

Worship 22nd March 2021

Jesus is betrayed - Community



We're all in this together

This week we are continuing to think about community and what it means to us as individuals and as a school.

How do we know that we are part of a community? What sorts of things do we do and how can we make our community better?

We are also thinking about the story of how Jesus was betrayed by some of his disciples as we prepare for Easter.

The story of Jesus being betrayed can be found in the Bible, Mark 14: 32-46.

If you would like to watch a video clip of the story please click on the link below. If you would like to read the story, it can be found on the next slide.

[Jesus prays](#)

- Mark 14:32-46

○ Gethsemane

- ³² They went to a place called Gethsemane, and Jesus said to his disciples, "Sit here while I pray." ³³ He took Peter, James and John along with him, and he began to be deeply distressed and troubled. ³⁴ "My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death," he said to them. "Stay here and keep watch."
- ³⁵ Going a little farther, he fell to the ground and prayed that if possible the hour might pass from him. ³⁶ "Abba, [\[a\]](#) Father," he said, "everything is possible for you. Take this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will."
- ³⁷ Then he returned to his disciples and found them sleeping. "Simon," he said to Peter, "are you asleep? Couldn't you keep watch for one hour? ³⁸ Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak."
- ³⁹ Once more he went away and prayed the same thing. ⁴⁰ When he came back, he again found them sleeping, because their eyes were heavy. They did not know what to say to him.
- ⁴¹ Returning the third time, he said to them, "Are you still sleeping and resting? Enough! The hour has come. Look, the Son of Man is delivered into the hands of sinners. ⁴² Rise! Let us go! Here comes my betrayer!"

• Jesus Arrested

- ⁴³ Just as he was speaking, Judas, one of the Twelve, appeared. With him was a crowd armed with swords and clubs, sent from the chief priests, the teachers of the law, and the elders.
- ⁴⁴ Now the betrayer had arranged a signal with them: "The one I kiss is the man; arrest him and lead him away under guard." ⁴⁵ Going at once to Jesus, Judas said, "Rabbi!" and kissed him. ⁴⁶ The men seized Jesus and arrested him.

Let us pray

Dear God,

We all belong to various communities, clubs and groups.
We pray for all of the people we know in these groups: the leaders and the members as well as ourselves.

We thank you for all those who care for us, our families and our friends, and for our school.

Please help us to look after the people in our school.
Please help us to play our part in making this a happy and special community.

Amen

As we come to the end of our worship, we offer each other a sign of peace.

[Sign for peace in Makaton](#)

Go through your day being the best that you can be and remembering that you can do all things.