



Our values

- **Glorify God**

Ripples is run by a team from Christ Church Central. The stories, songs and crafts will have a Christian emphasis as we aim to make the message of *Jesus* and the teaching of the *Bible* accessible, understandable, relevant and available to everyone.

- **Welcome everyone**

The Bible says that children are a 'reward' and a 'heritage' from God (Psalm 127:3), and that people are 'fearfully and wonderfully made' (Psalm 139:14) in His image (Genesis 1:27)

With this in mind, we aim to give a warm welcome to everyone - all children and their parents or carers.

- **Provide a safe and happy environment**

Safety and happiness are important to our sessions - we aim to provide such an environment for the team to work with parents, carers and children. We have a full and up-to-date child protection policy (which is kept in the office and can be viewed on request)

- **Offer friendship**

We offer true friendship to everyone who comes to our group, and aim to create an atmosphere where friendships can be made among our group members.

- **Involve parents and carers**

Parents and carers are essential to the group. We encourage parents and carers to join in with our activities.