

Art Activity: 'This is Love'

1. Watch the youtube link of the song 'This is Love' in which the artist shows the process of drawing a picture of Jesus on the Cross, linking in with the words of the song.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Brfu7LG5iMo&NR=1&feature=fvwp>

2. Explore with your group what they noticed and enjoyed and were interested in as they watched Todd create his art.
3. Explore some of the artist's choices, like the use of black and white and colour.
4. Explore the way the song and video tell the story of Jesus together, more effectively than a completed picture displayed would.
5. Plan an art/music video like this with your group.

Choose a song

Plan the kinds of images that could go with the song.

Develop your art project – perhaps on a wall or a large tarp.

Allow the children to take it in turns videoing each part of the process.

Watch the footage together and make some choices about which bits to use.

Ask your best movie editor (this is probably a 12 year old) to edit the process together and add the song.

