

# Whole School Worship

*As we begin our new value of Hope we acknowledge times have been hard but there is lots to look forward to. Sometimes the challenges we face feel really difficult, but we can reach out to others for support when we need it. We can also be a source of help and support for each other. For Christians, God is with us always. The Bible says 'Do not be afraid—I am with you! I am your God—let nothing terrify you! I will make you strong and help you; I will protect you and save you.' Isaiah 41:10.*

*Why it is important to have hope when we are faced with challenges? Look at the quotations about hope and discuss with your family – which do like and why?*

**Hope is the last  
thing ever lost.**

—Italian Proverb

DON'T LOSE  
HOPE. WHEN  
THE SUN GOES  
DOWN, THE STARS  
COME OUT.

**HOPE**  
— IS THE —  
**ONLY THING**  
**STRONGER**  
— THAN —  
**FEAR**

Once you  
choose hope,  
anything's possible.  
Christopher Reeve

**Hope is being  
able to see that  
there is light  
despite all of the  
darkness.**

—Desmond Tutu

*How could this passage help you? Joshua 1:9 'Remember that I have commanded you to be determined and confident! Do not be afraid or discouraged, for I, the Lord your God, am with you wherever you go.'*

*It is now time for our prayer – listen carefully and join in with the amen if you agree as amen means I agree.*

***Dear Lord, Help us to stay determined and hopeful and support us in overcoming our challenges. Fill our hearts with hope and love. Amen***