Grow In Love

Down and Connor Catholic Schools' Support Service

Grow in Love November Planner

Primary 7 Theme 3: Our Christian Vocation

The Month of November

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| **Prayer Space** | Purple cloth; Bible; Candle; Cross/Crucifix; Holy Water  Add to this space each week throughout the month | | | |
|  | **Week 1**  **Death and Eternal Life** | **Week 2**  **God Calls Each One of Us** | **Week 3**  **We Respond to God’s Call** | **Week 4** |
| **Learning Objectives** | * What Catholics believe about death, heaven and eternal life * Feasts of All Saints and   All Souls   * Lives of some saints * Jews and Muslims show respect for their dead * Share stories how families remember loved ones who have died | * The concept of Christian vocation * There is a choice in how we respond to/ignore God’s call * Sacrament of Baptism * Talk about God’s call * Be open to listening for the voice of God and to be ready to respond | * Recognise the choice in responding to/ignoring God’s call * God’s individual call to each of us * We are part of the Church community, the People of God * Develop own prayer life |  |
| **Learning and Teaching Activities** | Story: Cliona and the sea stone  Art: My image of heaven  Art: My symbol  Music: Jesus, Remember Me  Scripture: 1Thess 4:13-14  Chat about those who have died  Feast of All Saints 1st Nov  Activity: Know the saints  Poem: All Saints, All Souls  Feast of All Souls 2nd Nov  Chat about Jewish and Islamic traditions around death  Art: Remembrance Heart  *PB: p114-116*  *TM: pp389-401* | Story: The School Reunion  Art: Imagining my future!  Chat about the meaning of Christian Vocation  Scripture: 1 Sam 3:2-10  Online: God called people in NT times  Activity: I was called!  Chat about being called  Activity: Design a page for Jesus!  Drama: Role play – Hearing Jesus’ call  Poem: The Call  *PB pp30-33*  *TM pp 116-124* | Activity: Magnet experiment  Activity: Interests/activities I am interested in  Online: Responding to God’s call  Activity: A hand up, not a hand out  Song: The Summons  Online: Living the Christian Vocation  Reflection: God invites each of us to respond  Activity: Responding to God’s call  Story: Nano Nagle  Drama: Dramatise the story  Chat about the sculpture  Drama: Role play  Activity: Game of Life  Online: The legacy of Nano Nagle  Art: My Christian Vocation  *PB: pp34-36*  *TM pp125-132* |  |
| **Praying Together** | Quiet Reflection using the symbols  Quiet Reflection time  Prayer Service | Prayer of thanks for gifts and talents  Quiet Reflection  Prayer Service | Quiet Prayer  Quiet Reflection time  Prayer Service |  |
| **At Home** | *PB p116* | *PB p33* | *PB p36* |  |
| **Cross**  **Curricular**  **Links** | **PDMU:**  Theme 2: Feelings and Emotions <https://ccea.org.uk/downloads/docs/ccea-asset/Resource/PDMU%20Progression%20Grid%20for%20Key%20Stage%202.pdf>  Theme 4a: Safety <https://ccea.org.uk/downloads/docs/ccea-asset/Resource/PDMU%20Progression%20Grid%20for%20Key%20Stage%202.pdf>  Theme 6: Rules, Rights, Responsibilities <https://ccea.org.uk/downloads/docs/ccea-asset/Resource/PDMU%20Progression%20Grid%20for%20Key%20Stage%202.pdf>  **LLT**: Unit 3: Fit for the Future <http://www.nicurriculum.org.uk/docs/key_stages_1_and_2/areas_of_learning/pdmu/livinglearningtogether/year7/yr7_unit3.pdf>  Unit 5: Says Who? http://www.nicurriculum.org.uk/docs/key\_stages\_1\_and\_2/areas\_of\_learning/pdmu/livinglearningtogether/year7/yr7\_unit5.pdf  **WAU:** The life and impact of a person from the past  **RSE:** The Wonder of My Being Year 7: Called by God; Talents; Friendship; Making informed decisions | | | |
| **Other Suggestions for November** | The month of the Holy Souls  Feast Days: All Saints (1st); All Souls (2nd); All Saints of Ireland (6th); Christ the King; St Andrew (30th)  Anti-Bullying Week: <https://www.ncb.org.uk/resources/resources-schools> | | | |
| **Differentiation** |  |  |  |  |
| **What went well?** |  |  |  |  |
| **What would I change?** |  |  |  |  |
| **Suggested Additional Resources** | <http://www.kandle.ie/>  <http://www.derrydiocese.org/>  [www.education](http://www.education)dublindiocese.ie  [www.prayingincolour.com](http://www.prayingincolour.com)  [www.drawing-god.com](http://www.drawing-god.com) | | | |