

I Wonder

I wonder statements are part of the 'Godly play' method of teaching. If you've not used it before, don't panic, it's just a way of having conversation. The statements are usually presented immediately after the story, or at a quiet point. You do not have to think about all the "I wonder" statements but it's good to use some.

Remember that silence is an appropriate response to an "I wonder" statement and to allow time for children to wonder with you before answering. If you want to use this as a worksheet then use page 2 of this document - Asking the children to answer the questions they feel they can, or discuss it quietly with a partner.

Feel free to wonder out loud with the children, but resist the impulse to give the "right" answers. We are all in conversation with God and his word: sometimes the answer is the conversation.

I wonder how I am a part of the body of Christ...

I wonder what it feels like to be a part of the body of Christ...

I wonder what part of the body you are...

I wonder how it feels to be a foot or an eye or a finger

I wonder if any parts are missing...

I wonder how our church is like a body...



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Remember that not having an answer is ok, it's only important that you wonder about the answer. if you want to write or draw that's ok, if you want to just talk about it, that's ok too.

There are no "right" answers to the questions. We are all in conversation with what we read in scripture. Sometimes the answer is just the conversation.

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