



St George's Catholic Voluntary Academy

"Grow in Faith and have Faith in growing"



Homes

Our Big Question

What makes a house a home?

Key Knowledge

- God is present in every **home**. We know this because of the **love** that binds the **family** together through good times and bad times.
- In his letters, St Paul gives us advice about how to live as a family at home.
- We are all God's children so we must try to be like Him.
- Mary, Joseph and Jesus give us an example of a happy and caring family.
- Prayer helps us remember that God is always with us.
- Jesus wants us to love one another.
- We have been chosen by God to be a holy people.



Key Vocabulary and Definitions

home	Where you live with your family.
love	When you really care about someone of something.
family	A group of people related to each other.
difference	When things are not like each other.
respect	Giving something honour or admiration.
joys	Times and feelings of great happiness.
sorrows	The feelings of sadness after something bad or upsetting has happened.
community	A group of people who live close together or who have shared interests.

Scripture

Romans 12: 8-13 – *Be Real About Loving*
 Ephesians 5: 1-9; 6: 1-4
 Luke 2 39-40
 John 13: 34-35 – *A New Rule*
 Colossians 3: 12-17



Key Skills



- I can **retell** accurately all key elements of the advice offered by St Paul in his letters. AT1 (i)
- I can **describe** and give many appropriate examples of ways in which Christians live as people chosen by God. AT1 (iii)
- I can **share with others** my experiences of homes and how I have felt. AT2 (i)
- I can **speak to and question others about things that cause me to wonder** about what makes a house a home and how God is always with us. AT2 (ii)
- I can **begin to express a point of view and make a link** to a source that could support this. AT3



Other Sources

Hymns



Christ in the
Carpenters' Shop
by Millais

- Family of God
- The Great Commandment by John Burland
- A New Commandment
- On this School your Blessing Lord

Prior Knowledge and Skills

- I have retold accurately many key elements from religious stories and some letters from St Paul (e.g. 1 Thes 4:13-14, 18; Col 3: 10-16; Eph 1: 4-5; Rom 8: 22-28)
- I have described and given many examples of how Christians live their life because of what they believe.
- I have asked and answered some questions about how my experiences of families.
- I have been able to ask somebody why they are wondering about something and say what I wonder about God and Jesus.

We are in Ordinary Time

The colour for Ordinary Time is green. It is a time when we continue to grow in God's love. Through the Gospels, we are journeying with Jesus on his mission.

