

Lighting of the Candles
Peace be with you



And also with you

Welcome Words

We have gathered in the name of
God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit
to worship together and think about
our value FRIENDSHIP



FRIENDSHIP



Encourage one another and build each other up.

1 Thessalonians 5.11

Befriend people in the same manner you would like them to befriend you."

Prophet Muhammed (PBUH)

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Friendship is...



Finding things to do together
Relying on each other
Impossible on your own
Enjoying being together
Never selfish
Depending on someone else
Sharing hopes and dreams
Happiness and laughter
Including others
Precious





[Lighthouse \(Animation\) - YouTube](#)

Reflection



In Matthew 7.12, we see Jesus sitting on a hillside, teaching his new disciples how to live the way God wants them to live. He says to them,

'Do to others what you would have others do to you.'



Reflection



*If you want to have a friend, then
learn to be a friend*



- *If you want help, learn to help others.*
- *If you want to be shown kindness, learn to be kind.*
- *If you want to be accepted, accept other people.*
- *If you want to be encouraged, encourage those around you.*



Dear God,
Thank you for people who are there to help us.
Please help us never to feel like we have to manage all alone.
Please help us always to ask for help when we need it.
Please help us to be aware of the needs of others
And to offer help however and whenever we can.

Amen





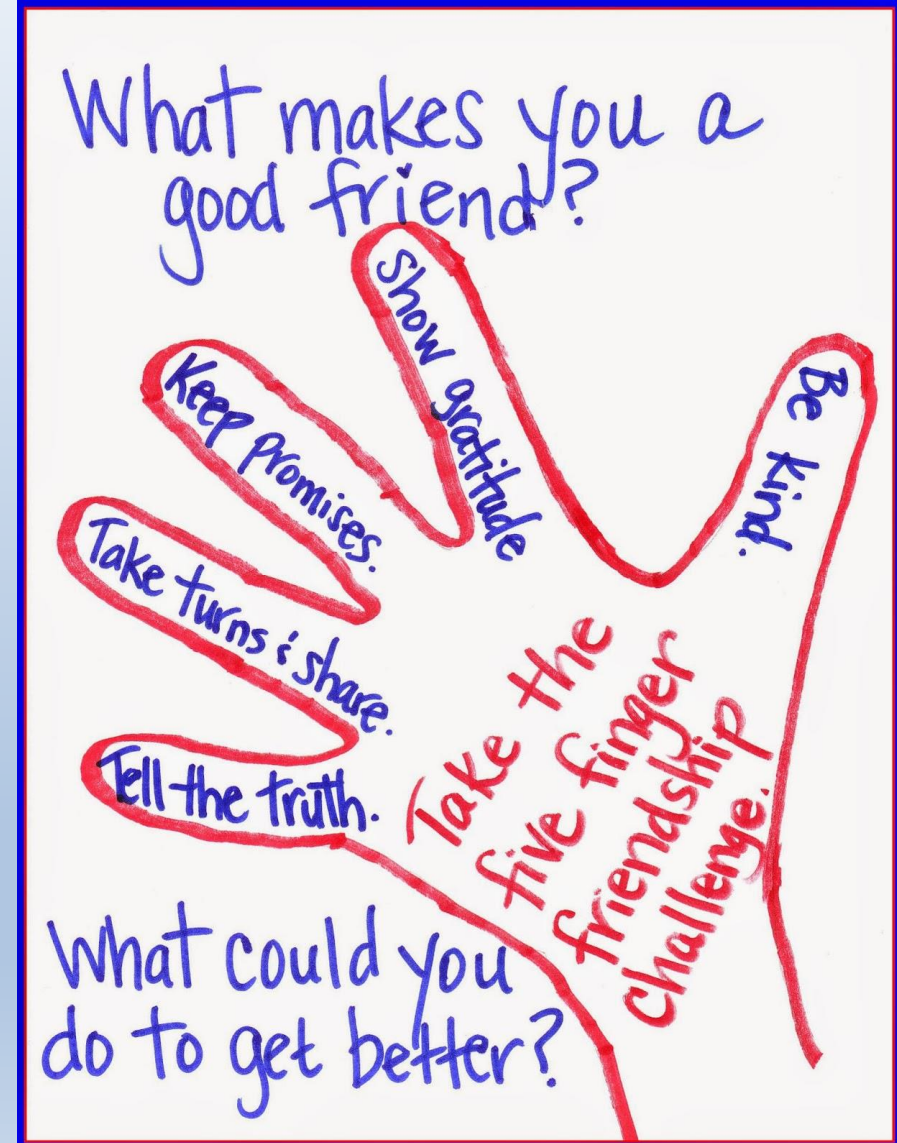
Challenge and Response



Take the Five Finger Friendship Challenge

Remember the Golden rule that Jesus taught his disciples 'Do to others as you would have them do to you'

And remember the lesson that the lighthouse keeper learned- that you can't always do it on your own and it's good to have friends you can depend on



Blowing out the Candles

Peace be with you



And also with you

May the grace of our Lord Jesus
Christ

And the love of God

And the fellowship of the Holy
Spirit

Be with us all, evermore.

Amen