



Collective Worship Summary

Theme	Monday <i>Visions and Values</i>	Tuesday	Wednesday <i>Clergy Assembly</i>	Thursday <i>Class Worship</i>	Friday <i>Celebration Assembly</i>
Each week we will explore a key theme related to our visions and values of love, hope and truth (a half-term on each, twice a year) Key links to bible stories and verses will be made each week and clear applications made for children to understand and apply what they have learnt in the day-to-day life both within St James' but also in their wider communities.	<p>This assembly will be used to launch the key theme for the week. It will introduce a bible verse for and give a framework for class worship.</p> <p>As the week moves on, look for opportunities to exemplify and encourage the weekly theme. For example, "Well done, you have really demonstrated a patient heart this week."</p>		We are privileged to have our local clergy and Open the Book visiting the school each week. They will take a weekly collective worship for the whole school and will highlight key events in the Christian calendar. Open the Book explores some key biblical stories from throughout the bible and where appropriate, we will link these into our key themes for the week.	Class worship will be led by the teacher each week in your own classroom. This is an opportunity to reflect with your class on the visions and values assembly. The key verse can be used to help explore the key theme and get children talking about the message they heard the day before.	Our celebration assembly will be used to reflect on our week, talk about how we learnt from our theme and celebrate the individual and collective successes of each week.

Weekly Awards

Weekly Award	Awarded To	Teacher Responsibilities	Head Teacher Responsibilities	Office Responsibilities
Golden Work	Awarded to one student from each class who has produced an outstanding piece of work (both in terms of attainment and progress) or demonstrated resilience in their learning.	To submit the following details to the head teacher by Wednesday morning each week: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Name of student - Class - A photocopy of the work inside the class Golden Book. - A simple summary of why this child one the golden work award. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write and sign certificates each week. - To collate class list and pass details to the office. - To return Golden book to class teacher ready for next week. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To invite parents to celebration assembly - Collate a list of parents confirmed as attending.
Believe and Achieve Awarded	Awarded to one student from each class who has exemplified an element of our school vision and values. For example, we might be thinking about love being patient and a child spotted a friend upset and took the time to listen to them.	To submit the following details to the head teacher by Wednesday morning each week: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Name of student - Class - A simple summary of why this child one the Believe and Achieve award. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Write and sign certificates each week. - To collate class list and pass details to the office. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To invite parents to celebration assembly - Collate a list of parents confirmed as attending.



2024 – 2025 Autumn Term Collection Worship Overview

Week Commencing	Weekly Theme	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 nd September	Believe and Achieve "I will show you my faith by my deeds." James 2:18	2 nd Sep	3 rd Sep INSET	4 th Sep INSET	5 th Sep Headteacher	6 th Sep Class Worship <i>National Read a Book Day</i>
9 th September	Smart Learning "Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice." Philippians 4:9	9 th Sep Headteacher To explore what great learning looks like and how we can make the most of the year ahead.	10 th Sep	11 th Sep OTB	12 th Sep Class Worship	13 th Sep Headteacher Celebration Assembly
16 th September	What is love? "Above all, love each other deeply." 1 Peter 4:8	16 th Sep Headteacher Exploring what is love and why we believe It is one of our core believes.	17 th Sep Lucy Swift – Children of Hope Uganda (08.45 – 09.15)	18 th Sep OTB	19 th Sep	20 th Sep Headteacher Celebration Assembly
23 rd September	Love is Patient "Be humble and gentle; be patient with one another in love." Ephesians 4:2	23 rd Sep Headteacher To understand that we can demonstrate love by being patient with one another	24 th Sep	25 th Sep Nick the Vic	26 th Sep	27 th Sep Headteacher Celebration Assembly <i>National Teaching Assistants Day</i>
30 th September	Love is kind "My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you." John 15:12	30 th Sep Headteacher To understand that kindness to one another finds its foundation in love.	1 st Oct <i>Black History Month</i>	2 nd Oct OTB	3 rd Oct Class Worship	4 th Oct Headteacher Celebration Assembly



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7 th October	Love is not jealous "A heart of peace gives life to the body, but envy rots the bones" Proverbs 14:30	7th Oct Headteacher To understand that there is no love in jealousy. That we must be grateful for all that we have been given.	8th Oct	9th Oct OTB	10th Oct Class Worship <i>World Mental Health Day</i>	11th Oct Headteacher Celebration Assembly
14 th October	Love does not boast "Do not boast" James 3:14	14th Oct Headteacher To understand that love does not boast but instead celebrates the successes of others first. <i>Recycling Week</i>	15th Oct 09.30 Harvest Festival at Holtwood Methodist	16th Oct OTB	17th Oct	18th Oct Headteacher Celebration Assembly
21 st October	Love does not remember wrongs. "Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you." Ephesians 4:32	21st Oct Headteacher To understand that love leads us to forgive and to not hold a grudge.	22nd Oct	23rd Oct Nick the Vic	24th Oct Class Worship	25th Oct Headteacher Celebration Assembly
28 th October	Half-Term					
4 th November	Why should we hope? "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope" Romans 15:13	4th Nov Assistant Headteacher To introduce the concept of hope and explore why it is a core belief.	5th Nov <i>Bonfire Night</i>	6th Nov Worship Leaders South Sudan Fundraising Specials	7th Nov Headteacher Celebration Assembly	8th Nov AIM Day (Celebration Worship a day early)



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11th November Anti-Bullying Week (11 th – 14 th November)	Hope for our Wider World “But God will never forget the needy; the hope of the afflicted will never perish.” Psalm 9:18	11th Nov To understand the importance of remembrance and why it can lead us to hope for our wider world. Headteacher – Remembrance Service (08.45 – 09.30)	12th Nov <i>Odd Sock Day</i>	13th Nov Ruth Grist – Lantern Church	14th Nov Class Assembly	15th Nov Headteacher Celebration Assembly <i>Children in Need (Mufti-Day)</i>
18th November	Hope for our Community “Live in harmony with one another.” Romans 12:5	18th Nov Headteacher To understand that St James’ should hope to be a place that stands against bullying.	19th Nov	20th Nov Nick the Vic	21st Nov	22nd Nov Headteacher Celebration Assembly
25th November	Hope for our environment “Behold, to the Lord your God belong heaven and the heaven of heavens, the earth with all that is in it.” Deuteronomy 10:14	25th Nov Headteacher To understand that we should hope for a brighter future for our world and play our part in making our environment a better place.	26th Nov	27th Nov Singing Assembly (AHT) Rehearsing for Christmas Service	28th Nov Class Assembly	29th Nov Headteacher Celebration Assembly
2nd December	Hope at Advent The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned. Isaiah 9:2	2nd Dec Headteacher To understand the 1 st candle of advent, that Jesus was hope because he brought light into darkness. First Advent Candle (Hope) (Including Tree Decorating)	3rd Dec	4th Dec Singing Assembly (AHT) Rehearsing for Christmas Service	5th Dec	6th Dec Assistant Headteacher Celebration Assembly Second Advent Candle (Peace)



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9 th December	Hope in my Worry Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid. Isaiah 12:2	<p>9th Dec</p> <p>Headteacher To understand that God has a plan for our future and we can trust in them. There is no need to worry.</p> <p>Third Advent Candle (Joy)</p>	10 th Dec	<p>11th Dec</p> <p>OTB (Christmas Special)</p>	<p>12th Dec</p> <p>Class Assembly</p>	<p>13th Dec</p> <p>Headteacher Celebration Assembly</p>
16 th December	Hope in a coming Saviour? “May your unfailing love be with us, LORD, even as we put our hope in you.” Psalm 33:22	<p>16th Dec</p> <p>Headteacher To understand that Christians put their hope in Jesus, he was the coming Saviour we remember at Christmas.</p> <p>Forth Advent Assembly (Love)</p>	17 th Dec	<p>18th Dec</p> <p>Nick the Vic</p>	<p>19th Dec</p> <p>Christmas Service (Hinton Martell) An opportunity to come together as a community, to celebrate the Christmas season.</p> <p>Final Advent Candle</p>	<p>20th Dec</p> <p>Final Day of Spring Term</p>