May 10th 2020 "I am the way, the truth and the life"

Today's Gospel reading states that Jesus is the way, the truth and the life and that by following and believing in Him, we will find our way to Heaven. Here are some fun ideas to do at home linking to this idea.

- Make a treasure hunt with simple clues leading to some treasure. Perhaps the treasure in each place could be a letter to make a simple phrase or even "I am the way, the truth and the life"
- Play a memory game In my suitcase I packed... Each person has to add an item to the suitcase for the others to remember in order. How much will you be able to pack?
- Make and test a compass. There are plenty of instructions for making a compass using a
 needle, magnet and water to be found on the internet. Once you have made your magnet,
 use small figures (Lego or Playmobil) placed around the bowl of water and see who can
 predict where north is.
- Make a balance path using tape or string on the floor. Find different ways to follow the path. Perhaps with your eyes closed and following instructions or try holding a mirror above your head and just looking at your reflection.
- Make a door hanger/bookmark. Fold a piece of paper in half and cut out the shape of an arrow. Using bubble writing, write Jesus on one side and One way on the other. Decorate.
 Stick a loop of wool or ribbon on the back, fold and stick together. The loop can be hung over a door handle.
- Map art. Cut a square out of an old OS map and stick in the middle f a plain piece of paper.
 Create a new map by extending out the coloured lines for roads and railways. You might want to write "Jesus is the way" over the top in large letters.

Why not share your creations on social media using @LivCathedral.

Prayer

Dear God,

Thank you that you love us. Thank you for sending Jesus, your Son. Thank you that He is the Way to you and to heaven! Thank you for making a way for us to you!

Amen.