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Easter week—Holy week—Maundy Thursday

Things you will need in your Box—these are optional

bottle of water and a bowl

A Towel

Bread

Grapes

Ribena

Coins (chocolate coins are even better)

A picture of your friends

Emoji ball or stickers

Pen, paper, glue scissors, paint (optional) and pencils,

World ball or picture of the world

Soft toys and a tea set



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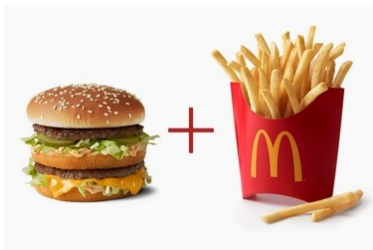


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Easter week -Thursday

Think about how you are feeling today, are you Happy, Sad, a bit of both, scared or excited about something?

Food, family and friends can often cheer us up. I wonder, If you have an opportunity to have a meal with someone, who would it be? And what would you have? What would you talk about? Where would it be?



Think about who you are missing and who you would like to see more than anyone, who would you like to remember.

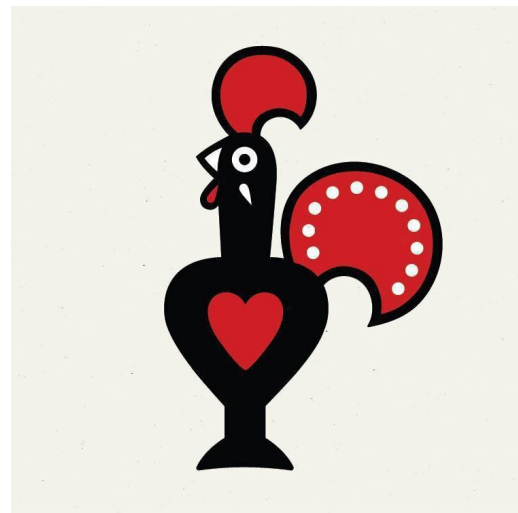
Share with someone today, phone or message the person this week if you can, then spend time to chat and catch up.

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Logo Game, Do you know the shop or brand?



Make up your own logo game and test each other

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Answers to Logo game

1. Mcdonalds
2. Nandos
3. Dominoes
4. Costa coffee
5. Starbucks
6. Pizza Hut

As you read the story, Think about:

1. Who did Jesus eat with
2. What did they eat
3. How did they behave
4. What did Jesus do and why?
5. what did Judas do?
6. How do you think Jesus felt?

Story ideas

Children's bible in 365 stories story 323 –325 or Mark 14 or John 13

Look at the items, they tell a story, listen and as you read the story put the items on a table. As an alternative click the link for the video clip <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SigoALSS1R8>



A bowl, towel and water



A picture of friends



Bread, grapes and ribena



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Song 1—my servant King - please click links https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A0FSZ_iSYO8

Song 2— Shine <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W2xc-w8Zcbo>

Song 3— https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c12Ta6_WJrw&list=RDC12Ta6_WJrw&start_radio=1&t=0

Song 4—be still <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZugvUQ4m90U>

Song 5— Amazing grace <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xyLWjawgzlw>

Craft Ideas—Play music as you do these, if it is nice use the garden if you have one, especially if you use paint for foot prints.

1. Hand and footprints— draw round your hands and feet or print using paint. As you do these think about how Jesus used his hands and feet for good. He led the way by example, he fed the poor, healed the blind he had compassion on everyone and helped his neighbour—let us follow Jesus example by helping others.

2. Wash your own or each others feet or hands, (keep safe as you do this activity with family members in the same household who are well, if members are shielded find an alternative way to do this, please see the next page). As you wash, chat about the things in your life that we would like to wash clean, think particular about the coronavirus and how the coronavirus can be stopped by cleanliness and washing hands.

Remember the act of washing is about serving others—washing dishes and and the car and has a purpose.

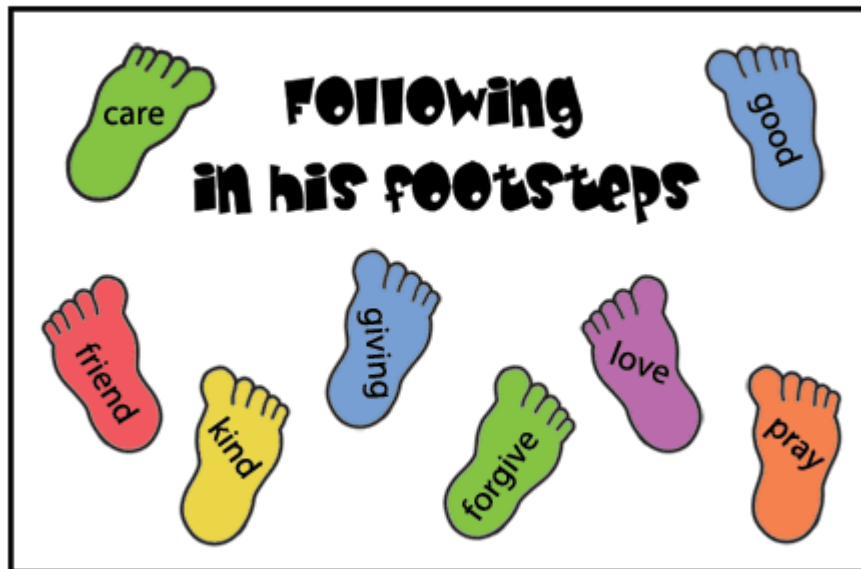
Think about how you can you help someone practically this week?



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Tell the Easter Story through Handprints.

Decorate and write your prayer on the prints, use the picture below as a guide and use your fingers to pray.



The 5 Finger Prayer

Thumb: Those closest to you, your family.

Pointer: Those that point you in the right direction (teachers, doctors, priests) ask for wisdom & support.

Index: (tallest) Those that lead us, (Government) ask for guidance & wisdom.

Ring: (weakest) Those that are weak, in trouble, or in pain. We cannot pray too much for them.

Pinkie: (smallest) Our prayers for ourselves & our own needs.



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Meal times

Jesus often ate with his family, friends and people he met. Think of some stories (The last supper, Zacchaeus, Mary and Martha.....) see how many stories you can think of or find out about.

Meals are enjoyable and fun, have a special tea today. Due to the coronavirus it may be you are on your own or you may be with your family . Be creative, post your pictures on URC fb page. Remember to wash hands before you eat.

Stay Safe!!



Remember to keep praying for the world !! Use a ball or a map!

Blessing - Lord we thank you for Jesus, thankyou for our family, our friends, our neighbours, Bless us all this Easter.