

# SWALLOWTAIL FEDERATION OF CHURCH SCHOOLS

## TIMETABLE OF COLLECTIVE WORSHIP – Year B

**AUTUMN TERM 2015 1<sup>st</sup> half term – Hope, 2<sup>nd</sup> half term - Compassion (♦denotes worship will be led by clergy/visitor)**

WEEK COMMENCING	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Values for life page refs below date	<b>THEME FOR HALF TERM – HOPE (SEAL LINK – NEW BEGINNINGS)</b>				
<b>07.09.15</b> P201-212	♦ Introduce the concept that Jesus is called the Hope of the World – discuss story of Simeon	Talk about finding way in dark – how light can show us how to avoid harm. Read ‘The Owl who was afraid of the dark’	♦ Develop theme that Christians call Jesus Light of the World – shows them how to live. Look at Holman Hunt picture – discuss. Light some candles.	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>14.09.15</b> P216-218	♦ Look at the story of the mustard seed – if pos have some seeds you have grown for the children to look at.	Develop through story of George Muller	♦ Develop theme through story about growing – Jasper’s Beanstalk/The tiny seed	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>21.09.15</b> P219-221	♦ Discuss when we make wishes – record some of their wishes – when we make a wish we are often hoping that things will get better	Develop theme through ‘I wish tonight’ by Louis Rock	♦ Continue theme from yesterday and record a school charter of wishes/hopes to make our world a better place	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>28.09.15</b> P201-212	Discuss rainbows – what colours are there? Record these – how do the children feel when they see rainbows? What myths are there associated with rainbows?	Tell the story of ‘A Special Promise’ – lion Storyteller Bible p 14 Link to Desmond Tutu and South Africa’s Rainbow people	♦ Develop theme – print off pictures of children from different ethnic origins and make a Rainbow nation in hall.	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>05.10.15</b> Black History Month	♦ Relate back to South Africa’s Rainbow nation from last week. Discuss racism and introduce Black History month. Story of Rosa Parks	Develop theme of Black history month through famous people/literature of your choice	♦ Develop theme of Black history month through famous people/literature of your choice	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement

<b>12.10.15</b> P223-225	◆ Discuss how charities are bringing hopes to others – this can be linked to Black History Month or use ‘Toybox Charity’ story.	Make a list of charities that we have supported at school over last year – hope we have given, e.g. Samaritans Shoebox appeal, RND etc	◆ Draw together the theme of Hope over the half term – note children’s comments	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>19.10.15</b>	Harvest theme	Harvest theme	Harvest theme	<b>INSET DAYS</b>	
<b>HALF TERM</b>					
<b>THEME FOR HALF TERM – COMPASSION (SEAL LINK – GETTING ON/FALLING OUT)</b>					
<b>02.11.15</b> P169-171	◆ Use two pairs of shoes to introduce theme of compassion. Discuss how Christians believe difficulties in life can be shared with god.	Develop theme through the poem of ‘Footsteps in the sand’	◆ Read ‘Not now Bernard’ – how does it feel when someone doesn’t listen to you.	Bonfire night – please go through safety	Celebration/Achievement
<b>09.11.15</b> P172-173	◆ Illustrate compassion through sharing what you have – tell story of ‘Loaves and Fishes’ Lion storyteller Bible – p259	Develop theme through discussion of the things the children find most difficult to share – record children’s answers	◆ Develop theme through list of things children are going to try and share with others – make a whole school list for display	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>16.11.15</b>	<b>Anti-Bullying week assemblies and activities – proposed visit ‘Gripping Yarns – E safety for KS1/2</b>			Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>23.11.15</b> P174-176	◆ Introduce caring for elderly – tell story ‘Ruth and Naomi’ Lion Bible – p117	Read rest of story – p118-120.	◆ Discuss how grandparents are special people – what practical ways can children think of to make them feel special?	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>30.11.15</b> P174-176	◆ ADVENT assembly – introduce advent and light the 1 <sup>st</sup> advent candle – Hope	Focus on stories which feature older characters – e.g. Katie Morag and her 2 Grandmothers	◆ <b>GRANDPARENT’S ASSEMBLY AND MORNING</b>	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>07.12.15</b> P174-175	◆ Read ‘The kind stranger – The Storyteller Bible – p80 Light 2 <sup>nd</sup> Advent candle - Peace	Develop theme through the story of refugees from the folder	◆ Read ‘Refugee Boy’ by Benjamin Zephaniah – discuss what it must be like to lose everything. Link to current situation.	Singing practice & recap of theme	Celebration/Achievement
<b>14.12.15</b>	◆ Christmas story Light 3 <sup>rd</sup> Advent candle - Love	Christmas Story	◆ Christmas Story	Singing practice & recap of theme	Church services – Cafield/Sutton Light 4 <sup>th</sup> Advent candle - Joy

