

Lego and playdough challenge

Children's Resources for 0-11 year olds

Dear All

This month we have launched a daily Lego and playdough challenge. Please encourage your churches to join in. I suggest the playdough challenge be used with younger children and the Lego one with older children. A video explaining the challenge and also my family taking part in day 1 can be viewed on:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsKSW7o5i7E8_heYtf5Wh5A

These posts below are being uploaded daily to our Diocese Facebook groups:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/2547710302007675/>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/519938642054740/>

If you would like to send these challenges out to your communities the challenges can be downloaded here:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1uFconmwEZodaP5tLvHivjID6b0BmdINm/view?usp=sharing>

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1IZ_FSCfbZaKWwrNpU3Gmq0AQCiPvF2ta/view?usp=sharing

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<p>1st Apr</p>	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Genesis1:1-23 God created the universe. Build some stars and Planets. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! God created everything; the universe, planets and stars Can you make some planets and stars? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
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2 nd Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Genesis 6:9-7:4 Noah builds an ark. Build some pairs of animals. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! God created everything; trees, flowers and grass. Can you make a garden? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
3 rd Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Genesis 9:8-17 The flood ends. Build a rainbow. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! God created everything; the land and sea. Can you make some waves? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
4 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Genesis 37:1-11 Joseph's colourful Coat. Build Joseph with his colourful coat. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! God created everything; everyone, including you Can you make you and your family? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
Sun 5 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Genesis 41:1-36 Joseph explains the king's dreams. Build some healthy and skinny cows. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! God asked Noah to build a big boat because there was going to be a flood. Can you make an ark? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
6 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Genesis 44:1-34 Joseph tricks his Brother. Build a silver cup. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Noah filled the boat with animals to save them from the flood Can you make some animals? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
7 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Exodus 2:1-10 Baby Moses. Build a basket, like the one Moses' Mother put him in. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! When the flood ended God promised that the earth would not be flooded again, a rainbow is a sign of God's promise. Can you make a rainbow? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
8 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Exodus 3:1--14 Moses meets God. Build a bush with flames. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! A shepherd looks after their sheep, God looks after us like a shepherd looks after their sheep. Can you make some sheep? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>

9 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Exodus 14:5-31 Moses leads the Israelites to safety. Build a parted sea to walk through. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Jesus is God's son, he was born in a stable in Bethlehem. Can you make a stable with some animals and a place for Jesus to sleep? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
10 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Exodus 20:1-19 Moses tells the people God's rules. Build the holy mountain where Moses spoke to God. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Angels told the shepherds where to find the baby Jesus. Can you make an angel? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
11 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Jonah Chapter 1 & 2 Jonah and the big fish. Build a big fish with Jonah inside. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! The wise men followed a star to find Jesus. Can you make a star? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
12 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! 1 Samuel 17:1-58 David and Goliath. Build Goliath and David as a mini figure. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! The wise men brought Jesus presents of gold, frankincense and Myrrh. Can you make three presents? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
13 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Psalms 23 God cares for us. Build a peaceful scene with some sheep. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Jesus is the light of the world, that is why we light candles in church. Can you make a candle? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
14 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Luke 1:39-45 Mary visits Elizabeth. Build Mary and Elizabeth in Elizabeth and Zechariah's house. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Jesus was baptised by a man named John, who ate insects and honey. Can you make some insects and honey? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
15 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Luke 2:1-10 Jesus is born.</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! When Jesus was baptised God's spirit came down as a dove. Can you make a dove (a kind of bird)?</p>

	<p>Build a stable with animals, Mary, Joseph, Jesus and Shepherds. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
16 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Matthew 2:1-12 Visitors from the East. Build the visitors and/or their gifts. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! When we are baptised, we use water. Can you make some things that use water? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
17 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Matthew 3:13-17 Jesus is Baptised. Build the River Jordan with John the Baptist and Jesus. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Jesus fed a huge crowd with just a few loaves and fish. Can you make some loaves and fish? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
18 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Mark 4:35-41 Jesus calms the Storm. Build a boat and a stormy sea. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Jesus healed many people, making them well. Can you make some bandages? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
19 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Luke 9:10-17 Jesus feeds the crowd. Build some fish and loaves. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Jesus loves and welcomes everyone. Can you make a heart? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
20 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Mark 6:45-56 Walking on water. Build some waves for Jesus and Peter to walk on. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! Prayer is when we talk to God, we can thank God for good things. Make something that you would like to say thank you for. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
21 st Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Luke 10:25-37 The kind stranger. Build the street with the wounded man, horse and the stranger. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! We can talk to God about what we are worried about. Make something that makes you feel safe when you are worried. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
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	<p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Luke 15:1-7 The lost sheep. Build a flock of sheep and a shepherd.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>We can talk to God about the people we Love. Make the people you love.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
23 rd Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge</p> <p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Luke 15:11:32 Two sons. Build a welcome home party.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge</p> <p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>We can talk to God about the big things that are happening in the world. Make the world.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
24 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge</p> <p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Matthew 6:7-15 The Lord's Prayer. Build God in heaven.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge</p> <p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Jesus loves us and the whole world so much that he died on a cross. Can you make a cross?</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
25 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge</p> <p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Matthew 21:1-11 Jesus Comes to Jerusalem as King. Build some palm leaves and a donkey.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge</p> <p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>After three days his friends found his tomb empty, he was alive again, this is what we celebrate at Easter. Can you make an empty tomb?</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
26 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge</p> <p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Matthew 26:26-29 Supper with friends. Build a cup of wine and some bread.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge</p> <p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>A few days later Jesus saw his friends fishing on a lake, he made them breakfast on the beach Can you make a boat for Jesus' friends?</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
27 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge</p> <p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Matthew 26:47-50 Jesus is arrested. Build the soldiers, Jesus and Judas.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge</p> <p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>After 40 days Jesus went up to heaven through the clouds. Can you make Jesus in the clouds?</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
28 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge</p> <p>Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>Matthew 27:32-44 Jesus is killed. Build the three crosses of Jesus and the robbers.</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge</p> <p>Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun!</p> <p>God then sent his Holy Spirit to Jesus' friends, it looked liked flames of fire on their head Can you make one of Jesus' friends and the flames?</p> <p>Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>

29 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Mark 16:1-8 Easter! Build the empty tomb. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! We remember this day as the birthday of the Church. Can you make a birthday cake? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>
30 th Apr	<p>30 day Lego Bible challenge Something to read and build each day: imagine, build, reflect and have fun! Acts 2:1-4 The Holy Spirit. Build the room and the disciples with flames on their head. Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30legobiblechallenge</p>	<p>30 day playdough church challenge Something to make each day: imagine, mould, reflect and have fun! We can learn about Jesus by reading the Bible. Can you make a Bible? Post a photo of your creation. Don't forget to use the hashtag #30dayplaydoughchurchchallenge</p>

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With very best wishes,

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