

Exploring the Sunday Gospel at home

Fourth Sunday of Epiphany (year b) **Sunday 31 January 2021**

This week's theme is Jigsaw puzzles and we think about Jesus healing, picking up our broken pieces and making us whole.

Reflection ideas

- Think about jigsaw puzzles you have completed.
- What is your favourite puzzle?
- How do you feel when you have lost a piece?
- How do you feel when you have finished a jigsaw puzzle?

Practical activities.

- Play a treasure hunt game giving clues to places in your house or garden. Hide a jigsaw piece in each place. The jigsaw can only be solved when all the places and pieces have been found and collected.
- Make your own jigsaw puzzles by recycling old cards or magazine/comic pictures. You can make them harder by cutting the cards into more pieces. Perhaps you can cut the pieces into special shapes.
- Jesus is the missing piece jigsaw

You will need	A downloaded and printed jigsaw template, colouring pencils/crayons, scissors
	1. Optional. Print out a jigsaw piece template, there are many to be found on the internet.
	2. On the back of the jigsaw template draw a cross. Now draw a large heart over the centre of the cross. You may wish to decorate the edges of your design too, I used a rainbow.
	3. Colour in your design.

	<p>4. Carefully cut out the heart shape.</p>
	<p>5. For a harder puzzle, cut out the jigsaw pieces.</p> <p>6. For an easier puzzle for younger children, cut out bigger pieces – these don't have to be jigsaw piece shaped.</p>

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