RE Framework – Nursery		
Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
The RE curriculum in Nursery will be centred around the children's home experiences in accordance with the Development Matters Document. The children will have an opportunity to: • Find out what it means to come together to celebrate God at St Paul's • Begin to learn a selection of songs, stories and prayers (on going) • Take part in Harvest celebrations – Saying thank you for our food • Learn about the stories Jesus told including: - The Lost Sheep - The House on the rocks - The Good Stranger - The Precious Pearl (Stories Jesus Told by Mick Inkpen) • Celebrate other religious festivals including Diwali and Eid – making connections with their home experiences • Talk about their preparations for Christmas and their family traditions • Listen to the Christmas story and talk about its significance for Christians	The Feast of St Paul's occurs on 25th January. During this week we celebrate the life of St Paul and his impact on the Christian faith. The children will have an opportunity to: • Find out about Epiphany and the gifts the three kings gave to Jesus • Talk about gifts they received and their own family traditions • Visit the Church and find out about the offerings • Learn about the work of charities who care for others and share God's work • Thinking about what it means to give something up • Find out why Christians take part in Lent • Learn about how music is used in churches around the world • Explore what songs mean to ourselves and others • Give thanks to God through song • Think about the place of songs in other religions • Find out about Easter and its importance for Christians	 The children will have an opportunity to: Think about prayer and when we hear prayers Look at the school prayer and think about what it means Create their own prayers focusing on their family and things which are important to them Find out about the Lord's Prayer and begin to learn it Look at different versions of the Lord's Prayer Old Testament Heroes: Exploring the stories of David, Samuel, Noah, Ruth and others. Thinking about what we can learn from them. Who cares for this special world and why? Exploring Creation and how to look after the world around us.