

To Know You More Clearly Year Group Overview

NURSERY	BRANCH ONE CREATION AND COVENANT	BRANCH TWO PROPHECY AND PROMISE	BRANCH THREE FROM GALILEE TO JERUSALEM	BRANCH FOUR FROM DESERT TO GARDEN	BRANCH FIVE TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH	BRANCH SIX DIALOGUE AND ENCOUNTER
HEAR	God made our beautiful world and everything in it. God made me.	Mary was going to have a baby. His name will be Jesus. (Lk 1:23-31,38) Jesus was born in Bethlehem. (Lk 2:4-7) Shepherds hurried to see Mary and Joseph and baby Jesus. (Lk 2:28-30)	The Wise Men visit Jesus. (Matt 2:1-12) Jesus welcomes the little children. (Mark 10:v16) Jesus blesses the little children. (Story retold)	Lent is a time to care for others. Jesus died on a cross. It is a sad time. Jesus was given new life by God his Father. Jesus rose and everyone celebrates. Love God and love everyone (Great Commandment)	Jesus went back to his Father. He sent a special friend, the Holy Spirit, to look after us.	DIALOGUE Friends of Jesus: Hear a simple life of St Peter and St Paul, friends of Jesus (link to St Charles' Feast Day) Ask a local parishioner to talk about their faith and why it matters to them to be a friend of Jesus. Explore a range of pictures of Jesus from a non-European tradition.
BELIEVE	God made me. God loves me. God loves everyone. God made the wonderful world.	Mary had a baby called Jesus.	Jesus was born for everyone.	Caring for other in Lent. Jesus died on a cross. Jesus rose and we celebrate.	The Holy Spirit is our friend. The Holy Spirit looks after us.	
CELEBRATE	The words and actions of the Sign of the Cross. Give thanks for God's Wonderful World.	Advent Wreath. The tradition of the crib. Nativity celebration.	The Glory Be is a special prayer.	Simple signs of Lent – colour purple, seeds, growing. Simple signs of Easter – colour white, growth, Easter Garden.	The parish church is a special place where we meet our friends. We sing and say prayers.	ENCOUNTER Talk with a local or school community member about their local (faith) community and what it means to them Encounter music, food, smells, tastes and clothing to enrich experiences
LIVE	Look after me. Look after God's world.	Celebrate Advent, it is a time to get ready for Christmas. God sent Jesus to love us all	Show love to everyone like Jesus.	Care for others. Celebrate with signs and symbols – Hot Cross Buns, garden growth, Easter eggs.	The parish church. We gather with friends at church, especially on Sunday	

“Let us do little things well today”