

Jubilee Medal Awarding

After the marvellous celebrations of the Jubilee in Term 5. We welcomed in Term 6 by being each awarded a 'Jubilee Medal'. Everyone in the school received one! How special!

**A Time to rebuild– Rebuilding Jerusalem: Nehemiah 1-4.**

We were lucky enough to have many more collective worships led by the clergy this term, in our 'Open the Book'. One particular story we all enjoyed was the story of Nehemiah. In this Old Testament story, God sent his people home to Jerusalem. There, they started to build a wall around the city so they had somewhere safe to worship God. Nehemiah, a king's servant, heard about their struggle to build the wall, times were tough and they had many enemies. So with the King's permission, he set off on a long journey to help but when he arrived, he found Jerusalem in a terrible state!...



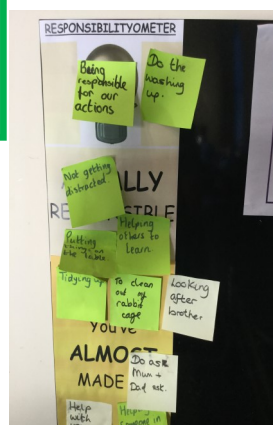
..."God is with us" Nehemiah said. "Let's build up these walls! God has given me courage to speak to the King and persuaded the King to give us these supplies. And now God will help us finish the Job!" The people cheered and set to work with the spirit of God by their side!

**The Good Samaritan**

We also looked at The Parable of 'The Good Samaritan' and what it means to take responsibility for others! In this Parable told by Jesus, it is a lesson to show responsibility to our neighbours even if they are our enemies.

**Laudato Si– Care for our Common Home**

We explored how we have a responsibility to not only care for each other but for our 'common home' - The Earth! We thought about the type of world Jesus would have wanted and the little every day things we can do to achieve this! Such as, turning off lights, recycling and planting more trees!

**We also explored:**

- The Responsibilityometer
- Being responsible for our mistakes and making positive changes
- Being responsible for standing up for others who may not have a voice
- The Parable of Talents