

The home is the first school of Christian life and 'a school for human enrichment.'

God is present in every home. This is expressed in the love that binds the family together within the home through good times and bad times.

At home one learns endurance and the joy of work, love, forgiveness and above all, divine worship in prayer.

## HOMES

Year 3 Topic 1



### OUR BIG QUESTION

What makes a house a home?

*home*  
ISN'T A PLACE,  
*it's a feeling*

### REFLECTION

Father, creator of all,  
you 'ordered the earth' to bring forth life  
and crowned its goodness by  
creating family life.

Teach us the beauty of human love,  
show us the value of family life

and help us to live in peace  
with everyone.

Amen.

### KEY VOCABULARY

home love family  
difference respect  
joys sorrows  
community family

### SCRIPTURE

Romans 12: 8-13

Ephesians 5: 1-9; and 6: 1-4.

Luke 2: 39-40

John 13:34-35

Col 3:12-17