Game: Who are you talking to?

Write down the suggested requests and names of different people on separate pieces of paper from the lists below. Each player must pick a card from each pile one from names and one from requests. They have to improvise asking the person on the one card for the thing on the other card. (For instance, ask the King to help with homework, ask a baby for a packet of crisps.) Everyone he to guess, from the way that the request is framed, who the person is talking to.

People's names-A babyThe King/A head teacher/A classroom assistant/Your best friend, bully/Your mum/Your brother/A neighbour/An old lady/Your favourite cartoon character/A shop assistant.

Requests:Where the toilets are/For a bar of chocolate/To borrow a pound/For a lift home/To show you how to tap dance/To walk the dog/To move their bike/To get off your front grass/For one of their sweets/To help with your homework/To come with you to the shop

Game: Speed Chatting

Allow one minute to talk to someone in your house and find out their favourite food, best place they've ever been on holiday and their stillest memory. Repeat with other family members in your home/play over the phone with a friend. See how many things people can remember about each other. The person who remembers the most in the winner.

Activity: Draw and discover

Read these verse and draw pictures to show when and where Jesus prayed. Mark 1:35/Mark 6:46/Luke 5:16/Luke 6:12/Luke 9:28/Luke 11:1

Why do you think the disciples asked Jesus to teach them to pray? What do you think Jesus got from his prayer life that the disciples wanted? Do you think this prayer is helpful to Christians today? Why?

Story Video: The Lord's Prayer https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q3jAysRVkbY

Story: The Lord's Prayer Matthew 6:9-13

Read Matthew 6:9-13. Give everyone a piece of paper to draw or write something next to each line of the prayer to help them remember it. See suggestions below...

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. This means that God is our heavenly Father - He made us in the first place and we want to recognise that He is amazing - the ruler of the whole universe.

Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. This means that we want the whole earth to be as perfect as the day when God created it. We don't want it to be spoiled and we don't want people to be ill or hurt or sad – we want people to know God and act in the way He wants them to. We want earth to be as amazing as heaven is.

Give us today our daily bread. We don't want to be greedy about things or worry about things we want to trust that God will give us what we really need.

Forgive us our debts, as we have forgiven our debtors. Debt is another word for sin or wrong things. We all do wrong things every day, but God promises to forgive us if we are truly sorry. However, if we want Him to forgive us, we also need to forgive the people who hurt or upset us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. Sometimes we all feel tempted to do the wrong thing but we can ask God to make us strong so that we won't do what the devil suggests to us.

Amen. This means, 'I agree' and we can say it at the end of any prayer if we agree with what was said.

Prayer: The Lord's Prayer with actions <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tOugEQpcc_k</u> Pray the Lord's prayer using the actions from the video.

For more resources check out Urban Saints Energize website: <u>https://www.energize.uk.net/</u> Login: families@stjamesinthecity.org.uk Password: Matthew19:14