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# The Third Sunday of Lent

Find this story in your Bible: John 2. 13-22

Sunday 7th March 2021

## Start with a discussion:

- What is Lent?
- How long does Lent last?
- What special day signifies the end of Lent?

## The story

In this week's Gospel reading Jesus goes to the temple.

The temple was the centre of Jewish life. Jesus was unhappy about the lack of respect being shown to the place where people were able to worship God. Jesus was not against the temple, but was unhappy with what the temple had become. From the description in this reading we hear how it was a marketplace selling animals.

Jesus told them all to leave as He felt this was no way to worship and glorify God.

We all have special places we visit to worship God today. Where do you visit?

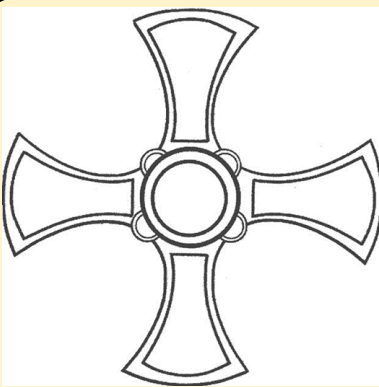
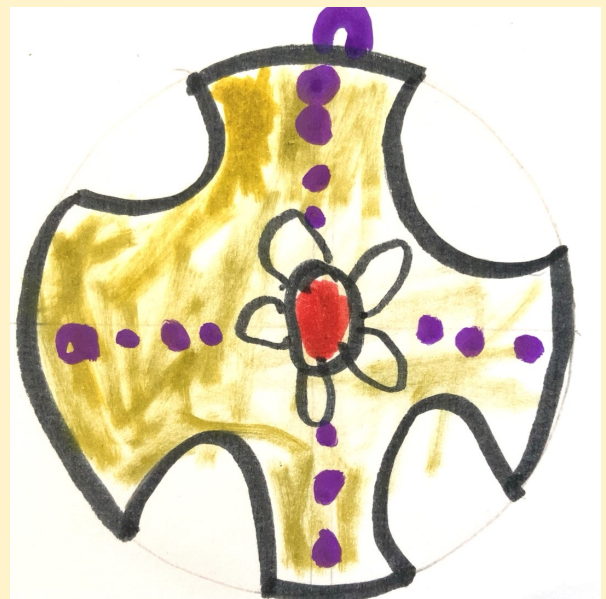


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## Activity: Cuthbert Cross

### You will need:

- White paper
- Scissors
- Coloured Pens or pencils



Print off the attached template or draw your own.



Create your own design and see if you can find out who St. Cuthbert was and why he's important to Durham Cathedral.



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