

Child- led worship group 1-Thurs 1st
October

The Fiery Furnace

Friendship link: Courage together.

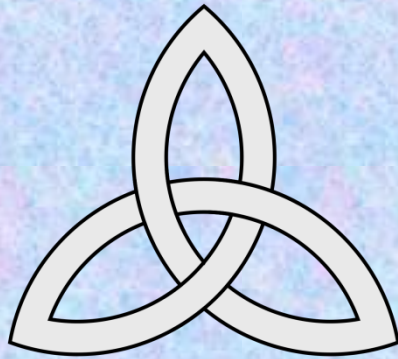
- Shadrach, Meshach and
Abednego stand by one another.

Value: Loyalty and courage.

Welcome to worship



The Lord is here



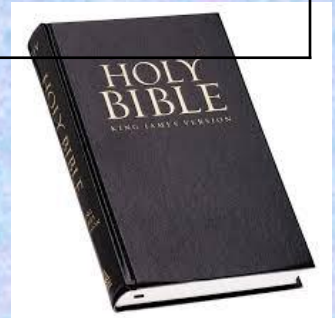
*His Spirit is with
us*

The story

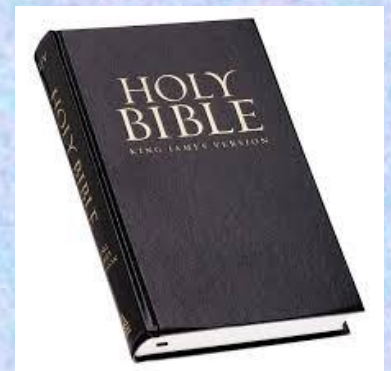
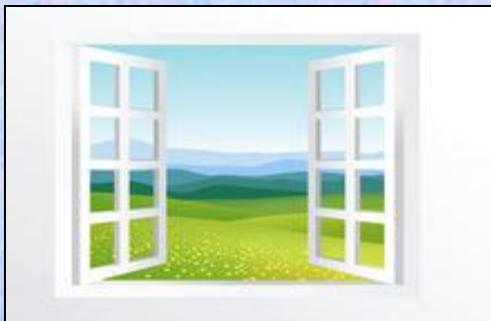


A window- looking at the world in new ways. Learning about situations.

- Why were Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego in trouble?
- What difficult choice did they face?
- How did their friendship help them? What qualities did they show?



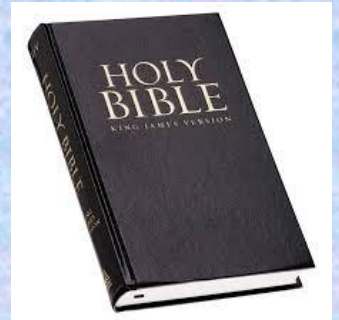
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Discussion

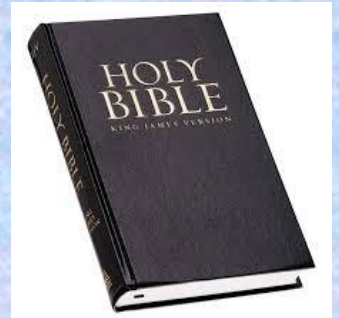
- Scenario 1:
- Someone in your class is left out at playtime and is standing on their own.
- What could you do?

- Scenario 2:
- A group of children starts saying unkind things about another child behind their back.
- What should a good friend do?



Discussion

- Scenario 3:
 - Your friend wants you to join in with something you know is wrong. Do you:
 - A. Join in
 - B. Walk away
 - C. Encourage them to make a better choice
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- Scenario 4:
 - A new child joins the school and doesn't know anyone.
 - How could you show friendship?



A mirror- looking inside me- how do I feel about it? What does it mean for me?

- Have you ever needed courage to do the right thing?*
- Have your friends ever helped you make a good choice?*
- Are you the kind of friend who stands by others when things are difficult?*



A door- travelling on with ideas of how I can make a difference.

- This week I will:
- Include someone who is left out.
- Encourage a friend.
- Stand up for what is right.
- Choose kindness even when others do not.



Let us pray

Dear God,
Thank you for the gift of friendship.
Thank you for the people who support us, encourage us and help us through difficult times.

Just as Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego stood together with courage, help us to be loyal friends who stand up for what is right.

Help us to include others, show kindness and support those who may feel alone.

Give us the courage to make good choices, even when they are difficult, and help us to be a positive influence on those around us.

May our friendships reflect your love every day.

Amen.



Say this as class
altogether

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.

The Grace

May the grace of the Lord
Jesus Christ, and the love
of God, and the fellowship
of the Holy Spirit be with
us all.

Amen

Say this as class altogether



