



BURNSIDE CITY UNITING CHURCH

Raising Children of God

Hello everyone,

My name is Ashley and I'm filling in for Benji while he is on holiday. I'm really pleased to be able to introduce myself to you today.

I'm married to Marion and we have 3 adult children and 4 grandchildren. We are very blessed to see our grandchildren reasonably often as they don't live too far from us. They call Marion Gran and call me Grumpy.

I am praying that you are all staying well and enjoying the fun things in life. Our eldest grandson just turned 8 and even though we didn't have a party he had a really good time and enjoyed everyone giving him cards and gifts.

This is a picture of me at my last birthday and I am a lot older than eight.



Enjoy the day and please do enjoy the activity that is set out below – it looks like it will be a good one.

May God bless you – all the time.

Ashley

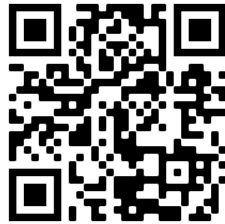
BCUC Children

Sunday 16 January 2022

Today we are looking at Forgiveness. This programme is for all the family to share together, parents/guardian, grandparents, neighbours, friends, cat, dog, in fact for whoever is with you and wherever you are. We will start with watching a video together. We have also included three activities for you to enjoy.

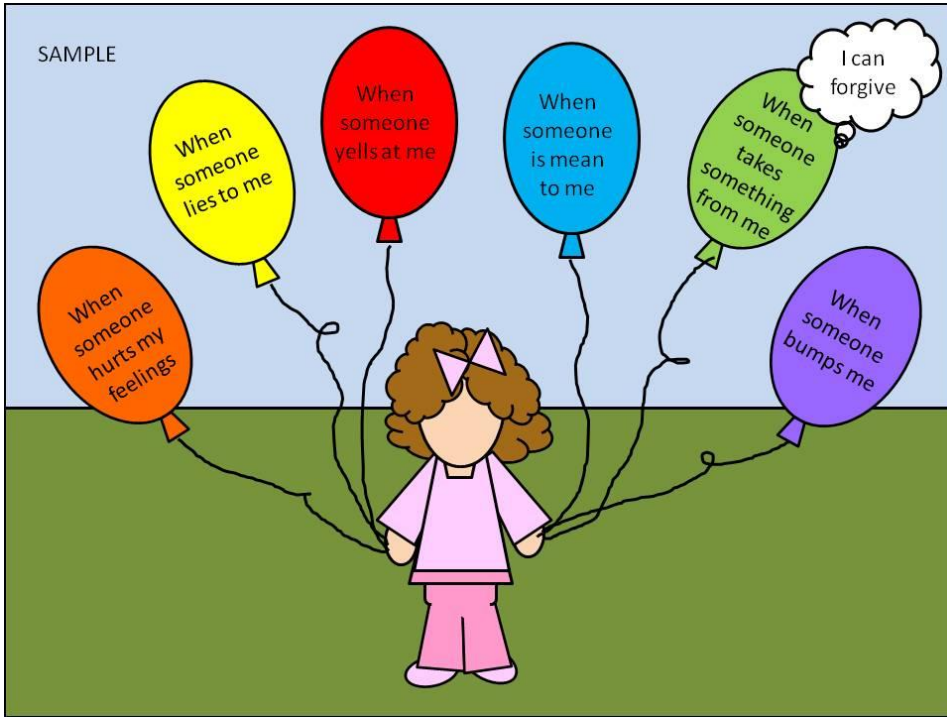
Starting by viewing the video below

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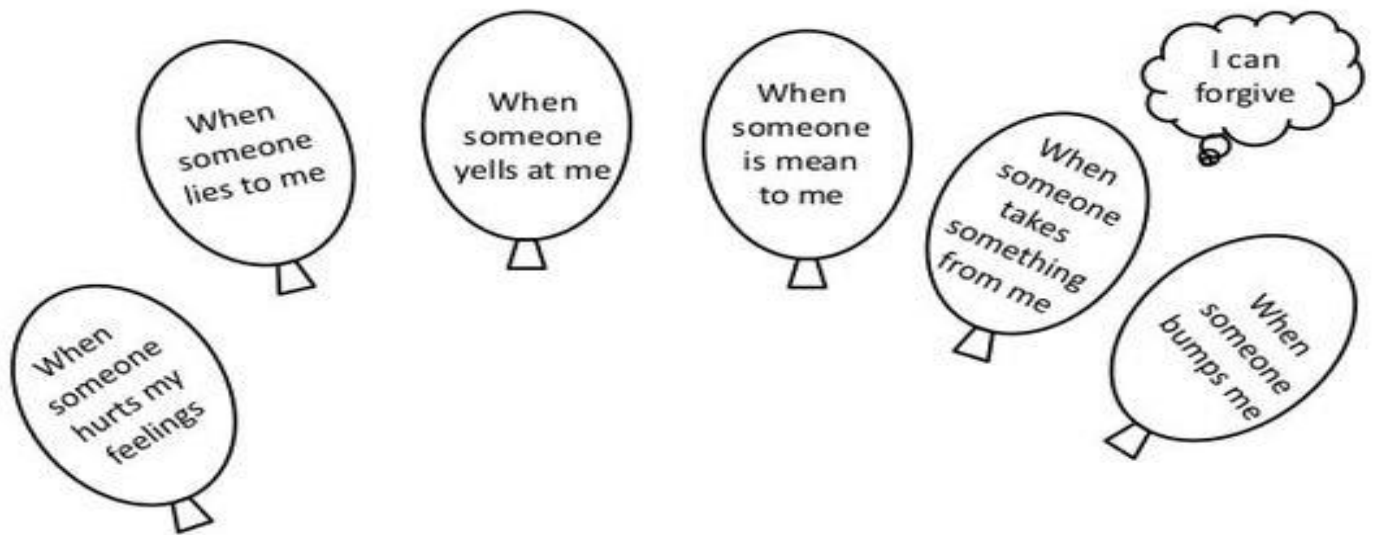
Having watched the video, chat amongst yourselves. What did you like, what made you think, how do you feel about being forgiven, can you forgive and how does that feel?



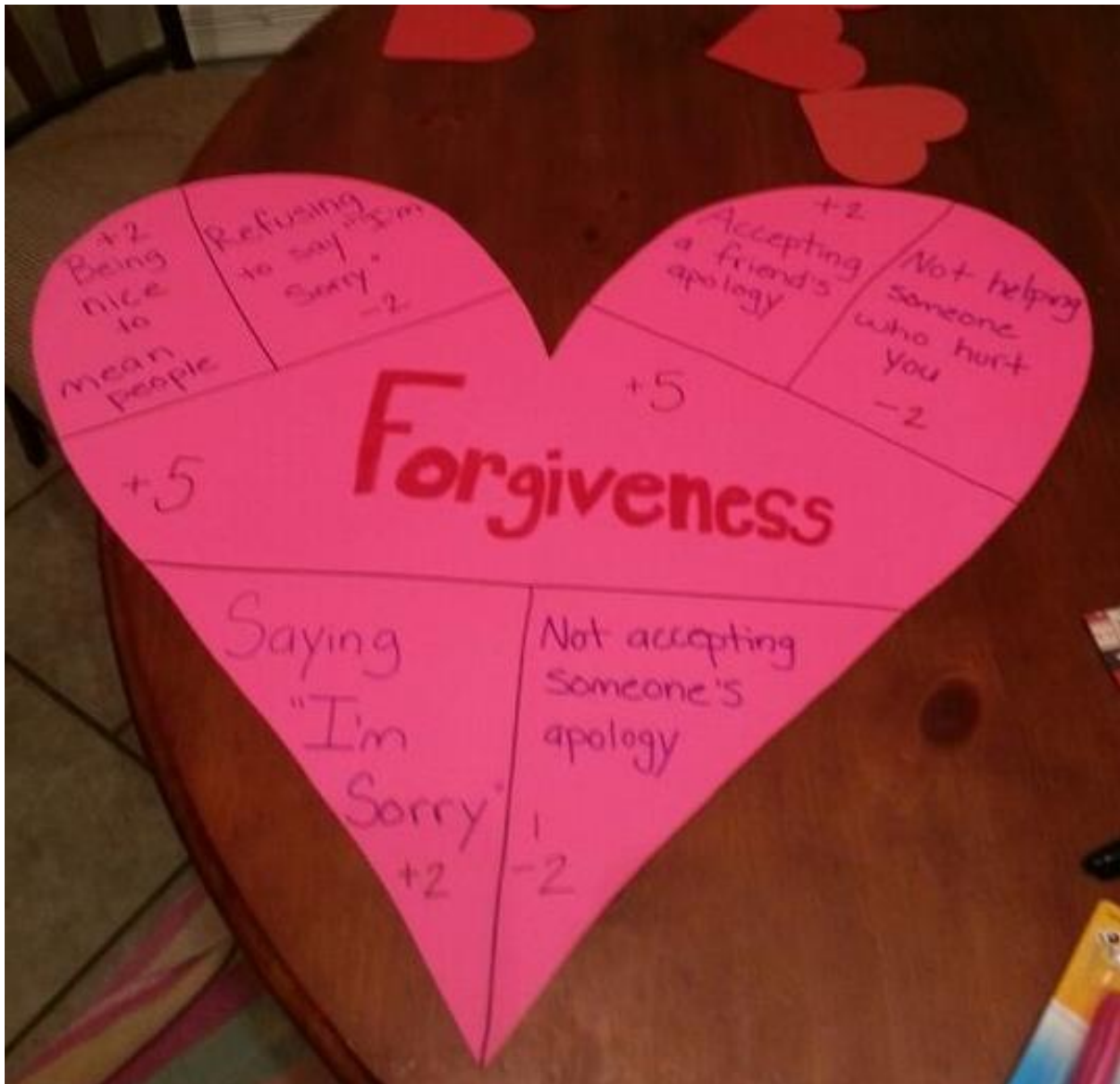
Forgiveness

What do the balloons say?

Got it? Using your coloured pencils colour the balloons below. Draw yourself then attach balloons to your hands by drawing a line as shown in example. To make yourself a poster, cut along the dotted line.



"Let it Go"



Forgiveness game.

1. Make your own forgiveness heart, big enough to copy the words above (don't forget to add the scores).
2. Place your heart on the floor.
3. To score you need to slide flat stones or a counter across the heart and wherever it lands is the number of points you get. First person to 20 wins.

Bible Reading

The Bible reading for today is Matthew 6 :9-13 The Lord's Prayer, as taught by Jesus.

Find this reading in your Bible, copy the words in the centre of an A4 sheet of paper. It is OK to ask someone to help. Decorate and colour the borders around the words of The Lord's Prayer.

Sample

Decorate the borders

The Lord's Prayer (written by you)

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