

The Second Sunday before Advent (Year B) Sunday 14 November 2021

FAMILY RESOURCES

DEMOLITION

THE GOSPEL READING FOR THIS WEEK IS Mark 13: 1-8

This week's theme

This week's theme is 'Demolition'.

Core extract from the Gospel (Mark 13: 1-2; for reflection throughout the week)

As Jesus came out of the temple,
one of his disciples said to him,
'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!'
Then Jesus asked him,
'Do you see these great buildings?
Not one stone will be left here upon another;
all will be thrown down.'

Gospel prayer (for use throughout the week)

Lord Jesus Christ,
all things decay,
but you endure for ever.
Teach us to place our trust
in the things that last,
that we may live our lives for you;
for you are our God.
Amen.



The Second Sunday before Advent (Year B) Sunday 14 November 2021

Things to think about

- Have you ever seen a building been demolished? What did it look like? What could you hear or smell?
- Why do buildings need to be demolished?
- What things can you think of that last forever?

Things to do

- Build a tower from wooden or plastic building blocks. How high can you build before it comes crashing down?
- Collect boxes and then build a tower to knock down with a football – this is best done outside
- Balloon demolition game.

You will need: paper cups, balloon



Stack the cups up to build a wall. Or alternatively, set them out like skittles.

Inflate the balloon and then slowly release the air to try and knock down the cups.



You could see how fast you can knock them all down or how many you can knock down within a time limit. Perhaps you could use different coloured cups and try to aim for specific colours.

Why not share your creations with us? We would love to see what you have been up to! Please email any photos to education@liverpoolcathedral.org.uk or tag @LivCathedral on social media.