

Little lights and The Ark – 3rd April 2020

Hello 'Ark,' Parents, Grandparents, and Nannies!

Thank you for your messages and pictures, please keep them coming, it is lovely to see your little children's faces.

I do hope you remain well and safe at home and I do hope you will catch a few rays on your daily walk or in your gardens this weekend.

As we come to Palm Sunday we think of Jesus riding into Jerusalem on a donkey and the crowds gathered to witness his triumphant arrival, just a week before he was crucified.

This time last year I was waiting for the excitement of seeing number 2 daughter in the London marathon, to witness her triumphant arrival at the finishing line. Today all has changed and we are disappointed that many events that we were looking forward to have been cancelled and that for some they feel their life has been cancelled.

However the world that God created is continuing and I don't know about you but the air appears cleaner, the birds appear louder and the flowers and cherry blossom appear brighter.

Even though there is sadness and loss, I hope you might just catch a glimpse in the joy of creation this coming week.

Palm Sunday

Please visit ['The Rock' Palm Sunday activity](#) page for activities for 4 – 10 yr olds.

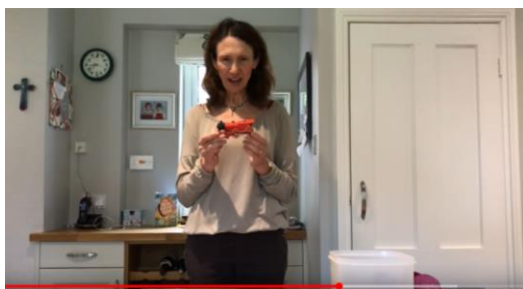
(For a list of all our children's activity pages, see <https://www.godalmingbaptistchurch.org.uk/children>)



Video

For little ones I have made a short video with a message about how 'God loves it when we obey him' (and when we obey those who care for us)

Please visit the link <https://youtu.be/lqM0BNpUYDg> for this week's video



Craft

Our craft this week is a happy/ sad face.



round plate or card

pens / wool

red card for mouth and split pin

(if you don't have a split pin you may just have to use blue tac behind the mouth and physically turn it)

Prayer

This prayer asks for God's care and guidance. It also asks God to bless all the people who love you.

"Lord in heaven, hear my prayer,

Keep me in your loving care.

Be my guide in all I do.

Bless all those who love me, too."

With love from Catherine and all at Ark