

Collective Worship Calendar 2018-2019

At St Michael's our mission statement is 'enabling every child to flourish in their potential as a child of God' and we believe we can achieve this by underpinning our curriculum with the teaching of Christian values.

We believe that values education will not only support the children to make a positive contribution to a fair, just and civil society, but it will also support their own spiritual growth.

We base the values education primarily on our one school rule of respect. Alongside this, the school has chosen 6 key values or 'school' values we actively teach and promote - **hope, trust, love, peace, resilience and joy**. These values are permeated through the school life and each half term one of the school values is discussed in greater depth and explored from a biblical perspective. These work on a rolling programme so that the core values are explored at different times in each academic year. An all-encompassing thread, which runs through the value developed each term is our one school rule of respect. We teach our children that they have the power to build respect with the way they conduct their lives. We teach our children to be honest, loyal, lead by example, persevere, show compassion, reflect and ultimately develop integrity – doing the right thing when no-one is watching – because God is watching. Ultimately we believe that embedding these values in our lives, underpinned by our one school rule of respect, will make us resilient individuals and enable us to make a positive contribution to this world.

The value of respect "be the best you can be"

Show proper respect to everyone: Love the brotherhood of believers, fear God, honour the King 1 Peter 2:17

As we reflect about our daily actions and daily thoughts we pray for strength to be better people. We pray the prayer Jesus taught in Matthew 6 to help us to be the best we can be to ourselves and to God. *Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.*

Value	Theme
Resilience	Resilience is the ability to recover quickly from difficulties, to "bounce back" when facing challenges. Challenges will come and dealing with these challenges is key for the development of children's resilience. Uncertainty is an important part of life, as it will stretch children's ability to think and analyse. Resilience develops the children's inner wisdom, the strength of their character, and their emotional intelligence.
Peace	We learn that Peace is a state of mind. If you find Peace in God, you can be happy despite any situation. If you have everything the world can give - pleasure, possessions, power - but lack peace of mind, you will not find true happiness – which leads to the last value of Joy.
Trust	Trust can easily be broken in this world, but we learn that we can trust God in every circumstance. Many times in our lives we go through trials and following God's plan might seem like it doesn't make sense, but we learn that God is always in control and he will never leave us.
Love	Love is the capacity to extend ourselves for the sake of another person's growth. God being the ultimate example of love in action. Love teaches us to understand, respect, and support each other. Love requires action. It's not a <i>thing</i> we try to get for ourselves, but instead is an <i>action</i> we express to others through sharing and serving. Love activates, love empowers and love encourages the growth of our other core values.
Joy	Joy is not based on circumstances, but a deep-seated sense of happiness in what God has done and what he is doing. We believe we are shaped by our thoughts; when the mind is pure, joy follows like a shadow that never leaves.
Hope	Hope and Faith is a living and daring confidence in God's grace. Hope sees the invisible, feels the intangible and achieves the impossible. Hope gives us direction. Hope gives us the determination and strength for whatever we face. In Romans 12:12 it says: 'Rejoice in our confident hope. Be patient in trouble and keep praying'. Hope is <i>not</i> the conviction that something will turn out well, but the <i>certainty</i> that something makes sense, regardless of how it turns out.

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Autumn 1 Truths of God - who do you think you are?

Value – Trust (Respect)

Week Beginning	Monday Value	Tuesday Church	Wednesday Singing UNICEF	Thursday Bible Stories	Links	
3 rd Sept Green	<p>The value of Trust Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight <i>Proverbs 3:5-6</i></p>	<i>I am a child of God</i> John1:12		Presented by the children – led by Ms Paul		
10 th Sept Green		<i>I am a friend of God</i> John 15:15				
17 th Sept Green		<i>I am created for good works</i> Ephesians 2:10				Bishop Pattison Day - 20th
24 th Sept Green		<i>I am a temple of God</i> 1 Corinthians 3:16				St Michael's Day - 29th
1 st Oct Green		<i>I am a God's treasure</i> 1 Corinthians 6:20			World Teacher's Day 5th	
8 th Oct Green		<i>I am salt and light</i> Matthew 5:13-16 (Harvest Service) 9th Parents Invited 10am				Harvest Assembly in Church 09.10.18 Harvest Festival at St Michaels 14.10.18
15 th Oct Green		<i>I am justified/ I am redeemed</i>				

Autumn 2 Stories from the Old Testament

Value – Love

Week Beginning	Monday Value	Tuesday Church	Wednesday Singing UNICEF	Thursday Bible Stories	Links
29 th Oct All Saints Day White	<p>The value of Love Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails. <i>1 Cor. 13:4-8</i></p>	Hallows Eve – What is Hallows Eve? All saints day – what is All Saints Day and why do we celebrate it? The story of St Stephen		Presented by the children – led by Ms Paul	All Hallows Eve 31st Oct All Saints Day 1st Nov
5 th Nov Green		Remembrance Service 6th – Parents 10 am			Remembrance Sunday 11th
12 th Nov Green		Cain and Abel			
19 th Nov Green		<i>Jonah and being obedient</i>	Universal Children's Day 20th		
26 th Nov Purple		<i>Elijah – being loyal</i> (Introduce advent and light the first advent candle). Start of the Christmas story. Mary's visit from the angel Gabriel / John the Baptist			Advent Sunday 2nd Dec Christingle 3rd Dec
3rd Dec Purple		<i>Solomon - wisdom</i> (Light the second candle) The journey to Bethlehem: Looking at Mary and Joseph's journey. How would they feel? What can we learn from this story?	International Day of Disabled Persons 3rd		
10 th Dec Purple		<i>Job - suffering</i> (Light the third candle) The Magi in anticipation	Human Rights Day 10th		
17 th Dec Purple		(Light the fourth candle) The saviour is born but was everyone happy? Who was Herod? <i>19th Eucharist - Parents 10 am</i>			

Staying Safe and Keeping Healthy Agenda:

Keeping children safe: Pants, Alright Charlie, The Blast Project

Awe and wonder - Well-being week: 23rd – 27th October

Anti-bullying week: 13th -17th Nov Road safety: 20th – 26th Nov

Spring 1 Fruits of the Spirit Galatians 5:22-23

Value – Peace

Week Beginning	Monday Value	Tuesday Church	Wednesday Singing UNICEF	Thursday Bible Stories	Links
7th Jan Green	The value of Peace Peace I leave with you, my peace I give you. Do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid John 14:27	A New Start Kindness: How can we show kindness to all and be the best that we can be. Random acts of kindness	New Year Resolutions/Building Back Better	Presented by the children – led by Ms Paul	Epiphany 6th Jan
14th Jan Green		Joy: The joy of Paul and Silas in prison (Acts 16:16-34)			
21st Jan Green		Gentleness: Gods gentleness towards us and how we can be gentle towards others	Martin Luther King Day 15th		
28th Jan Green		Patience: Abraham and Sarah	Holocaust Memorial Day 27th		
4th Feb Green		Faithfulness: Daniel in the lion's den			
11th Feb Green		Self-control: Samson			

Staying Safe and Keeping Healthy Agenda:

Keeping secrets (whisper)
Stranger Danger (safety4kids);
Trusting adults you know (www.safeguardingschools.co.uk/alrightcharlie);
E-safety (Trust Me) Safer Internet Day 6th Feb

Spring 2 - God's Promises/Mighty Women and Men of God

Value – Hope

Week Beginning	Monday Value	Tuesday Church	Wednesday Singing UNICEF	Thursday Bible Stories	Links
25 th Feb Green	The value of Hope <i>Then Joshua said to them, "Do not be afraid, nor be dismayed; be strong and of good courage, for thus the Lord will do to all your enemies against whom you fight."</i> Joshua 10:25	Abraham :Promise to be a Father of a nation		Presented by the children – led by Ms Paul	> St. David's Day 1st March
4 th Mar Purple		Moses Why is Moses a good example to us of promise? What can we learn from his life?			> Pancake Day (Shrove Tuesday) 5th March > Ash Wednesday 6th March > World Book Day 7th March > First Sunday of Lent March 9th
11th Mar Purple		Noah : How God kept His promise to Noah. What can we learn from this story?			
18th Mar Purple		King David :Mighty Man of God – made mistakes	> Elimination of Racial Discrimination 21st > Spring Equinox and Earth Day 21st > World Water Day 22nd		
25th Mar Purple		19^h Easter Eucharist - Parents 10 am			Mothering Sunday 31st March
1st Apr Purple		Esther : Mighty woman – actions saved a nation			

Staying Safe and Keeping Healthy Agenda:

Fire safety

Palm Sunday	14th April
Maundy Thursday	18th April
Good Friday	19th April
Easter Sunday	21st April

Summer 1 – Miracles Of Jesus

Value – Resilience

Week Beginning	Monday Value	Tuesday Church	Wednesday Singing UNICEF	Thursday Bible Stories	Links
22nd Apr White	<p>The value of Resilience</p> <p>We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; Persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed.</p> <p>2 Corinthians 4:8-9</p> <p>The righteous keep moving forward, and those with clean hands become stronger and stronger.</p> <p>Job 17:9</p>	<p>Healing a leper : What is a leper? Why is this a miracle</p>		<p>Presented by the children – led by Ms Paul</p>	
29th Apr White		<p>Calming a storm : Where can there be storms? Link to troubles (storms in our lives)</p>			<p>St. George's Day 23rd April</p>
6th May White		<p>Healing two blind men</p>			
13th May White		<p>Water into wine : First miracle performed</p>			
20th May		<p>Lazarus</p>			<p>Ascension Day 30th Ascension Sunday 2nd June</p>

Staying Safe and Keeping Healthy Agenda:

Resilience, Healthy eating (www.lewisham.gov.uk/sugarsmart),
 Exercise (fitness challenges, walk to school, get cycling) : Walk to school week 14th – 18th May, Road safety
 Phone messaging/sexting

Summer 2 - Miracles of Jesus

Value – Joy

Week Beginning	Monday Value	Tuesday Church	Wednesday Singing UNICEF	Thursday Bible Stories	Links
3 rd June Green	<p>The value of Joy</p> <p><i>May God, the source of hope, fill you with all joy and peace.</i></p> <p>Romans 15:13</p>	The Talents	World Environment Day 5th	<p>Presented by the children – led by Ms Paul</p>	Pentecost/Whit Sunday 9th June
10 th June Pentecost Sun 9th Red		Prodigal Son	World Day Against Child Labour 12th		Father's Day 16th June Trinity Sunday 16th June
17 th June Green		Lost Coin	World Refugee Day 20th		
24 th June Green		The Sower			
1 st July Green		Lost Sheep			
8 th July Green		The Unmerciful Servant			
15 th July Green		Final Church Service			
22 nd July					

Staying Safe and Keeping Healthy Agenda:

Road safety - bike ability,
 Healthy eating week: 11th – 15th June
 Transport safety (trains, bikes and scooters)

**Impact reflected in newsletter with children's comments. Pupil Questionnaires in Autumn 11*