

Collective Worship Calendar: Autumn Term 2024 to end of Summer Term 2025

Wk	Week Beginning (colour is for that Sunday in church)	Reading(s) (Taken from the Lectionary for the Sunday of that week)	Theme (The current SIAMS framework has a greater focus on theology)	Link to Academy Value(s) & Virtue(s)	Link to British Value(s)	Local/National/Global events that week
AUTUMN TERM 1						
1A	2 September 2024	James 1:17-27 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23	Honouring God in thoughts, words and actions. Living well together, speaking kindly and caring for others.	Respect	Mutual respect	International Day of Charity
2B	9 September 2024	James 2:1-10, 14-17 Mark 7: 24-37	Loving others Discrimination Justice	Aspiration	Democracy	International Day of Democracy Launch Operation Christmas Child Fairtrade Fortnight
3A	16 September 2024	James 3: 1-12 Mark 8:27-38	To consider how we speak to others. The power of the tongue – the words we speak.	Service	Individual liberty	International Day of Peace
4B	23 September 2024	James 3:13-4:3,7-8 Mark 9:30-37	Wisdom and humility	Truthfulness	Tolerance	European Day of Languages Macmillan Coffee Morning
5A	30 September 2024	James 5:13-20 Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29	We need each other, valuing the gifts each person brings. Teamwork	Responsibility	The rule of law	Black History Month World Teachers Day Harvest Festival Breast Cancer Awareness Month
6B	7 October 2024	Genesis 2:18-24 Psalm 8	Humans as the pinnacle of God's creation. The wonder of you!	Respect	Mutual respect	World Space Week World Mental Health Day
7A	14 October 2024	Amos 5:6-7, 10-15 Mark 10:17-31	The cost of following God. Justice for the poor.	Aspiration	Democracy	World Food Day

8B	21 October 2024	Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45	Servant leaders	Service	Individual liberty	United Nations Day
HALF TERM						
AUTUMN TERM 2						
1A	4 November 2024 All Saints' Day	Revelation 21:1-6a John 11:32-44	All Saints' Day (1 Nov) Hope and Eternal Life All Soul's Day (2 Nov) Although we may think of saints as holy people who are recognised by the church, the Bible also refers to anyone who is a follower of Jesus as a saint.	Perseverance	Individual liberty	
2B	11 November 2024 Remembrance Day	Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 1:14-20	Remembrance Sunday Jesus as priest and sacrifice. Repentance – putting right those things we are sorry about and starting afresh.	Service	Respect	Inter Faith Week Anti-bullying Week Children in Need
3A	18 November 2024	Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25 Mark 13:1-8	Confidence while there is uncertainty all around	Resilience	Democracy	COP29 UK Parliament Week
4B	25 November 2024 Christ the King	Revelation 1:4b-8 John 18:33-37	Jesus as king Who or what influences/rules you?	Respect	Rule of law	World Children's Day World Philosophy Day Buy Nothing Day
5A	2 December 2024 Advent starts (Church Year C begins)	Thessalonians 3:9-13 Luke 21:25-36	Start of Advent. Advent begins four Sundays before Christmas. It is a time Christians remember the first coming of Jesus, when he was born as a baby in Bethlehem and to look forward to his second	Compassion	Mutual respect	Advent International Day of Persons with Disabilities International Volunteer Day



			coming when they believe that everyone will recognise him and all injustice, sadness and suffering will cease. Christians today live in the time between his first and second coming, but he has left with gifts to celebrate; grace, peace, knowledge of God, fellowship with Him and each other and gifts from the Holy Spirit.			
6B	9 December 2024	Malachi 3:1-4 Luke 3:1-6	Being prepared for the coming of Jesus.	Aspiration	Rule of law	Human Rights Day
7A	16 December 2024	Zephaniah 3:14-20 Luke 3:7-18	All are invited to turn to God Actions speak of beliefs	Empathy	Mutual respect	International Human Solidarity Day
	25 Dec 2024 Christmas Day	Isaiah 52:7-10 Luke 2:1-14	Christmas – The Incarnation (God in human flesh), Emmanuel (God with us) Remember to think about how Christians celebrate Christmas in other parts of the world.			
SPRING TERM 1						
1B	6 January 2025 (Epiphany celebrated on 6 January)	Isaiah 60:1-6 Matthew 2:1-12	All people are invited to worship Jesus. The kingdom of God is for everyone.	Service	Democracy	
2A	13 January 2025	Isaiah 43:1-7 Luke 3:15-17,21-22	At the baptism of Jesus his identity and role were made clear. God's love for all Identity	Truthfulness	Individual liberty	

3B	20 January 2025	Psalm 36:5-10 John 2:1-11	To explore the way God transforms lives The goodness of God Thankfulness for God's provision	Resilience	Mutual respect	International Day of Education
4A	27 January 2025	Nehemiah 8:1-3,5-6,8-10 Psalm 19	God speaks through creation and Scripture Awe and wonder at the creation	Respect	Mutual respect	Holocaust Memorial Day
5B	3 February 2025 Candlemas	Malachi 3:1-2 Luke 2:22-40	Jesus presented in the Temple - 'Light of the World' (reference to Jesus links to Christian festival of Lighting candles...Candlemas Trusting God for the future/ a certain hope (as opposed to wishful thinking)	Truthfulness	Individual liberty	LGBT+ History Month Children's Mental Health Week
6A	10 February 2025	Isaiah 6:1-8 Luke 5:1-11	Hearing and responding to God's call Vocation	Service	Mutual respect	Random Acts of Kindness Day World Day of Social Justice
HALF TERM						
SPRING TERM 2						
1B	24 February 2025	Genesis 2:4b-9 15-25 Psalm 65	God is revealed in creation Care for our world/environment	Responsibility	Mutual respect	Empathy Week
2A	3 March 2025	Exodus 34:29-35 Luke 9:28-36	To explore the way God reveals his truth and glory Experiences/ encounters that bring change	Aspiration	Rule of law	Zero Discrimination Day World Wildlife Day International Women's Day
	5 March 2025 Ash Wednesday	Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21 Joel 2:1-2, 12-17	Ash Wednesday Repentance Turning to God	Service	Democracy	

3B	10 March 2025	Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 Luke 4:1-13	God's protection Facing temptation	Resilience	Mutual respect	Commonwealth Day Empathy Week Comic Relief
4A	17 March 2025	Genesis 15:1-12 17-18 Psalm 27	God makes and keeps his promises Integrity Keeping your promises	Responsibility	Individual liberty	British Science Week International Day of Happiness
5B	24 March 2025	Isaiah 55:1-9 Psalm 63:1-8	God's hope in adversity and hardship (Note: Christian hope is not wishful thinking or "fingers crossed" hoping for the best) Keeping going when life is hard Perseverance	Perseverance	Individual liberty	World Meteorological Day
6A	31 March 2025 Mothering Sunday	Exodus 2:1-10 Luke 2:33-35	Celebrating the women and mothers in God's salvation plan.	Empathy	Mutual respect	Golden Rule Day
7B	7 April 2025 (Good Friday)	Psalm 130 John 18 19	The suffering and purpose of Jesus' death	Service	Tolerance	Easter World Health Day
	(Easter Day)	1 Corinthians 15:19-26 Luke 24:1-12	The effect of the resurrection on the first disciples			
SUMMER TERM 1						
1A	28 April 2025	Acts 5:27-32 John 20:19-31	Understanding how the first disciples talked about the resurrection. Doubt and belief Speaking the truth when it is difficult	Truthfulness	Democracy	

2B	5 May 2025	Psalm 30 John 21:1-19	Forgiveness Fresh starts	Compassion	Mutual respect	World African Heritage Day
3A	12 May 2025	Psalm 23 Acts 9:36-43	God gives new life spiritually and physically. The example of Dorcas, caring for others. Loving and caring for others as a reflection of God's love and care.	Service	Individual liberty	Mental Health Awareness Week
4B	19 May 2025	Acts 11:1-18 Revelation 21:1-6	The effects of the resurrection are far-reaching and eternal All are welcome in God's kingdom. The best is yet to come. Living as God intended, at peace with God and others.	Aspiration	Tolerance	World Day for Cultural Diversity
HALF TERM						
SUMMER TERM 2						
1A	2 June 2025 (29 May 2025 – Ascension Day)	Psalm 67 Acts 16:9-15	Good news spreads. Sharing blessings with others.	Empathy	Mutual respect	Pride Month World Environment Day
2B	9 June 2025 Pentecost Whit Sunday	Acts 2:1-21 John 14:8-17, 25-27	The celebration of Pentecost, the sending of the Holy Spirit – the birthday of the church (look at how Pentecost is celebrated by Christians around the world)	Responsibility	Democracy	The Great Big Green Week
3A	16 June 2025 Trinity Sunday	Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15	God, by his very nature, is beyond understanding but it is still possible to see him at work. Consider the nature of the Trinity	Truthfulness	Individual liberty	National Refugee Week

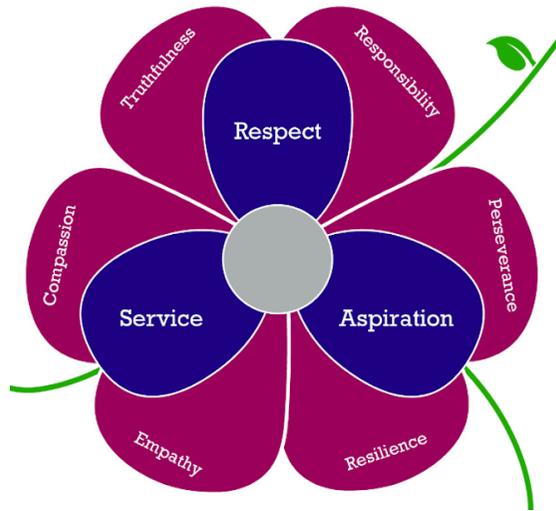
4B	23 June 2025	Psalm 22:19-29 Luke 8:26-39	Rescue and freedom from those things that oppress	Resilience	Tolerance	The Great Get Together
5A	30 June 2025 St Peter and St Paul	Acts 12:1-11 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18	Peter and Paul as followers of Jesus Answered prayer, trust Keeping going when it is difficult.	Perseverance	Mutual respect	St. Peter's Day Plastic Free July
6B	7 July 2025	Psalm 66:1-9 Luke 10:1-11, 16-20	The challenge of sharing the Good News of Jesus Relying on God Overcoming challenging situations	Service	Democracy	
7A	14 July 2025	Psalm 25:1-10 Luke 10:25-37	Loving your neighbour	Empathy	Tolerance	World Youth Skills Day

The Church Year (starts at Advent, in church different colours represent different seasons)

Purple: Penance and Preparation	Red: Sacrifice, the Holy Spirit	Green: Hope, Life and Growth	Gold: Joy and Celebration	White: Purity	No colour: Desolation
Purple is used for times of deep thinking and reflection. It is also sometimes used at adult funerals.	Red is used for saints' days who have died as martyrs and also represents the flame of the Holy Spirit.	Green is used to represent quiet growth during the time between festivals and seasons.	Gold used for special occasions.	White represents purity (as opposed to sin which is scarlet). It often represents a season of celebration rather than a day.	On these two days of the year the church is stripped bare of all decoration and flowers.

Used during Advent and Lent	Pentecost/Whitsun Martyr's saints' days	Used throughout Ordinary Time.	Used for special days of celebration, such as Easter Day and Christmas	Used in the seasons of Easter and Christmas and for saints who were not martyred.	Good Friday and Holy Saturday
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Academy Values & Virtues

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The British Values

- democracy
- the rule of law
- individual liberty
- mutual respect for and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs, and for those without faith.

Students will participate in a daily Act of Worship, below is an outline of each one:

Act of Worship A	Act of Worship B	Act of Worship C	Act of Worship D	Act of Worship E
Delivered through the student bulletin and planned by our Chaplain. Students will have the opportunity to lead the prayers and reflection.	Live at the Chapel; recorded live in our Chapel with staff and students participating. Students in form will watch and engage with the discussion questions posed.	Collective worship in the theatre. This will be planned and delivered on a rota basis by the following: Senior Leadership Team, Heads of Year, Sixth Form Teams and Form Groups.	A form group worship planned by the Assistant Principal leading on Christian Distinctiveness, with the support of students. This will be delivered by staff and students to their form groups.	Guided reflection on the past week's worship planned by the Chaplain and Assistant Principal; delivered by staff and students with an invitation to stop and reflect how we are living out our vision.