

# Collective Worship Hymn Reflection



Wednesday, 5th March, 2025

Pro Deo et Ecclesia

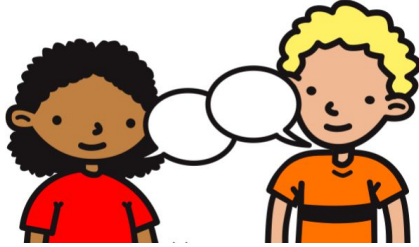


Your  
pardon  
Lord,

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Listen to the hymn and sing along if you would like to.

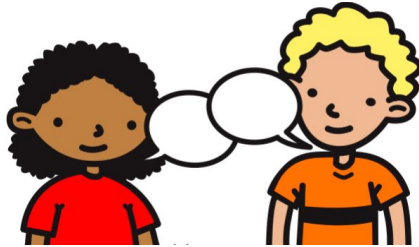


Do you remember who  
wrote the words to  
'Make me a Channel of  
your peace' and when  
he wrote it?

St Francis of Assisi who lived over 800  
years ago!



Make me a channel of your peace,  
Where there is hatred, let me bring your love.  
Where there is injury your pardon, Lord.  
And where there's doubt true faith in you.



Look at the words of the first  
verse.

Can you find three pairs of  
opposites (antonyms)?





Make me a channel of your peace,  
Where there is **hatred**, let me bring your **love**.  
Where there is **injury** your **pardon**, Lord.  
And where there's **doubt** true **faith** in you.

Tricky words!

**Injury** in this song means to hurt to someone's feelings, someone has been upset.

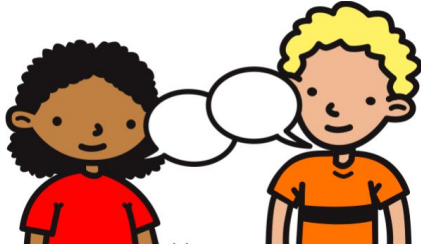


**Pardon** means forgiveness





Make me a channel of your peace,  
Where there is **hatred**, let me bring your **love**.  
Where there is **injury** your **pardon**, Lord.  
And where there's **doubt** true **faith** in you.



How did St Francis bring  
love, pardon (forgiveness) and  
faith to the people around  
him?



St Francis told  
people about God  
and looked after  
the sick (lepers)  
when no-one else  
would.





### Reflection:

Think about the ways you can follow St Francis example and offer love, forgiveness and faith to others.

### Prayer:

Thank God for those who have shown you love and forgiveness and taught you about faith this week.