

Collective Worship

'I like singing ; it makes me happy.' Olive

'The candle makes me feel calm and peaceful.' Imogen

'The candle makes me think of God.' Isabel.

' I like acting out stories from The Bible,' Billy

'I like listening to people's prayers.' Evie



Collective worship is an important part of the day when we come together either as a whole school family, a key stage or a class.

There is usually a visual focus e.g. a powerpoint, flowers, a candle, an object of interest.

We sing songs of praise and have the opportunity to be still and reflect.

At Stoborough we have a Collective Worship Group run by the Deputy headteacher / RE coordinator where 'The Lighting The Candle,' programme is followed. We meet each week and work on songs, drama and artwork for use in worship. We learn about Christian traditions, like The Lord's Prayer, and discuss the themes we would like to incorporate into our worship sessions.

We enjoy planning our Prayer Spaces in the atrium area; making resources and printing out instructions and prayers. We have planned prayer areas around themes such as The End of the School Year, Our School Values and The Church Across the World.

We help to make the hall 'Worship Ready,' and assist with the gathering and sending traditions in our whole school worship sessions.

Weekly worship

Monday – whole school worship with the senior leadership team.

Tuesday – Whole school worship with clergy from The Lady St Mary Church / Emmanuel Baptist Church.

Wednesday – KS 1 Worship / KS 2 Worship

Thursday – KS 1/2 Songs of Praise

Friday – Class worship / Celebration Time!