

LAUNCH



Sunday 29th March

Well, this is different! I'm sorry we're not meeting this Sunday but here are some activities for you to explore this week's theme. I hope you enjoy them!



To start here's another Bible quiz. This one's on Jesus' early work so we have covered a lot of it so you should be good at it! check with the answers (be honest!) and let me know how you got on!

https://www.christianbiblereference.org/cgi-bin/web_quiz1.pl?early.txt&0

Now here's a list of famous small men. Do you know what they are famous for? Perhaps you could research them to find out.

Martin Luther King

Napoleon Bonaparte

Winston Churchill

James Madison

Joan of Arc

Paul Simon

Yuri Gagarin

Ariana Grande

Frodo Baggins

Harry Houdini

Ceelo Green



We are continuing to look at Encounters with Jesus – what happened when people met Jesus and how they reacted to him. This week we are looking at the story of Zacchaeus – a man whose life was changed by Jesus and he invited him home.

Read through the story of Zacchaeus' encounter with Jesus from Luke 19:1-10

Then write up a newspaper report of the incident. Write a good headline – suggestions are:

- How Undignified! Tax Collector runs and climbs a tree!
- Preacher calls Zacchaeus by name!
- Tax Collector Gives Away Money!
- Jesus invites Himself to tea with a sinner!

But you can probably get a better one

Include a short account of the incident, then an interview with Zacchaeus afterwards – how was he feeling now? What did he really think about Jesus? How will he live his life now? You could include a "photo" (picture)

Jane and I would be interested in your reports!



Reflection

Listen to a song like you're a good good father <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ak0OoFBw3c>
As you listen think: Zacchaeus had probably heard many stories but he had to hear from Jesus himself how he was loved and accepted. These stories can inspire us – what stories of Jesus make you no you're loved and accepted.

Memory verse: ***"Salvation has come to this house today."***

Luke 19:10

Pray for all the people in your house, especially at this time when we can't go out! Think of another house you know and pray for the people in that house.

Let us know how you get on with this.

Alec and Jane