

P1 Week of 15.02.21

We are continuing to follow our planned Religious and Moral Education Programme. This term P1's RME topic is Stories of Muhammad.

Lesson 4: Kindness and Forgiveness

Ask your adult to read this story to you.

The prophet Muhammad taught that there were not many gods, but only one God, Allah. This upset many people who were used to worshipping idols and some of these people did not like Muhammad.

Each day when Muhammad walked down a street in Mecca a woman would sweep her dust and rubbish over him as he went on his way to the mosque.

Muhammad would smile at her and say the words he used to greet a friend – 'Assalam-o-Alaikum' which means 'Peace be with you'. The woman gave no reply but simply slammed her door.

One day Muhammad came down the street expecting to be covered in dust as usual, but the woman was nowhere to be seen.

Muhammad asked the neighbours where she was. The neighbours were rather surprised that Muhammad should show an interest in the woman, for they knew she disliked him.

They told him that she was living alone and was very ill. Muhammad at once went to her house, and set to work. He cooked her a meal, fetched water from the well, tidied up and swept up the dust from the floor.

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The woman was amazed to see Muhammad helping her like this, especially when she realised who it was. Muhammad came every day until the woman was well.

Later the woman became a good Muslim and followed Muhammad's example of kindness to others.

Paint/draw pictures to show ways we can be kind to others.

Label the Picture with:

'It is kind to'

'I was kind when...'