The Church believes that the anointing of the sick is one the seven sacraments. It is intended to strengthen those who are ill.

The sacrament of anointing of the sick is given to those who are seriously ill by anointing them on the forehead and hands with duly-blessed oil. During the sacrament, these words are spoken. 'Through this holy anointing may the Lord in his love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up.'

HEALING

Year 6 Topic 8





OUR BIG QUESTION

Who needs healing?



REFLECTION

I have chosen the way of faithfulness;
I set your ordinances before me.
I cling to your decrees,
O Lord; let me not be put to shame.
I run the way of your commandments,
for you enlarge my understanding.
Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes,
and I will observe it to the end.
Give me understanding that I may keep your
law
and observe it with my whole heart.

Amen.

KEY VOCABULARY

care sickness
hospice compassion
Sacrament anointing
Lourdes

SCRIPTURE

Mark 6: 13

Luke 18: 35-43

Luke 10: 30-37

James 5: 14-15