

Lighting of the Candles
Peace of the Lord be with you



And also with you

Welcome Words

We have gathered in the name of
God the Father,
the Son and the Holy Spirit to
worship together and think about
our value **LOVE**



LOVE



Let us love not just with our words
but also with our actions and in
truth.

John 3:18

Those who believe and do good
deeds — the Gracious God will
create love in their hearts.

(Qu'ran 19:97)



LOVE is.....



Living
Our
Values
Every day





LOVE isn't..

If I could speak all the languages of earth and of angels, but didn't love others, I would only be a noisy gong or a clashing cymbal.

1 Corinthians 13:1





LOVE is.....

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self seeking, it is not easily angered. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.

1 Corinthians 13 v4-8



Agape : Christian Love

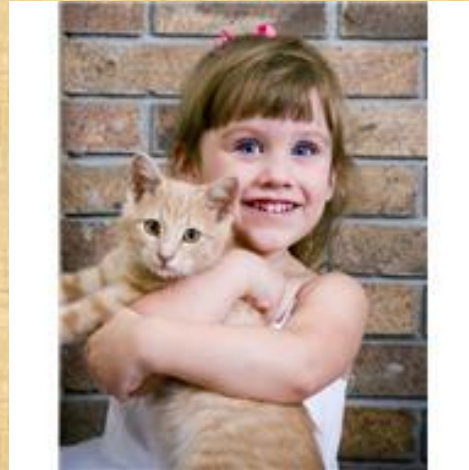


'Do unto others as you would have them do to you'





Love



**'I like hugs, I like kisses,
but what I love is help with
the dishes!'**

Time to Reflect



Who might have said these words?

What do they mean?

Do you think this might be saying similar things to the Bible verses we have just heard?

Time to Reflect



Taking action through love and because you care is being an activist- an agent for change.

Think about all those people who have been activists over the last few months.

Who is it that has inspired you?



LOVE can be very powerful. It can help to change people's lives. It can make the world a better place.



"It is not how much we do, but how much love we put into the doing. It is not how much we give, but how much love we put into the giving."

Mother Teresa



Time to Pray



Dear God,

Thank you that we can know real love.

Thank you for those who are patient and kind to us, those who are unselfish in caring for us, those who forgive us when we hurt them and always want the best for us.

Thank you that you love us very much.

Please help us to show real love to others through our actions and our prayers.

Amen



Response and Challenge



Could you be an activist and show your love for others through your actions?
Decide with your class on an action your class could take to help others.
Real love sometimes takes courage and

**May the grace of our Lord
Jesus Christ** *(hold out hands to receive)*

And the love of God *(cross arms on chest)*

**And the fellowship of the Holy
Spirit** *(hold hands with neighbours)*

Be with us all, evermore. Amen
(raise hands in the air together)

Blowing out the Candles

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