

## **RE Curriculum Letter**



# Year 1 RE Focus – Pentecost Serving

## This term our RE focus is Pentecost - Serving

The children's Big Question is "Do we need holidays and holydays?"

The children will be reflecting on this and asking "How do I use holiday times to relax and do something different? How does the Holy Spirit help and guide us in our lives?".

Together they will be exploring 'holidays as happy days' and they will talk about, wonder, ask and respond about their experience and feelings about holidays.



They will be reading relevant scriptures (John 14: 26 John 13: 33; 14:18, Acts 2: 1-4) and their prayer focus will be the Pentecost Feast. They will also be exploring the following themes which we encourage you to discuss with them at home:



#### Resurrection

Jesus died on the cross, was buried in a tomb, and after three days, God raised Him back to life.



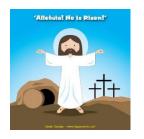
## **Holy Spirit**

The Holy Spirit is our helper, teacher, comforter, and our friend! We can see The Holy Spirit in the joy, the courage and the strength that it gives. The Holy Spirit inspires us with good ideas and its gifts helps us to carry them out.



#### **Pentecost**

Pentecost is celebrated 50 days after Easter and is when Christians remember the gift of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the third part of the Trinity - Father, Son and Holy Spirit.



#### **Alleluia**

Means "Praise God!" A song to praise God with joy, especially at Easter.

## **Key Vocabulary**

Holiday, holyday, Apostles, help, Pentecost, promise, Holy Spirit, guide, Resurrection, alleluia