Prophecy and Promise

Year 1: Autumn 2

Our R.E. Topic this half term is 'Prophecy and Promise'.
Through this topic your child will have the opportunity to:

- Know that God called Mary to be the mother of His son, Jesus.
- Hear about Mary's visit to her cousin, Elizabeth and reflect on their good news.
- Ask Mary to pray with us and to comfort us in times of need, especially using the prayer 'Hail Mary'.
- Hear and join in with the words of the 'Hail Mary'.
- Recognise that, for Christmas, the Christmas story reveals God's love by sending Jesus His son
- Know that the Angel's bring god's message and are a sign that Jesus is the Son of God.

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The children will discuss types of messages they send. They will hear about how God sent a very important message.
We will also look closely at pictures of 'The Annunciation'.

To hear about Mary's visit to her cousin, Elizabeth and reflect on their good news.

The children will share exciting news.
We will be acting and producing storyboards of the meeting between Elizabeth and Mary.

Ask Mary to pray with us and comfort us in times of need; especially using the 'Hail Mary'.

The children will think about how mothers love and care for their children. We will be learning about the importance of the 'Hail Mary' prayer and how to say it.

Recognise that, for Christmas, the Christmas story reveals God's love by sending Jesus His son.

We will think about preparing for a baby. The children will hear how Mary and Joseph travelled to Bethlehem and how Jesus was born there. We will think about the feelings of Mary in the story.

To know that the angel's bring God's message and are a sign that Jesus is the son of God.

The children will think about a time when they heard 'Good News'. The children will 'hot seat' the shepherds and sequence the story from the annunciation to the visits from the shepherds.