



Faith Adventures for Children Together

Committed to URC Children Together:
enabling everyone to grow more like Jesus
together in the home, church and beyond.

For guidance on the purpose of the resource and
how to use it as a launch pad for your engagement
with children and families, please use this link:

[https://urc.org.uk/wp-
content/uploads/2023/01/FACT-how-to-sheet.pdf](https://urc.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/FACT-how-to-sheet.pdf)

Galatians 3:27 -29 – ‘Putting on Christ’

Theme: We are all unique but equal in Ae abu204 aua149-6n]TJ 0 Tc 0912 (eq)



baptism and some will practice adult baptism. Some may use dedication or thanksgiving services in the place of infant baptism. You may want to read this <https://urc.org.uk/who-we-are/what-we-believe/> to find a concise explanation of the difference if you are not sure. The important thing is not to impose your beliefs on the children and to respect both, both being practised within the United Reformed Church.

Together



Alternative game – The Chocolate Game

You will need:

A plate with a large bar of chocolate on

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different, but in what way are they all the same? Encourage the group to come up with as many different ways the items are the same, where is the commonality?

Once you have had some time doing this task, lay the self-portraits onto the table and ask the group to consider what God sees – the passage tells us that the gender, age and background of each person is not important, that we are not considered as



- Pictures of rainbows (we are told that being part of Jesus' family means we are included in God's promise – what promise?)
- A selection of baptism gifts (baptism shawl, baptism spoon, etc. – what does it mean to be baptised?)
- A mirror (we are all unique but loved equally by God – what is unique about you?)
- A set of play people to act out the story or random shapes/bits you can move around to make pictures from the story as you tell it (e.g. stones, felt, twigs etc)



Spoken prayer

St Patrick's Breastplate prayer
Christ be with me



Gingerbread people

You will need:

Some pre-made Gingerbread shapes – you can buy or make these in advance. Here is a recipe to help you:

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/ultimate-easy-gingerbread>

Icing pens and icing sugar and any decorations you wish.

What you do:

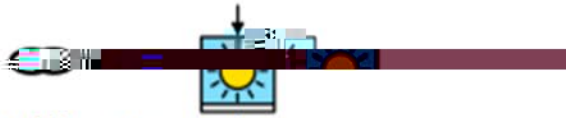
You need to either make or buy pre-made gingerbread people.

Ask the children to all create an identical gingerbread person using the writing icing and decorations (they will have to work hard as a team to achieve this) and then create one completely unique gingerbread person that is unlike anyone else's in the group. You will end up with lots of gingerbread people who look the same (in Christ) and lots who are the same inside but look different on the outside.

When we put on Christ, we all become like Christ. W



Jesus our friend



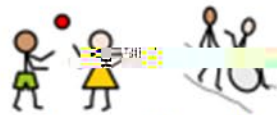
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as we share together



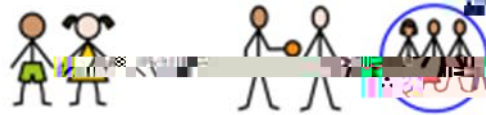
pray together



play together



and get to know you better



as children in your family



Amen

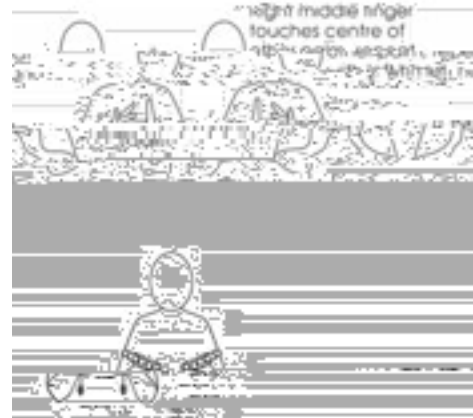




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