Collective Worship  Spring 2017
Together, we love, learn and grow with God

This half term we will reflect on how Lent is one of the most important times of year for many Christians around the world. We will ask the question: ‘What if Lent was a preparation for a lifetime of big-heartedness that reflected God’s amazing generosity?’ Each day during Lent, we will reflect on the meaning of Lent and complete simple acts of generosity.

WEEK 1
COLLECTIVE WORSHIP
VALUE: LOVE

‘We love because he first loved us.’
John 4:19

- To know that God is good and full of love.
- Being faithful in relationships is important.
- To develop positive hope in ourselves and God.

WEEK 1: Monday 20th February – Friday 24th February 2017

WEEK 2
COLLECTIVE WORSHIP
GIVE THANKS
VALUE: THANKFULNESS

‘Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good. His love endures forever.’
Psalm 136:1

- To learn about how Christians celebrate Shrove Tuesday.
- To be generous with the food that we have.
- To think about Lent as a time of giving something back.

WEEK 2: Monday 27th February – Friday 3rd March 2017

WEEK 3
COLLECTIVE WORSHIP
BEING GENEROUS WITH MONEY AND POSSESSIONS
VALUE: GIVING

Jesus himself said: ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’
Acts 20:35

- To question: is having lots of money the most important thing in life?
- To learn about how David was generous with his time.

WEEK 3: Monday 6th March – Friday 10th March 2017

WEEK 4
COLLECTIVE WORSHIP
BEING GENEROUS WITH MONEY AND POSSESSIONS
VALUE: SHARING

‘A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help and care for each other.’
1 Corinthians 12

- God is generous to us and therefore we want to share that with others.
- We should also help those in need.

WEEK 4: Monday 13th March – Friday 17th March 2017

WEEK 5
COLLECTIVE WORSHIP
GENEROSITY OF SPIRIT
VALUE: FORGIVENESS

‘Forgive, and you will be forgiven.’
Luke 6:37

- To consider how we can be generous, how we think about and treat each other. This is known as generosity of spirit.
- To think of the best of people, and be willing to forgive each other when we do wrong.

WEEK 5: Monday 20th March – Friday 24th March 2017

WEEK 6
COLLECTIVE WORSHIP
BEING GENEROUS TO THE WORLD AROUND US
VALUE: STEWARDSHIP

‘God saw all that he had made, and it was very good.’
Genesis 1:31

- Consider the importance of the natural world around us to our health and wellbeing.
- Reflect on what it means to be generous to our environment.

WEEK 6: Monday 27th March – Friday 1st March 2017