



Moreton Church of England Primary School

Collective Worship – Autumn 1: 2026

Christian Value: Creation and Thankfulness

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Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1.9.26			Welcome Back: New beginnings (NB)	Making a new start: living by our school values/expectation / behaviour (EF)	Celebrating Success (NB)
7.9.26	Picture news or creation & looking after our world (NB)	The Great Flood: A New Start: Genesis 6-8 (Rev/d Albert)	It’s Election Time! School Parliament & responsibilities (EF)	Why is it important to say thank you? Christian Value of Thankfulness. (KC)	House meetings – Teachers
14.9.26	School Parliament Election Results (EF)	Singing assembly (BB)	Roald Dahl Day - - the power of reading (SC – EF to cover SC break duty)	Collective Worship Leaders: Food Glorious Food (supported by NB)	Celebrating Success (DP)
21.9.26	Picture news or Saying thank you to those who help in school and in God’s world. (NB)	Remembering to say thank you. ‘Give thanks in all circumstances’ 1 Thessalonians 5: 18 (Rev/d Albert)	Thanks to those who help us: public services – doctors, armed forces etc (AR) <i>International day of peace (21st)</i>	Essex & Herts Assembly led by EHAAT (LM to introduce)	Celebrating Success (SC) Talk about harvest moon – Autumn equinox
28.9.26	Harvest appeal: Harvest for all, caring for our world and creation. (EF)	St Francis of Assisi ‘Living a simple life of gratitude’ St Francis, Matthew 10:7 - 10 (Rev/d Albert)	Charities: How do charities help those in need? (AW, EF - break duty for AW)	Singing assembly (SC)	Celebrating Success (AL)
5.10.26	Picture news (NB)	Thankfulness - ‘The Healing of the 10 Lepers’ Luke 17:11 - 19 (Rev/d Albert)	Singing assembly (AR)	Collective worship leaders: Black History Month (DP)	Celebrating success (EF)
12.10.26	Being thankful in difficult times – God’s all-inclusive love for all (EF)	Harvest Festival: Church (Rev/d Albert) Thanks for our food	Giving time – supporting those in need - disabled/elderly (AL)	Singing assembly (KC)	Celebrating Success (AL)
19.10.26	Reflecting on our Christian Value for this half term: thanking God for his creation. (NB)	Jesus gives thanks and raises Lazarus: John 11:38-44 (Rev/d Albert)	Singing assembly (BB)	Picture news or Staying Safe: All Hallows Eve and current traditions (Collective Worship Leaders with LM)	Celebrating Success (NB)

Collective worship leaders to be leading these collective worship sessions with support of relevant teacher

Singing



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7.9.26	Starting afresh/making a new start.	Noah’s Ark: Genesis 6-8 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qzYjy6lhRag	Why did God want to make a new start on the earth? What does this tell us about how God would like us to be and how God would like us to act towards each other and towards His creation? Why did God choose Noah as the person he was going to save? Why did Noah give thanks to God? What does the story of the Great Flood tell us about the values/foundations we should build our lives on?
14.9.26	What does it mean to be thankful and why is it so important to show gratitude?	The Healing of the 10 Lepers: Luke 17: 11-19 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1_QOhNJ1Zuc	Why was Jesus pleased by the leper who came back? Why did the leper choose to return to Jesus? How can we show that we are thankful? What can we say/do? Why is it important to say thank you? What would we like to say thank you to God for (drawing out people/experiences/emotions as well as objects!)?
21.9.26	Remembering to say thank you to those who help us.	Time to Get Up. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8cmppSIQUX4 Jesus heals a crippled Man- Matthew 9	How do we encourage and appreciate everybody in our school community? What do we take for granted? How could we actively be conscious of being thankful? How can we show we are thankful to our school councillor for representing our views? Or thankful to those who take responsibilities for our benefits (MPs, Royalty, Armed Forces)
28.9.26	Being thankful in difficult times – God’s all-inclusive love for all	Count your blessings – Surah Ibrahim 14:7 – Islamic Story about thankfulness https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Zt0cyYwCps	Why was the poor man grateful even though he seemed to have so much less than the rich man? What does the story show us about being thankful? When might we find it difficult to say thank you to God? Can you think of a time when you felt you should say thank you, but you found it very difficult? What does it mean to be blessed? How has God blessed you?
5.10.26	Harvest: Being thankful for our food.	Loaves & Fishes - Jesus Feeds the 5000 Luke 9: 10-17 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uupg0V-17NU	What is your favourite food? What would life be like without it – if you only had rice and a few vegetables to eat every single day? Why is saying Grace important before we eat (we say thank you that we are blessed and remember the millions who do not have food). Remind about those who work hard to prepare our food (parents, carers, caterers in kitchen. Consider this statement: How can God allow people to go hungry?
12.10.26	Helping those in need: giving time as well as gifts.	A rich young man – Jesus and the tax collector Zacchaeus Matthew 19 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5Bjtbfz2ug	What was the gift Jesus gave to Zacchaeus? Who is the most generous person you know? What are they generous with? (time, kindness, affection, possessions, thoughtfulness) What is the opposite of generosity? What organisations do you know who provide a ‘listening service’? (ChildLine.) If you needed to talk to someone, who would you go to?
19.10.26	Reflecting on our Christian Value for this half term: thanking God for his creation.	Jesus gives thanks: Matthew 11 (Class) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JdgTNYCFdf0	Jesus lived a life of thanksgiving which came from a deep love for a trust in his father. How can we show that we too are thankful to God for his creation, our world? How can we show love and respect for each other? When have we been thankful over this half term? How have we shown our love for others and our love of God’s creation?



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