

CHILDREN'S SUMMER TRAIL

COME AND EXPLORE!



NAME _____

LET'S GET STARTED!

Walk down the **NAVE** (The **LARGE** area). Go and stand under the dome! How do you feel? Isn't it amazing! **Look up...what can you see?**_____

Can you find this pattern on the floor under the dome? It reminds us of a compass.

How many diamond shapes can you count?



Can you see one of these in front of you? It is an **Altar**.



This is a special table where Christians worship and remember Jesus when they share bread and wine together. It happens every day here!

Are there any special objects near the Altar? Is there a coloured cloth (frontal) on it? What colour is it?_____



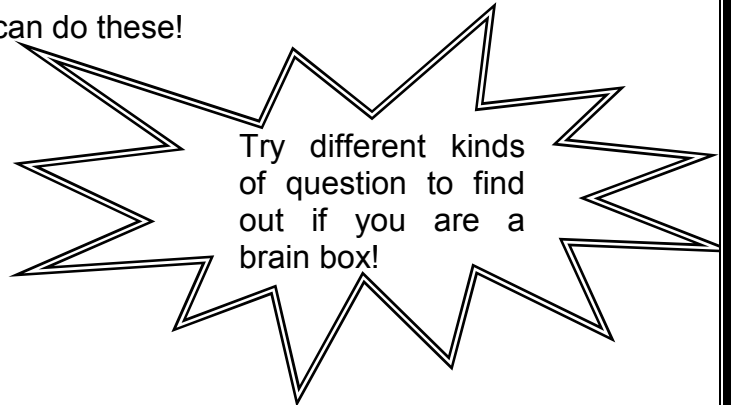
Easy Peasy questions – anyone can do these!



Getting tricky...



Brain box...you are a star!



Try different kinds of question to find out if you are a brain box!

Number Cruncher!

Are you good with numbers? See if you can answer these questions. You'll need to keep your eyes open all the way through your visit!

How many pillars hold up the Dome?
How many stained glass windows are there?



How many angels can you see?
How many crosses can you count?



The first St. Paul's Cathedral was built in 604 AD. How many years ago was that?
The current St. Paul's Cathedral was finished in 1710. How many years ago was that?



Rainbows Inside!



Christians use colours to make the Cathedral beautiful to show God how great and special he is!

Tick the colour when you can see it in the Cathedral:

	Red	
	Blue	
	Pink	
	Green	
	Gold	
	Purple	

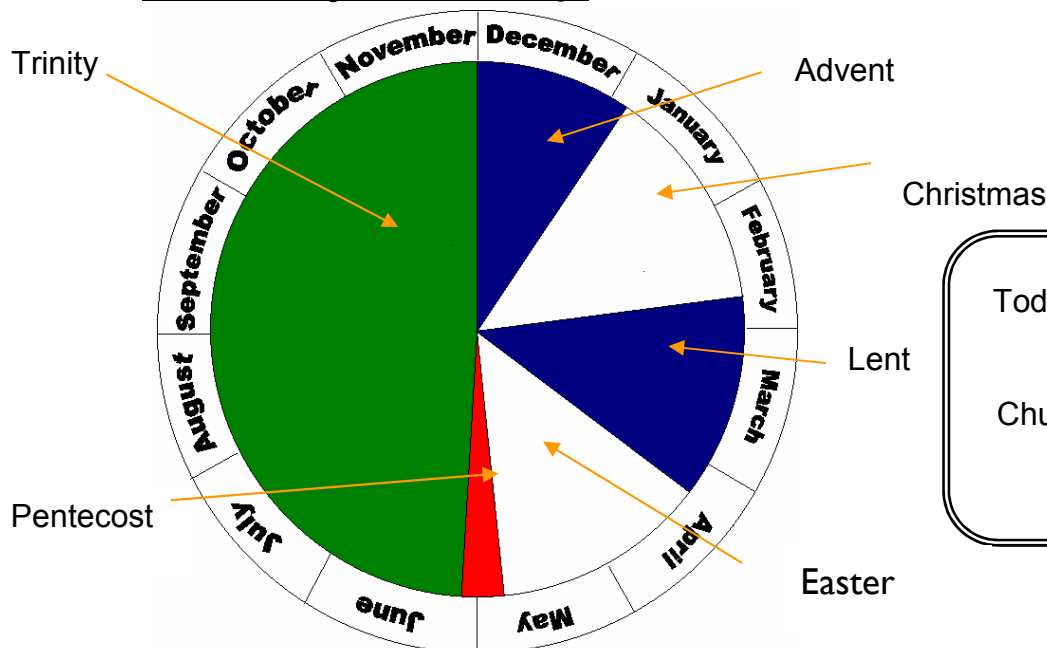
We use different coloured cloths (frontals) on the Altar at different times of year.



What colour is the cloth (frontal) that is on the Altar today?



Use the chart below to work out what season of the Christian year we are in. (Sometimes we have a special day to remember a Saint so the cloth may not be the colour you might expect! **Ask a steward if you need help.**)



Today's Date:

Church season:

Hey, why not go downstairs into the Crypt *underground* now? There are loads of places to explore!

Don't worry, it isn't spooky down there. It is a special place where we remember and give thanks to God for many famous people who have died. Lots of them did brave or special things for Britain during their lives. Have a look around!

Find Horatio Lord Nelson's tomb (the big one in the centre, down the steps after you have entered the Crypt area)..... **what is on the top of it?** _____

Look at the mosaic designs on the floor around the tomb. Draw some of the symbols, objects and animals.

Can you find the Duke of Wellington's tomb?
Walk further down into the middle of the dark Crypt area to find it. Isn't it ENORMOUS?

How many lions are there? _____

What is this tomb made of? _____

Look at the mosaic patterns on the floor.

Carry on walking into the OBE chapel, where services are often held. What can you see?

Wordsearch!

You could sit in the crypt seats to do this, or wait until you get home!

G C H P A G R A N I T E B R R D
R H E I L D Z E B F A G E O I O
E A N L I I S G A L F H A B S N
A L R L O K L E M N P C N E N N
T I Y A N O M G N O P A C C T E
F C M R S O O O T N N T H H P E
I E O S D L D S O Q E H O A Y L
R M O S D N I T R T L E R P R A
E O R V H R G F N Y S D U E C G
O S E O H N P O W R O R X L Y N
F A J C I O D E Z U N A V E L I
A I R L H N B K D S C L L E U T
S C L S O W F U R A G H I H A H
J E I L K R L D O E M Q G T P G
W B N U P E T Q W R W R H A T I
F L O R E N C E S T V X T C S N

Find the following words in the word search. They are all part of the Cathedral in some way.

Anchor	Fire	Light	OBE
Bishop	Flags	Lions	Chapel
Cathedral	Florence	London	Pillars
Chalice	Gold	Moore	St. Paul
Crypt	Granite	Mosaic	Sword
Christopher	Great	Nave	Treasury
Dome	Henry	Nelson	Wellington
Donne	John	Nightingale	Wren



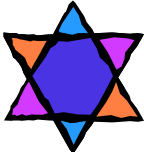


Picture Puzzle!

Find **“The Light of the World”** painting...**you need to go back upstairs into the Cathedral.** It was painted by Sir William Holman Hunt who was a famous Victorian artist. It is in the Nth Transept, on the left hand side of the building. **Look out for the flying BAT! Can you see it?**



Tick the boxes when you've spotted these objects in the painting. Beware...some are odd ones out!

Lantern 	
Crown 	
Telephone 	
Ice Cream 	
Tree 	

Door 	
Sandals 	
Stars 	
Beard 	
Weeds 	

Roman Rampage!

The Romans used letters instead of numbers. Churches then started to use them too. Many dates and numbers in the Cathedral are written in Roman Numerals.

M = 1000	X = 10
D = 500	V = 5
C = 100	I = 1
L = 50	

To work out the date, you need to add the numbers together.

For example,

$$2007 = M + M + V + I + I$$

$$1532 = M + D + X + X + X + I + I$$













Where you see a smaller number in front of a bigger one, you actually take it away.

For example:

$$4 = IV = 5 - 1$$

$$9 = IX = 10 - 1$$

Try these numbers:

 MMX		 CDLIX	
 VIII		 DCIV The date St. Paul's was first built	
 II		 MDCCXXIII The date Wren died	
 XIX		 MDCCX The date St. Paul's was finished	
 CMXX		 MDCLXVI The date of the Great Fire of London	
 MCMVII I		 MCMXXXIX The date WWII started	

Answers !

Number Cruncher

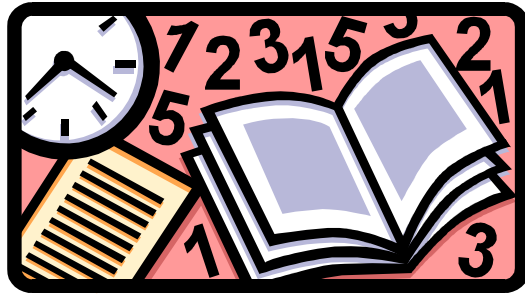
- 8 pillars
- 6 upstairs in the American Memorial Chapel, 6 downstairs in the Crypt
- There are hundreds of angels and crosses!
- St. Paul's was built 1403 years ago
- It was finished 297 years ago

Picture Puzzle

- Lantern
- Crown
- Tree
- Door
- Sandals
- Stars
- Beard
- Weeds

Roman Rampage

MMX	2010	CDLIX	459
VIII	8	DCIV The date St. Paul's was first built	604
II	2	MDCCXXIII The date Wren died	1723
XIX	19	MDCCX The date St. Paul's was finished	1710
CMXX	920	MDCLXVI The date of the Great Fire of London	1666
MCMVIII	1908	MCMXXXIX The date WWII started	1939



The following pages are here for you to draw your own pictures of things you liked in the Cathedral.

Why not write a poem in the box about your visit to St Paul's today?

My Poem about St Paul's Cathedral

A large, empty rectangular box with a black border, intended for writing a poem.