

Reception

Spring Term Virtues - Compassionate and Loving



Compassionate: We are compassionate when we feel sympathy and concern for other people who are in difficulty, whether they are near to us or far away.

Loving: We are loving when we show our sympathy and concern for other people by our actions and by our words.



We show love and compassion to our friends by helping them when they are hurt.

Share this Prayer for Compassion with your child:

Lord, open our eyes that we may see you in our brothers and sisters.

Lord, open our ears that we may hear the cries of the hungry.

Lord, open our hearts that we may love each other as you love us.

Lord, free us and make us one.

Amen.



We show love to our friends when we share the toys and provision in class.

We show compassion by looking after each other inside and outside of the classroom.



Faith-filled and Hopeful

Faith-filled: We are faith-filled when we are living as God inspires us to live it, putting the Gospel into action through our actions. We have to build on it every day through prayer.

Hopeful: We are hopeful when we are optimistic about the future, we trust ourselves and others, and we don't give up. Our faith teaches us that God is hope.

We listened to the story of Noah and the Ark. We talked about Noah having faith in God and living a good life following God's teaching. He was faith-filled and hopeful.



We are continuing to develop our faith and prayer life at home using Charlie the bear and the prayer bag. We also took part in a Lenten walk to raise money for CAFOD.



Share this evening prayer with your child:

Thank you, God, for a lovely day,
for sun and rain, for work and play.
For all my family and my friends,
and for your love, which never ends.
Amen.

