



Holy Trinity Geneva

JUNIOR CHURCH

20th September

Virtual Junior Church

Dear parents, this week I thought we should think about the environment in preparation for the on line Harvest Festival next week.

Start with a Prayer.

For apples and plums that are good to eat

A thanksgiving prayer for autumn

For apples and plums that are good to eat:

thank you, God.

For combine harvesters that gather wheat for our bread:

thank you, God.

For shops that provide us with all we need:

thank you, God.

For falling leaves that swirl in the wind:

thank you, God.

For puddles of rain to splash about in and water to drink and keep us clean:

thank you, God.

For bonfires with leaping flames that brighten the air:

thank you, God.

For homes that keep us safe and warm as the evenings darken:

thank you, God.

For all that is good in our lives,

for all that nourishes us,

for all that we let go of,

for all that is fun,

for all that lightens our lives

and all that protects us:

thank you, God.

Amen.

The environment, creation and climate change

God the maker and the world we live in

Listen to the Diddy Disciples podcast from the World Council of Churches

<https://www.diddydisciples.org/godthemakerpodcastforwcc>

The Theopopettes Take Care of Their Planet: A Puppet Show by WCC and the Protestant Church of Geneva

Watch the puppets Theo and Popette talking about the WCC and helping the environment

https://oikoumene.photoshelter.com/galleries/C0000cXWJl_CjN60/G00005cQ6d2k6Qpk/V0000bYt8T0tfOZO/Theopopettes-8-Children-come-on-board

Activities

Recycling

Ask an adult to help you sort out recyclable materials instead of putting everything in the bin. Make something amazing using the things you have sorted out.

Plants

Help water the plants in your home or garden.

Garden

Create your own garden using natural objects found outside. Look for pinecones, moss, twigs, leaves, etc