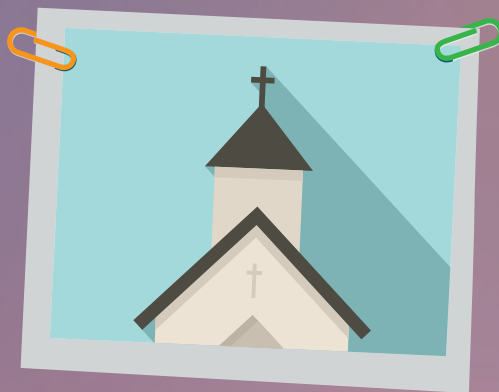




MY CHURCH



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Think you know your Church inside out? Think again! Explore & learn about your Church and the items within it, with this fun and interactive activity.

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Selection of photos taken from around your Church
- Pen
- Paper



GET LEARNING: MY CHURCH

THEME: ME & MY WORLD



LEADER PREPARATION

Before the meeting, a leader will need to take photos of objects for the group to find. To make it challenging and interesting, take the photos from a strange angle, only photograph part of the object or take a close-up photograph. Objects could include a pulpit/lectern, communion table, stain glass window, a cross, candle, organ etc. These photos will then need to be printed out, so each group can use the photo clues to find the items.



GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

- 1 Split the group into small teams. Ideally each team will have a leader with them to supervise and help if needed.
- 2 Challenge the team to hunt around the Church looking for the items found in the photos. Once they have found the object, ask them to write down what it is and where they found it (the leader could record this if required).
- 3 Once all the photos have been ticked off the list, come back together as one group and compare answers.
- 4 Finish the activity by going through some/all of the items and give a brief explanation about what it is and what it is used for. Allow children to ask questions if they have any. This is their opportunity to learn more about their church and the items found within it.



IDEAS TO TAKE THIS FURTHER...

This activity would be a great opportunity to invite your Church Minister, Chaplain or someone from the Church leadership team to come down and take part in.



KEEPING EVERYONE SAFE

Before you start please make sure the group is aware of where they can and can't go. Please only use suitable areas and ensure appropriate leader supervision.