AUTUMN TERM









## WORD OF THE WEEK Everything has its time

Everything on earth has its own time and its own season. There is a time for birth and death, planting and reaping, for killing and healing, destroying and building, for crying and laughing, weeping and dancing, for throwing stones and gathering stones embracing and parting. There is a time for finding and losing, keeping and giving, for tearing and sewing, listening and speaking. There is also a time for love and hate, for war and peace. **Ecclesiastes 3:1-8** 

# Something to talk about...

Why is it important to remember those who have passed away?

How would you want people to remember you?

Why might the words of this week's reading bring comfort to people who are mourning?

Did you buy a poppy last week? If not, why? Should we remember those who gave their lives in war?



### WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK?

#### FRIDAY....

We have our Achievement Assemblies in the Sports Hall where we celebrate all that was achieved last year. As part of the celebration you go home at 12.35pm!



#### FRIDAY.... There will be Breakfast with God in the Junior Dining Room. Come along for tea, toast and a short time of prayer.



# REMEMBRANCE

# Something to think about...

November is the traditional time when we remember our friends and loved ones who have gone before us.

Whenever someone we love dies, our sadness reminds us just how precious life is. Our life is a gift from God, and we are called to use it to touch the lives of others. In our Christian faith, we believe that when someone dies, their life is not ended - it is merely changed! How right it is, then, that we remember those who have died in the season of Autumn, when the leaves on the trees wither and die, only to make way for the new life still to come. At this time we particularly remember those killed in war and conflict around the world. Let us use this time to pray for peace in our troubled world, especially for an end to the dreadful terrorism that has caused so much suffering this year.

#### SOMETHING TO DO...

This week you might want to spend some time in prayer remembering those who have passed away. In the Entrance Foyer there will be a 'Tree of Remembrance' which will remind us of our loved ones who have passed away. You are invited to take a leaf and write the name of someone you want to remember. We will pray for these people throughout the month of November.





