



**CROWLEES CE (C) J&I SCHOOL**  
**COLLECTIVE WORSHIP**  
**SPRING TERM 2021 – Developing Character**



DATE w/b	Key events:	TOPIC	Possible discussions questions for teachers
04/01/21	Epiphany 6.1.21	<b>Hope</b>	Do you ever find it difficult to be hopeful? What or who gives you hope for the future? Can you describe how hope makes you feel inside? Can you think of anyone who might need hope right now? What could you do to help their hope to grow?
11/01/21	Big garden birdwatch 16-30 Jan Makar Sankranti – Hindu harvest celebration 14.01.21 World Religion day 16. 01.21	<b>Courage</b>	Do you ever find it difficult to be courageous? What or who inspires you and gives you courage to carry on? How does it make you feel when you see someone else showing courage? How can you encourage others to be courageous, when they are having a hard time?
18/01/21	Chinese New Year (year of the dragon) 23.01.21	<b>Generosity</b>	What does it mean to be generous? Is being generous a choice? What stops you from being generous? How could we spread generosity through our relationships and actions? Is it important that people see our generosity
25/01/21	Burns night 25.01.21 Tu B Shevat – Jewish new year of the trees 27.1.21 Candlemas 2.2.21	<b>Vulnerability</b>	Who do you talk to about your feelings? Does that feel hard or easy? What do you love about home? What makes home life tough sometimes?
1/02/21	Nationals storytelling week World Cancer day 4.02.21 Time to talk day 4.2.21 Child mental health week	<b>Flourishing</b>	What helps you to flourish? Is it the same for you as it is for your family and friends? How can you help others to flourish?
8/02/21	Internet Safety Day 9.02.21 Valentines day 14.02.21 17.04.21 – random acts of kindness day	<b>Love</b>	Is love always an action or a feeling? Can you love and hate someone at the same time? How do you know someone loves you? What do you do to show someone you love them? How does their response make you feel?

### Winter: Cycle of Prayer

#### Peace on Earth

especially on the Day of Prayer for Peace (2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time) and (from 2016) Racial Justice Day (3 Sundays before the 1st Sunday of Lent)

#### Christian Unity

especially during the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity (18–25 January)

#### Victims of Human Trafficking

especially on St Josephine Bakhita (8 February)

#### The Sick and those who care for them

especially on World Day for the Sick (11 February)

#### The Unemployed

especially on the Day of Prayer for the Unemployed (1 Sunday before the 1st Sunday of Lent)

\*\*\*HALF TERM\*\*\*

<b>DATE w/b</b>	<b>Key events</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>Possible Discussions questions for teachers</b>
22/02/21	Shrove Tues 16.02.21 Purim (Jewish festival) 26.02.21	<b>Lent (Resilience)</b>	What helps you to be resilience in tough situation? How do you feel in side when you show resilience?
01/03/21	Fairtrade Fortnight Careers week St David's Day world wildlife day 3.3.21 world book day 4.3.21 world maths day 7.03.21 world day of prayer 5.03.21 International Women's day 8.03.21	<b>The life of Jesus (Kindness and compassion)</b>	How does it feel to be able to give an act of kindness to someone you know? How about someone you don't? When is it difficult to be kind to people? What does it feel like when someone has shown you an act of kindness? How can we grow kindness in our community?
08/03/21	National science and engineering week Commonwealth Day 12.03.21 Mothering Sunday/ world water day 14.3.21	<b>Humility (The journey to the cross)</b>	Look at the definition of C. S. Lewis on humility "Humility is not thinking less of yourself. It is thinking of yourself less". What does humility mean to you? How can you practice humility in your life this week?
15/03/21	Young carers day 16.03.21 St Patrick's Day 17.03.21 Global recycling day 18.03.21 International day of Happiness 20.03.21 Comic Relief - 19.03.21 World down syndrome /World poetry day 21.3.21	<b>Easter celebrations around the world (enjoying diversity)</b>	Children to make crosses for countries they have found out about. (Information to follow) Compare the countries you have looked at with what you know about Easter celebrations in the UK. What is the same about how your country celebrates Easter? What is different?
22/03/21	Palm Sunday/Holi festival (Hindu festival of colour ) 28.03.21	<b>Jesus' resurrection (Joy and Hope)</b>	Why is Good Friday called good? Why do Christians believe the resurrection is proof that death is not the end of life?

### **Lent Cycle fo Prayer**

#### **Candidates for the Sacraments**

especially on the Sundays of Lent

#### **The Needy and Hungry of the World**

especially on Lent Fast Day (Friday after 1st Sunday of Lent)

#### **Women's World Day of Prayer**

(1st Friday in March)

#### **Survivors of Sexual Abuse**

especially on Friday of 5th Week of Lent

#### **Penitents and Wanderers**