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Second Sunday before Lent

Find this story in your Bible: John 1. 1 - 14

Sunday 7th February 2021

Start with a discussion:

- What is Lent?
- What day comes before the start of Lent?

The story

Today's reading is one that lots of people recognise as the words are so famous. They mark the opening to the Gospel of John.

One of the themes that we hear is one of 'light' in the darkness. When we put a light on in a dark room, we can see things more clearly. Jesus shining as a light in the world allows us to see things in our lives more clearly.



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Activity: Jesus is the guiding light

You will need:

- Empty jar or clear plastic container
- Tissue paper
- PVA glue
- Small battery torch, battery fairy lights or battery candle (no heat)



Make sure your jar or plastic container is empty, clean and dry.



Rip up your tissue paper or cut into shapes.



Add glue to the outside of your container.



Stick tissue paper over the outside of the jar/
container.



Add another layer of PVA
glue over the tissue paper
and leave to dry.

You can add some optional
decoration around the top.



Place your battery powered light into the jar and
enjoy.