

A New Place

Revelation 21:1-6

Here are some activities you can do this week together as a family



BIBLE PASSAGE

Read together the story from Revelation 21:1-6 and then consider the questions below:

- I wonder what you are looking forward to in the next few days/weeks?
- I wonder which part of the passage you liked the most?

In this week's passage John has a vision and sees things being renewed.



Just for Fun – instead of throwing things away give things a new purpose

You could make something out of some old newspapers, cardboard boxes, yogurt pots and containers

Make it new drawing game!

Draw a simple picture and then pass the picture onto someone else inviting them to change the original to make it something new

This week is Mental Health Awareness week, and the theme is loneliness

Make a card for someone who might be on their own, feel lonely or need cheering up. You could use some bright colours and stickers to decorate your card and write a nice message inside the card

GET CREATIVE!

Transformation – a caterpillar to a butterfly

You will need: peg, pom poms, thin paper, pens, googly eyes, cardboard tube

- Cut a circle out of thin paper – colour it and decorate with different patterns and bright colours (this will be the butterfly's wings)
- Glue some pom poms onto the peg and then glue googly eyes on to the end of the pom poms
- Place the thin paper into the peg and shape it into wing shapes
- Decorate the cardboard tube (this will be the cocoon)
- Fold the wings around the Caterpillar and put it in the cardboard tube

We would love to see your creations! You can email them to abi.ratcliffe@smmethodist.org.uk

Floating prayers

You will need: thin paper and a bowl of water

Cut out different shapes from thin paper and write / draw different things that you want to thank God for and things that you hope for the future.

Fold the corners of the shapes into the middle and place the bottom of the shape on top of the water in the bowl and the folds should gradually open