Year 5 Prayer week beginning: 23<sup>rd</sup> November

Dear God,

Sorry for leaving people out of games, being unfair and mean which will make them feel upset and miserable. We are sorry for the people who get bullied or humiliated.

Thank you for friendships that keep us connected and family that help us be happy. We are grateful that we have trustworthy friends who will make us feel loved and adults, who help us to fix friendship issues, especially teachers, because they help us feel safer when times are dark. Thank you that you created us to be ourselves and to stand up to bullies.

Please help us to think of others and remember: 'Love your neighbour as yourself'. Help us to remember to put yourself in your friend's shoes before you say anything unkind. Let us remember that war and poverty is still going on in the world so give us time to help people by donating food and other items.

Please may everyone get included in every game no matter who they are. Please ensure that all the people are friendly to one another. Can we all try to listen to one another and make sure that no one gets left out? Quite frankly, let us be kind to all people and treat others as we would like to be treated.

Amen.