

# Do You Know?



Why we make the Sign of the Cross?

When we get up in the morning we dress in clothes. When we make the Sign of the Cross we cover ourselves in God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit.

Why we bless ourselves with Holy Water?

Water gives life on earth, Jesus gives life in Heaven. We bless ourselves to thank Jesus for the life he gives us.

These pictures tell the story of how Jesus loved us so much that he died for us.

What the Stations of the Cross are?

We have our meals sitting at the table at home. Jesus asks us at Mass to join Him for his meal so we use the Altar, which is God's table on earth. We use the Altar in the Church which is God's table on earth.

What the Altar is for?

Some people don't believe in using statues or pictures to help them pray

We all like photographs of our friends and people we care about. Pictures, statues and coloured windows remind us we have friends with God in Heaven who ask God to bless us.

Why we need to go to confession?

When we do something naughty we can make it right when we say sorry and mean it. When we say sorry to God he takes the naughtiness away.

What the Tabernacle is?

This is the room in the Church where Jesus lives.

What the Baptismal Font is?

The baptismal font is like a bath but the water in it makes us a friend of Jesus.

What the meaning of the Crucifix is?

The cross is where Jesus died to show us God's love and open the door of God's kingdom for us.

Why we genuflect?

We go down on one knee to show Jesus we love and respect him and know that he is in the church with us. We genuflect in front of the tabernacle.

What a Lectern is?

This is a small table where we keep the Bible, which is the story of God's love.

Why we have a lamp over the tabernacle?

This lamp is called the Sanctuary lamp. Sanctuary means holy and lamp means light so it is a holy light that lets us know that Jesus is in the tabernacle living with us

Why we light Candles?

When we are naughty we bring sadness into the world. When we pray we bring light and God's love into the world and make it brighter.

HOW MANY ANGELS can you find on the stained glass windows in the main part of the church?

HOW MANY STATUES are there in the church?

HOW MANY STATIONS OF THE CROSS are there?

NOTE: The chapel is so big you could fit 126 school buses or 63 Double Decker buses into the chapel.



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Can you find these words?

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| 1. Bible   | 6. Chalice |
| 2. Lecturn | 7. God     |
| 3. Spire   | 8. Cross   |
| 4. Jesus   | 9. Angel   |
| 5. Church  | 10. Hope   |



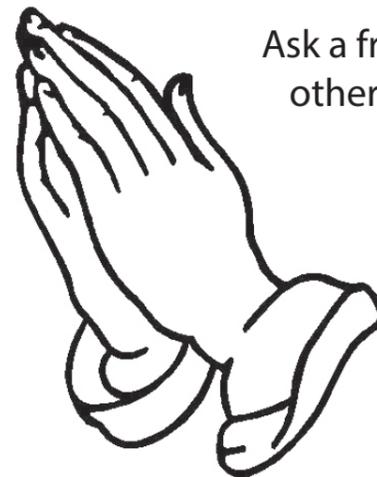
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# HELPING HANDS

Help a friend when they are upset	

Everytime you help someone else like the good samaritan did, you can colour in a helping hand on your chart!

Ask a friend to help you pick some other good deeds for your chart!



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