

Ark and Little lights 10th July 2020

Hello parents,

In today's story we talk about someone who loved Jesus so much that she was prepared to spend a year's salary on expensive perfume to pour over him. Gosh, I don't even like letting someone have a squirt of my most expensive! I have had a sort out recently for the charity shops (when they open) but I do remember a pastor's wife saying to me that I should not think I am being good when it is stuff I don't really want anyway. The test is giving away stuff we still love. These times challenge us all to be more giving and, in the future, when we see others down on their luck, how much will we all be prepared to help either financially, by prayer or time. Jesus asks us to be his hands and feet on earth, but we can only fulfil that request if we stay close to him. I know that I too often go my own sweet way.

I am missing your babies, cooing at any little ones I see as I am desperate to interact (I think I always have). I am not sure when we will get to meet up next but I am hoping that we will clean all the toys during the summer holidays in the hope that our meeting together will not be too long away.

Video

<https://youtu.be/CbqRZ4IDn5M>



Jar of perfume craft

Paper plates
Paint dabbers
Crayons / stickers



Good morning Jesus

[Jesus](#), you are good and wise
I will praise you when I rise.
Jesus, hear this prayer I send
Bless my family and my friends.
Jesus, help my eyes to see
All the good you send to me.
Jesus, help my ears to hear
Calls for help from far and near.
Jesus, help my feet to go
In the way that You will show.
Jesus, help my hands to do
All things loving, kind, and true.
Jesus, guard me through this day
In all I do and all I say.

With love Catherine, Ark and little lights teams