. | Purple |



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| <p>7.12.26 - 2nd week of Advent</p>                | <p>2/3 Teaching Series - Joy to the World: Shepherds</p>  <p>This Collective Worship tells the Christmas story with a slight difference! We all know the story of Jesus' birth but have we thought about the Joy that brought to the first visitors and what this was like? And who would consider what state the shepherds would have been in? They would have been working all day and lived in a field and they didn't have sheep dogs rounding up the flock - ewww stinky!</p> | <p>Luke 2:8-20</p> <p>The Birth of Jesus</p>            | <p>Reverence</p>    |    |    | <p>Mrs M Hibbert (United Reformed Church and Foundation Governor).</p>              | <p>Purple</p> |
| <p>14.12.26 - 3<sup>rd</sup> week of Advent</p>  | <p>3/3 Teaching Series - Joy to the World: Magi</p>  <p>This Collective Worship tells the story of the Wise Men's (Magi's) journey to visit the new born King. They had to follow the star to joyfully present their gifts to Jesus.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <p>Matthew 2:1-12</p> <p>The Magi Visit the Messiah</p> | <p>Reverence</p>  |  |  | <p>Christmas Collective Worship at Saint Luke's Church led by school community.</p> | <p>Purple</p> |