Date: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2023 Value: Peace Leader: Teacher

Key message that the children need to take away

Values: Community

Theme: The words of Jesus - Do not judge others

## Gathering

Music on entry. Children enter quietly

Class children to bring up to the worship table and say together:

Bible – God the Father Cross – God the Son Candle – God the Holy Spirit

Candle is lit on the worship table

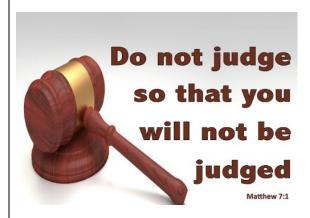
All: Come to us Father, as we gather here today;

Be with us Jesus, in our worship

Stay with us Holy Spirit, now and always, Amen.

Image on display as children enter:

Matthew 7.1 – 5



## Relaxing Christian music

RELAXING CHRISTIAN MUSIC | Instrumental, Hymns, Soft Music, Prayer Time | Anointed - YouTube

## Engaging

RESOURCES NEEDED: Large piece and small piece of wood

- 1. Hold up a large piece of wood and look at the small piece of wood How many times bigger do they think the big piece is compared to the small piece?
- 2. Barney, Bella and Bob are in their school worship team and Barney is already thinking about planning the next act of worship. Barney has read in the Bible about a time that Jesus talks about taking the log, or plank, out of your own eye before trying to remove a splinter from someone else's eye. Bella and Bob are not sure Barney has got the 'right end of the stick!'

Learning	Watch the video clip:
	https://www.imaginor.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/T1-bbb-puppet-drama.mp4
Reflecting	It is often much easier to see the faults in others before we recognise our own.  Sometimes we even criticise people for doing something that we are actually guilty of doing ourselves! Judging and criticising people in front of others can make them feel sad or angry. It can spoil friendships and turn people in a community against one another.
	Sit quietly and have a moment of stillness:
	Think about something you feel sorry for and want God to help you change in your life.
	Ask God to help you see the good in others not the bad.
Responding	Prayer
	Father God, with you're your help I will try to
	Praise instead of complain
	Encourage instead of criticise
	Be thankful instead of moaning
	Be interested instead of ignoring
	Listen instead of talking all the time.
	Amen
Sending Out	Sending out prayer at the extinguishing of the candle Pupil: Known by Jesus and loved by Jesus, we go on our way, All: Carrying his love inside us through the day. Amen
	SHILL: Pupil/Leader: For the body is not one member but many.  All: So today we will grow together and learn together.
	Music is played
Hymn	If I were a butterfly

Class follow-up

Do not judge so that you will not be judged Matthew 7.1 – 5

Have you ever criticized someone for something you have done? How did it make them feel?

Has anyone criticized you? How did it make you feel?

What have you learnt from this week's Collective Worship?