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|  | **Week Beginning** | **Significant Dates** | **Monday**  **Head teacher assembly**  **Virtual** | **Tuesday**  **Singing Assembly**  **Sharon Bruce**  **1,2,3/ 4,5,6** | **Wednesday**  **Church member**  **Rev Carol Dunk**  **1,2,3, CS/**  **4,5,6 DP** | **Thursday**  **SpaceMakers**  **Reflection**  **Candle Time** | **Friday**  **Celebration**  **Virtual** | Jennett's Park**Rainbow Value / Quote** |
| 1 | 5th September 2023 | 5th Sept- International day of charity  8th- International Literacy Day  9th- World First Aid day | **None** | Start of year ES | Roots & Fruits **pg 137-139**  **Thanking God for people who help us**  Resources:  -3 candles and a Bible open on the verse Philippians 1.3  -Worship cloth  -Thankfulness poster page 135  -Treasure Box  -12 cards, one for each letter of the word THANKFULNESS.  (Each class to make this for Candle time areas)  SpaceMakers  Stilling- aware of surroundings and the self- | SpaceMakers  Stilling- aware of surroundings and the self- breathing techniques | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  Contemplative Toolkit-  Blessing- Reflection on self and others | “A bird sitting in a tree is never afraid of the branch breaking, because it’s trust is not in the branch, but in its wings.” Unknown |
| 2 | 11th September 2023 | 13th - Roald Dahl Day  7th-10th - British Science festival  15th-  International Dot day in aid of creativity  15th-17th-  Rosh Hashanah  16th- National Teaching Assistants Day  16th- 22nd -National Recycle Week  16th-30th-  British Food Fortnight | Roots & Fruits **pg 140-142**  **Praising God in creation**  Resources:  3 candles and a Bible open today’s psalm 148  -Worship cloth  -Thankfulness poster page 135  -A globe  SpaceMakers  Stilling- aware of surroundings and the self- breathing techniques | SpaceMakers  Noticing-  attend quietly, reflectively and prayerfully  consolation  desolation  Song- Autumn days | Rev Carol Dunk  Psalm 148, this which could provide some ideas:  <https://scripturelady.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/Psalm-148-in-Pictures-Part-One.pdf>  <https://scripturelady.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/Psalm-148-in-Pictures-Part-Two.pdf>  SpaceMakers  Dwelling-  slowing down, listening to and noticing within a Scriptural text | SpaceMakers  Mending-  Helping us to forgive others, and importantly ourselves in order to be freer. Forgiveness is a central theme of Christianity, and it is a liberating and universal human need.  Design:  A 10-15 minute weekly practice | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  SpaceMakers  Blessing- Reflection on self and others  SpaceMakers  Blessing  SpaceMakers  Five finger Examen | Our Rainbow Promise underpins everything we do at school. Just as the Rainbow was a sign of God’s promise to Noah that from that moment God would enable Noah and the people of the earth to flourish and experience life in all its fullness. So as a school community we promise to do our best to enable all the pupils and adults of our school to flourish academically and professionally so that they might reach their potential.  The Rainbow is also a symbol of the diversity of our school community, but as a church school we recognise that we are all created and valued by God, and so as a school community we commit to care for and value each other.  The dove symbolises our need to persevere in some aspects of life as it is not always the first time we find success. It was not the first time that Noah had tried to find dry land and so we much seek strength within ourselves and from God to achieve.  These are our Values we try to live each day  *Love*  *Honesty*  *Respect*  *Peace*  *Forgiveness*  *Patience*  *Support*  *Kindness & Joy* |
| 3 | 18th September 2023 | 19th-25th- National Coding Week  18th-24th- Jeans for Genes Week  21st- International Day of Peace  23rd- Autumn Equinox  24th-25th-  Yom Kippur | Roots & Fruits **pg 143-145**  **Remembering to say thank you**  Resources:  3 candles and a Bible open on the verse Ephesians 5.20  -Worship cloth  -Thankfulness poster page 135  -A glass of water and some carrots  SpaceMakers  Stilling | SpaceMakers  Stilling | Rev Carol Dunk  St Paul’s Letter to the Ephesians - how a letter of thanks in the Bible has set an example for us all to say thank you.  SpaceMakers  Dwelling | What are we thankful for?  SpaceMakers  Mending | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  SpaceMakers  Blessing  SpaceMakers  - Five finger Examen | Image result for all faiths belonging together quote |
| 4 | 25th September 2023 | 25th- National Fitness Day  26th- European day of languages  29th-6th-  Sukkot begins  29th- Harvest Moon | Roots & Fruits **pg 146-148**  **Giving thanks even when times are difficult**  Resources:  3 candles and a Bible open on today’s story, Acts 16.16  -Worship cloth  -Thankfulness poster page 135  -A hymn book  YouTube video:  https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=Y24Ak7DJZFg&cbrd=1  SpaceMakers  Stilling | SpaceMakers  Noticing | Rev Carol Dunk  Mark told the story of Paul and Silas on Monday – can you go further in to the fact that God was with them and his spirit was keeping their hearts lifted.  SpaceMakers  Dwelling | SpaceMakers  Mending | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  SpaceMakers  Blessing  SpaceMakers  - Five finger Examen | “Don’t judge each day by the harvest that you reap, but by the seeds you plant.”  -Robert Louis Stevenson |
| 5 | 2nd October 2023 | 1st-31st October  Black History Month  ADHD Awareness month  1st-  Harvest celebrations begin  4th Oct-  [Feast of St Francis of Assisi](https://www.timeanddate.com/holidays/uk/st-francis-assisi-feast)  4th- World Animal Day  5th- National Poetry Day  5th- World Teacher’s Day  4th-10th-  World Space Week | Roots & Fruits **pg 149-151**  **Counting your blessings**  Resources:  -3 candles and a Bible open on today’s verse, 1 Thessalonians 5.16  -Worship cloth  -Thankfulness poster page 135  -Count your blessings number square  SpaceMakers  Stilling | SpaceMakers  Noticing | Rev Carol Dunk  As a Reverend, how do you encourage people to count their blessings? Is there a Bible story that helps you to support people when they are down?  SpaceMakers  Dwelling | When things go badly, I think of… and why/how do they make me feel? (link to counting your blessings)  SpaceMakers  Mending | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  SpaceMakers  Blessing  SpaceMakers  - Five finger Examen | “There is no power for change greater than a community discovering what it cares about”. |
| 6 | 9th October  2023 | 10th-  World Mental Health Day/ Hello Yellow  11th- International Day of the Girl child | Roots & Fruits **pg 152-154**  **Harvest Festival**  **Living Fruitful Lives**  Resources:  -3 candles and a Bible open on today’s drama, Mark4.3-9  -Worship cloth  -Thankfulness poster page 135  -Seeds  Link to gardening club and around the school  SpaceMakers  Stilling | SpaceMakers  Noticing | Rev Carol Dunk  Fruits of the Spirit – Galatians 5:22-23– discuss then ask children to decide of any are more important than others.  SpaceMakers  Dwelling | SpaceMakers  Mending | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  SpaceMakers  Blessing  SpaceMakers  - Five finger Examen | “Children are the World’s most valuable resource and its best hope for the future.” John F Kennedy  “Greatness is not what you have, it’s what you give.” |
| 7 | 16th October 2023 | 16th- World Food Day | Harvest celebrations | SpaceMakers  Noticing | Rev Carol Dunk  SpaceMakers  Dwelling | SpaceMakers  Mending | Rainbow and Owl Assembly  KS1 &KS2  SpaceMakers  Blessing  SpaceMakers  - Five finger Examen | “The happiest people do not have the best of everything. They make the best of everything they have.” |

Useful websites:

<https://www.assemblies.org.uk/pri/worldreligions/>

<https://www.prayerspacesinschools.com/topten>