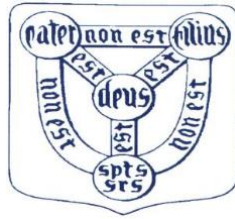


# Shellingford CE (A) Primary School

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"Inspiring hearts and minds"

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## *Reflection for this week: The Lord's Prayer*

A still small voice of calm

- Psalm 131

Dear Shellingford School Family,

The Church celebrates Easter for 50 days: 40 days between Easter and Ascension and then 10 more looking forward to the Pentecost and gift of the Spirit. In our school community we often pray the Lord's Prayer to help us in times of sorrow and joy. On the Church of England's website there is also a daily prayer to listen or read <https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer/todays-prayer>

Colonel Tom Moore and his extraordinary fundraising efforts for the NHS has also been a source of inspiration and reassurance to many people at this time. We will be thinking this week about the 75<sup>th</sup> VE Day (Victory in England) with the children, when on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020 it will be 75 years since the guns fell silent at the end of the war in Europe. At 11.00am there will be a national moment of remembrance to pay tribute to heroes of the past and present with a two-minute silence to mark the anniversary of the end of the Second World War.

### **Home-Learning Celebrations**

Over the last fortnight we have received some encouraging messages and comments from parents and pupils about their work. My teaching staff have been working incredibly hard preparing activities and responding to home-learning feedback. We would like to thank you, as parents, for supporting your child's education at home through the current restrictions and pressures on our day to day living. We have very much appreciated the photographs of the children working at home, thank you, it really is lovely to see them looking so happy – we are missing them!

Here is a selection of photographs showing the children busy with their work:



