The Way, The Truth And The Life

Year 4—Autumn 2

Our R.E. Topic this half term is ' Trust in God'. Through this topic your child will the opportunity to:

- Know Jesus' teaching on the importance of trusting in Him.
- Know that it is not always easy to trust in God.
- Know the promise God made to Mary through the Angel Gabriel.
- Know how Joseph put his trust in God when the angel
- appeared to him.
- Be familiar with Mary's song of praise and trust in God.
- Know that God fulfilled His promise to Mary when Jesus, the Son of God was born.
- Deepen our awareness of God's love for us and know that He asks us to trust Him.
- Reflect on times that we have found it difficult to trust.
- Reflect on the importance of keeping promises.
- Make our own Advent promises.
- Reflect on how Mary and Joseph placed all their trust in God.
- Experience a celebration of the Nativity.

Trust In God

To know that Jesus teaches us to have faith and trust in Him

The children will be thinking about the qualities that a person must have for them to be trusted. This will be linked to the Bible through the reading of stories where trust has been put in Jesus and He has been able to help, such as 'The Calming of the Storm.'



To understand that it is not always easy to trust in God

This objective will begin to link into the story of Jesus' conception and birth. The class will discover how difficult it was for Mary, Joseph and many others to have faith and trust the promises that God made to them.

To know how Joseph put his trust in God when the angel appeared to him.

The children will learn about Mary and Joseph's situation at the time of Jesus' birth and why it was so difficult for Joseph to trust God.

To know that God fulfilled his promise to Mary when Jesus was born

The class will learn from this objective the link between fulfilling promises and trusting a person. They will discover the faith that Mary had in God and how God respected her faith by keeping His promise.