**Activities Forest Messy Church September 20 2020**

**Craft**

**Bunting**

**You will need:**

* Large triangles of paper in autumnal colours

**Method:**

* Paint leaf shapes onto the sheet. Or paint leaves/vegetables and press them onto the paper to make an impression
* Leave to dry
* Once dry, they will, be strung together to make harvest bunting!

**Dragon leaf collage**

**You will need:** to gather leaves, seeds, sticks, conkers etc; paper; glue

**Method:**

* Spend 5 minutes gathering what you can see
* Create a dragon collage as a reminder that St Michael led the angels in the defence of heaven and won, defeating the dragon.



**Charcoal drawing: ADULT SUPERVISION REQUIRED**

**You will need:**

* A fire pit
* Sticks wrapped in foil

**Method:**

* Wrap each stick with foil, ensuring they are completely covered
* Place the sticks into the fire pit as a bundle
* Leave for 20 minutes – they will have stopped flaming and smoking by this stage
* Carefully remove from the fire with tongs and allow them completely to cool
* Have fun drawing on stones, logs and bark or alternatively card in your craft pack

**Bug Hotel**

**You will need:**

* Cardboard tubes; logs; leaves; moss; stones; sticks; grass; egg boxes.

**Method:**

* Find a space if you are leaving it here. If you are taking it home, build it carefully on a container to carry home & place in your garden. At home you could build something bigger and use wood and soil.
* First make a basic structure using materials provided and those found on our sound safari.
* Make lots of gaps for bugs to crawl inside!
* Add leaves, moss, stones; sticks.
* Create lots of levels!

The idea is to provide all sorts of nooks and crannies, crevices, tunnels and cosy beds