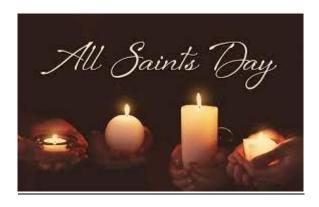
Our Christian value for this half term is Thankfulness



During worship this week the children found out about All Saints Day. On All Saints Day, we celebrate the holy ones of God.

Who encourages and inspires you?

On All Saints Day, we give thanks for the light of the gospel that shines out from our lives.



Michael Stancliffe (when he was Dean of Winchester) preached about the saints we remember- the people who encouraged and inspired us. He described them as God's fireworks.

Do you know anybody who fizzes or fizzed with faith like a firework?





How are/ were their lives explosions of God's love?

Inspirational and encouraging people are not all the same. Like fireworks, they are often different, diverse and unique.

During worship, the children enjoyed reflection time. They took a moment to be thankful for the encouraging and inspirational people who have had an impact on their life. They considered how the inspirational people let their lights shine.

How do you let your light shine?

We praised God and sang, 'Let your light shine.'
Link to the hymn: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oXkxRNEy8XA



Hillsong Kids - Let Your Light Shine

Hillsong Kids - Let Your Light Shine with Lyrics

www.youtube.com

<u>Prayer</u> Dear God,

Thank you for the fun and laughter of Bonfire Night.

We pray that we stay safe on Bonfire night.

Help us to sparkle like the fireworks and sparklers and let our lights shine. Help us to sparkle with your love so that the world may know about you, your love and be saved by it.

Guide us to light the sparkle in others and encourage them to follow in your footsteps.

Amen

