



Ethos to GO!

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This Week's Idea



Floating Prayers



This Week's Bible Verse

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Philippians 4:6



Let's Ponder!



- * Who would you like to pray for?
- * What or who can you give thanks for?
- * What situations would you like to take to God?
- * What about today have you got to give thanks for?
- * Lockdown is difficult for everyone, what would you ask God's help with?
- * What things would you celebrate through prayer?
- * Remember the hospitals, nurses, ambulance staff and Doctors at this time.
- * Remember all the staff in our schools at this time?
- * Thank God for all the gifts and talents he has given you
- * Remember your friends and family that you cannot see at this time.

This Week's Prayer

A Prayer during Lockdown



We thank you Lord for the hospitals and all the people who care for us at home and at school. We give thanks for all our staff at school, for providing online work and for our adults at home helping us to carry out our work. Give us courage and strength to look after ourselves and others during lockdown..



This Week's Activity

Activity – Firstly think of someone or something you would like to pray for or about. Next cut a shape from the paper e.g. flower or star shape that you can write people's names on, heart shape if your prayer is looking at love or forgiveness or a circle for a prayer of thanks. You may think of a shape of your own. Write your prayer or names on your shape then fold the petals, corners or the sides upwards. Place the bottom of your shape on the water and wait! Watch and reflect on your prayer as the petals or folded parts of your shape slowly open out - this may take a few moments.

This is symbolic of your prayers opening to God.



Ethos At Home

Some activities you can do at home this week!

You could try **one** of these activities:-

- * Make your own floating prayers.
- * Make a short video of your floating prayers.
- * Watch the YouTube Clip

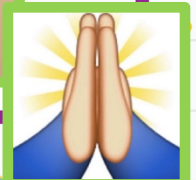
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LmOs7um1hCA>

When David Prays to God for help and praises God for answering his Prayers and for Loving and Caring for him always! This Prayer Space activity encourages you to pray about something you need help with and something you want to thank god for? Sit and be still and watch as the hearts of prayer, care and love blossom in the water as you pray to God!

Quote of the Week

HAPPINESS
CAN BE FOUND
EVEN IN THE
DARKEST OF TIMES

IF ONE ONLY
REMEMBERS
TO TURN ON
THE LIGHT



Have Fun!



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