



'Following Jesus in all we do'

Resources to support prayer and spirituality

Prayer is an act of communication with God which can offer new meaning, purpose, hope, and a sense of guidance or control. Many of you may feel powerless in the face of this pandemic, however, here at St Joseph's we wanted to provide your family with some resources to enrich your spirituality and bring a feeling of peace.

*God of compassion,
be close to those who are ill, afraid or in isolation.
In their loneliness, be their consolation;
in their anxiety, be their hope;
in their darkness, be their light;
you taught us to love our neighbour,
and to care for those in need
as if we were caring for you.
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.*



In difficult times, such as these, we should be **faith-filled** in our beliefs and **hopeful** for the future;
St Joseph pray for us.

Cafod	https://cafod.org.uk/	Cafod have a primary school closure pack that parents can download with the following resources: Children's Easter card Templates, Laudato Si Colouring In Sheet and a Romero cross activity.
Twinkl	https://www.twinkl.co.uk/offer	Twinkl have a deal for parents join at the moment and have a range of activities such as: My daily prayer book, Mass responses, Easter and Ash Wednesday packs, Confession workbooks, a communion prayer book, different parables in PowerPoint and activity versions. Parents can also be directed to the Parent Hub: https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/parents
TES	https://www.tes.com/	Lots of the resources for R.E are free. Parents just need to get an account. I found this one but couldn't access it as my email wouldn't work.
Simple Collective Worship	https://simplycollectiveworship.co.uk/downloads/	Simple collective worship is offering a complimentary 5-week resource.
Wednesday Word	http://www.wednesdayword.org/sunday-gospel.htm	There are currently two versions of <i>The Wednesday Word</i> - one for primary schools and one for parish churches. Children can keep up to date with this.
Father Hudson Primary Resources	https://www.fatherhudsons.org.uk/children-and-families/primary-materials/118.htm	Father Hudson's Care has produced a complete range of classroom materials for teachers and headteachers at Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2.
Children's Bible Online	https://biblehub.com/childrens/	Children can access bible stories, parables and miracles online.
Adventure Bible	https://www.adventurebible.com/	This site has games, crosswords, bible search and other bible activities to complete.
Go Noodle and Youtube	https://app.gonoodle.com/login https://www.youtube.com/	Go Noodle has some really nice videos about breathing, thinking and being mindful. It also focusses on releasing energy and being spiritual. YouTube give access to parables and hymns.