

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

SUBJECT VISION AND DRIVERS

Subject Aims

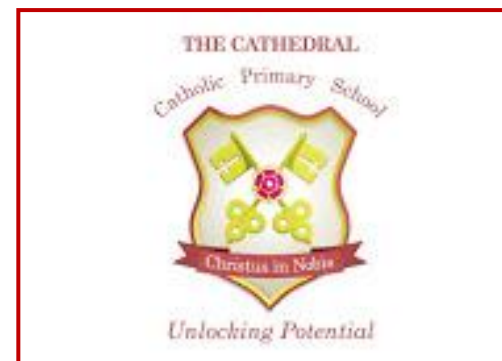
At The Cathedral Catholic Primary School we want all of our children to:

- grow in understanding of who God is for us as a Catholic community;
- grow in knowledge and understanding of Jesus' life and teachings;
- gain a deeper knowledge and understanding of the Catholic tradition and the liturgy of the Church;
- recognise and appreciate the spiritual and religious dimensions of life through feelings of awe, wonder, delight and joy;
- examine their own religious feelings, views and responses;
- experience prayer and liturgy that builds on their learning in RE and reflects the Catholic tradition;
- develop understanding and respect for beliefs of other World Faiths.

Subject Vision

RE teaching at The Cathedral Primary School, will be enriching, a subject at the heart of life, which all children should enjoy. As a Catholic school, we offer religious education as an important contribution to faith development of pupils. It may also be received by some pupils as evangelisation or catechesis.

Lessons will be lively, engaging and carefully planned, incorporating a variety of pedagogical approaches that ignite children's imaginations and clearly direct learning. The pitch and pace of lessons will be well matched to the needs and learning styles of individuals to ensure high expectations are met and progress is accelerated. Children will work broadly in line with age-related expectations and make at least expected progress.



Community	Possibilities	Spirituality
<p>Links will be made with other Catholic Primary and Secondary schools to enrich the RE curriculum at The Cathedral Catholic Primary School. Links will also be made with charities (local and Global) such as CAFOD and visitors such as Father Stephen, Father John-Paul, our local CAFOD volunteer, NISCU and others.</p>	<p>Children will learn about the important role that RE plays in our lives and how Christ is at the heart of all we do. They will be equipped with the knowledge and understanding of how Catholic faith shapes a believer's life and informs their decisions.</p>	<p>The children will develop and apply skills in reflection and thinking through regular opportunities to take part in a variety of Liturgies. Children will develop their sense of awe and wonder through times of reflecting on learning and prayer. Children will also learn about the rhythm of the liturgical seasons of the Church's year and how this impacts on our prayer life in school and in the Parish.</p>

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

EYFS	Key Stage One	Lower Key Stage Two	Upper Key Stage Two
<p>The principal focus of RE at EFYS is for children to come to know that God loves each one always and at all times and that Jesus is God the Father's Son. They will hear the story of Christmas and Easter and hear about the good news of Pentecost. Children will experience and learn the sign of the cross. They will know that they are special within their family, the Church and the community. They will come to know that Mary is the Mother of Jesus and experience that a Church is a special place where God's people gather to pray. Children will start to learn about signs and symbols used in worship, including in Sacraments, e.g. Baptism. They will come to know that Sunday is a special day for the Church family who come together to celebrate. They will experience and recognise prayer is talking and listening to God and experience liturgical celebrations in a variety of simple settings. They will be able to join in simple prayers and hymns. Children learn to respect each other and adults. They will learn to take responsibility for choices and actions and learn to say 'sorry'.</p>	<p>The principal focus of RE at Key Stage 1 is to learn about religion and learn from religion. Children will learn to recognise and retell some stories from the Bible, stories about Jesus and special people. They will recognise some religious pictures, signs and actions and begin to use correct words to describe these. Children will use some religious words when discussing RE topics. They will recognise and know that people do things because they follow Jesus. Children will begin to be able to describe what people do because of their religion and will describe different roles of people in the Church. Children will talk about what has happened and how they feel. They will ask and respond to questions about their own and others' feelings and experiences. Children will learn to say what they wonder about and begin to ask questions about what they wonder about. Children will learn that sometimes it is difficult to answer their questions.</p>	<p>The principal focus of RE at Lower Key Stage 2 is to build on Key Stage One and learn about religion and learn from religion. Children will retell stories from the Bible or about key figures in the history of the People of God. They will make links between Bible stories and what people believe. They will use the correct words to describe some religious actions and symbols and learn to say why religious actions and symbols are used. Children will be able to describe what people do because of their religion and will learn about the religious symbols and steps involved in religious actions and worship, including the celebration of the Sacraments. Children will learn to ask and respond to questions about their own and others' feelings and experiences. They will make links to show how feelings and beliefs affect their behaviour and that of others. In lower Key Stage 2, children will also start to analyse and evaluate information, expressing points of view and using sources to support their point of view.</p>	<p>The principal focus of RE at Upper Key Stage Two is to build on Lower Key Stage Two, learning about religion, learning from religion and using analysis and evaluation of information. Children will show knowledge and understanding of a range of scripture passages and explain how these link to religious beliefs. They will develop in knowledge of the life and work of key figures in the people of God and be able to explain what it means to belong to a Church community. Children will use religious vocabulary to show understanding of religious symbols and steps involved in religious actions and worship, including the Sacraments. Children will show that they understand how believing in God shapes the way people live. They will show understanding of how own and other's decisions are informed by beliefs and moral values and they will compare their own and other people's responses to questions of meaning. Children will develop their ability to express a point of view and give reasons for it, including using sources to support a point of view. They will recognise difference and compare and contrast different points of view.</p>

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION WHOLE SCHOOL OVERVIEW 2021-22



	AUTUMN				SPRING			SUMMER		
	Our Church CARITAS 1 CARITAS 2	Baptism/ confirmation belonging	ISLAM FORTNIGHT	Advent/ Christmas loving	Local church community	Eucharist relating	Lent/Easter giving	Pentecost serving	Reconciliation Inter-relating	Universal Church world
RECEPTION	God knows and loves each one of us Creation	Welcome Baptism; a welcome to God's family		Birthday Looking forward to Jesus' birthday	Celebrating People celebrate in Church	Gathering The parish family gathers to celebrate Eucharist	Growing Looking forward to Easter	Good News Passing on the Good News of Jesus	Friends Friends of Jesus	Our world God's wonderful world
YEAR 1	Our Church We are amazing Creation	Belonging Baptism an invitation to belong to God's family	Muhammad	Waiting Advent a time to look forward to Christmas	Special people People in the parish family	Meals Mass; Jesus' special meal	Change Lent a time for change	Holidays & holydays Pentecost: feast of the Holy Spirit	Being sorry God helps us to choose well Sacrament of Reconciliation	Neighbours Neighbours share God's world
YEAR 2	Our Church Loving each other Creation	Signs & symbols Signs & symbols in Baptism	Prayer & the Qur'an	Preparations Advent; preparing to celebrate Christmas	Books The books used in Church	Thanksgiving Mass a special time for saying thank you to God for everything	Opportunities Lent; an opportunity to start anew in order to celebrate Jesus' new life	Spread the word Pentecost a time to spread the Good News	Rules Reasons for rules in the Christian family Sacrament of Reconciliation	Treasures God's treasure; the world
YEAR 3	Our Church Equal & Loved Creation	Promises Promises made at Baptism	The Mosque	Visitors Advent: waiting for the coming of Jesus	Journeys Christian family's journey with Jesus	Listening & sharing Jesus gives himself to us in a special way	Giving all Lent a time to remember Jesus' total giving	Energy Gifts of the Holy Spirit	Choices The importance of examination of conscience Sacrament of Reconciliation	Special places Holy places for Jesus & the Christian
YEAR 4	Our Church Using our gifts Creation	Called Confirmation: a call to witness	Learning from the Qur'an	Gift God's gift of love & friendship in Jesus	Community Local Christian community: ministries in the parish	Giving & receiving Living in communion	Self discipline Celebrating growth to new life	New life To hear & live the Easter message	Building bridges Admitting wrong, reconciled with God and each other Reconciliation	God's people Different saints show people what God is like
YEAR 5	Our Church Everyone Matters Creation	Life choices Marriage commitment and service	Ramadan Eid-ul-Fitr	Hope Advent; waiting in joyful hope for Jesus; the promised one	Mission Continuing Jesus' mission in diocese [ecumenism]	Memorial sacrifice The Eucharist the living memorial of Jesus' sacrifice	Sacrifice Lent - aligning with the sacrifice already made by Jesus	Transformation Celebration of the Spirit's transforming power	Freedom & responsibility Commandments enable Christians to be free & responsible	Stewardship The Church is called to the stewardship of Creation
YEAR 6	Our Church People over Possessions Creation	Vocation & commitment The vocation of priesthood and religious life	The Five Pillars of Islam	Expectations Jesus born to show God to the world	Sources The Bible, the special book for the Church	Unity Eucharist enables people to live in communion.	Death & new life Celebrating Jesus' death & resurrection	Witnesses The Holy Spirit enables people to become witnesses	Healing Sacrament of the Sick	Common good Work of the worldwide Christian family

THE CATHEDRAL CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
RECEPTION CLASS RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn			Spring			Summer		
Whole School topics	Domestic Church	Baptism/Confirmation	Advent/Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Topics	God knows and loves each one of us Creation	Welcome	Birthday	Celebrating	Gathering	Growing	Good News	Friends	Our World
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	Come to know that God loves each one always and at all times. Know that they are special within their family and the community. Experience and recognise prayer is talking and listening to God.	Come to know that God loves each one always and at all times. Experience and become familiar with the sign of the cross. Know that they are special within their family and the community. Experience that a church is a special place where God's People gather to pray. Experience liturgical celebrations in a variety of simple settings. Ways in which a Christian family and parish share and celebrate life, and show care for one another.	Come to know Jesus is God the Father's Son. Hear the story of Christmas. Come to know that Mary is the Mother of Jesus. Be able to join in simple prayers and hymns.	Come to know that Mary is the Mother of Jesus. Experience that a church is a special place where God's People gather to pray. Come to know that Sunday is a special day for the church family who come together to celebrate. Experience praying with others as a celebration. Experience liturgical celebrations in a variety of simple settings. Ways in which a Christian family and parish share and celebrate life, and show care for one another.	Experience and come to know that Jesus tells us about God his Father. Experience that a church is a special place where God's People gather to pray. Come to know that Sunday is a special day for the church family who come together to celebrate. Experience and recognise prayer is talking and listening to God. Experience praying with others as a celebration. Experience liturgical celebrations in a variety of simple settings. Be able to join in simple prayers and hymns. Ways in which a Christian family and parish share and celebrate life, and show care for one another.	Hear the story of Easter. Experience and become familiar with the sign of the cross. Come to know that Mary is the Mother of Jesus. Respect each other, respect adults. Learn to take responsibility for choices and actions. Form, and experience good relationships with peers and with adults in the school community.	Experience and come to know that Jesus tells us about God his Father. Hear about the Good News of Pentecost. Ways in which a Christian family and parish share and celebrate life, and show care for one another.	Come to know that God loves each one always and at all times. Experience and come to know that Jesus tells us about God his Father. Experience and recognise prayer is talking and listening to God. Be able to join in simple prayers and hymns. Learn to take responsibility for choices and actions. Learn to say 'sorry'. Form, and experience good relationships with peers and with adults in the school community.	Begin to hear about God's wonderful world.
Enrichment	Harvest Celebration	Whole school Baptism celebration	Nativity play	Visit to the Cathedral	Ash Wednesday Mass	Easter Reflection led by KS2			
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration	Whole School Mass – All Saints War Memorial Visit End of term Mass Nativity play Carol Service	Whole School Mass Baptism Celebration Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass	Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross	Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary	Whole School Mass Eucharistic Procession Eucharistic Adoration			
Parish links	Harvest distribution	Sunday Mass for Christ the King	Link to Parish on Ask Wednesday	Sunday Mass during Lent Invite Parish to Lent reflection	Invite Parish to May Procession	Sunday Mass – End of Year			
Faith in action	Harvest Visit from Sister Anthony to explain the work of Nazareth House Make a postcard for a resident.	Visit Nazareth House and perform rhymes and Christmas hymns. Nativity Play Mission Together Collection	Renewing our Baptism Learn about A Day in the Life of Musa Learn to play Kit Kat	CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations Taking Easter greeting messages/ cards to residents during Holy week	SVP collection	Fathers' Day celebrations Refugee Week			

YEAR 1 RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn				Spring			Summer		
Whole School topics	Domestic Church	Baptism/ Confirmation	World Faiths	Advent/Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Year One Topics	Our Church We are amazing Creation	Belonging	Islam	Waiting	Special People	Meals	Changes	Holidays & Holy Days	Being sorry	Neighbours
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	Relationships of love (eg parent and child) and love received and given (eg sharing). Their human qualities and gifts and those of others. Scripture passages which reveal God's love. Come to know that God loves each one always and at all times. Roles in the communities to which they belong (eg children, parents, parishioners, priest, bishop, Pope)	Ways in which Jesus invited men and women to friendship and discipleship. Experience and become familiar with the sign of the cross. The Church as a 'house of God' where God's people gather with Jesus. Jesus' prayer to his Father. The main rites and symbols of Baptism and Confirmation.	Self-esteem and respect for others	Hear the story of Christmas. The role of Mary and her 'yes' to God's word. Some ways the Church celebrates major seasons of the liturgical year – Christmas. Come to know Jesus is God the Father's Son.	Relationships they have in the family, at school, in the parish, neighbourhood, world. Roles in the communities to which they belong (eg children, parents, parishioners, priest, bishop, Pope) The Church as a 'house of God' where God's people gather with Jesus. The Church's celebration of Sunday as a special day. The role of the priest in the service and love of God's family.	The Church as a 'house of God' where God's people gather with Jesus. The Church's celebration of Sunday as a special day. Some ways the Church celebrates major seasons of the liturgical year. The role of the priest in the service and love of God's family. Jesus' prayer to his Father. Ways in which people pray in Church.	Hear the story of Easter. Some ways the Church celebrates major seasons of the liturgical year. The way Jesus proclaimed the Good News in what he said and did. Scripture passages which reveal God's love (eg psalms of thanks, trust, calls for help). The love shown to them and how to show love to others.	Hear about the Good news of Pentecost. Some ways the Church celebrates major seasons of the liturgical year. Opportunities today to live and share life following the example of Jesus.	The need to say sorry and ask for forgiveness. Scripture passages which reveal God's love (eg psalms of thanks, trust, calls for help). Responses that are not loving and failures to show love and care. The love shown to them and how to show love to others. Ways in which they are free to choose. Self-esteem and respect for others. Relationships of love (eg parent and child) and love received and given (eg sharing). Experience and come to know that Jesus tells us about God his Father.	Roles in the communities to which they belong (eg children, parents, parishioners, priest, bishop, Pope) Relationships they have in the family, at school, in the parish, neighbourhood, world. 'Neighbours' and Jesus' call to 'love your neighbour as yourself'.
Enrichment	Priest to visit	Baptism celebration Visit the Cathedral to see the font and meet the priest to discuss signs and symbols.	Visitor to support learning about Islam	Nativity play		Whole school Mass	Niscu-Jesus changes lives CAFOD assembly Easter Reflection		NISCU visitor	Visit from a parishioner RE week
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration		Whole School Mass – All Saints Baptism celebration Advent Mass Nativity play Carol Service		Whole School Mass Learning about the Mass (KS2) Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass	Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross	Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary	Whole School Mass Eucharistic Adoration		
Parish links	Harvest distribution		Sunday Mass for Christ the King		Link to Parish on Ask Wednesday	Sunday Mass for Palm Sunday	Invite Parish to May Procession	Sunday Mass – End of Year		
Faith in action	Harvest		Nativity Play Mission Together Collection		Aid to the Church in Need collection	CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations	SVP collection	Fathers' Day celebrations Refugee Week		

YEAR 2 RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn				Spring			Summer		
	Domestic Church	Baptism/ Confirmation	World Faiths	Advent/Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Whole School topics										
Year Two Topics	Our Church Loving each other Creation	Signs and Symbols	Islam	Preparations	Books	Thanksgiving	Opportunities	Spread the Word	Rules	Treasures
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	The 'Church' as the People of God made one by Jesus, a community which shares love and life. Scriptural praise of God in creation and the story of creation as God's work. Signs of God's care and blessings: in creation, in Scripture and in human life. Prayers from Scripture and tradition.	Experience and become familiar with the sign of the cross. The 'Church' as the People of God made one by Jesus, a community which shares love and life. Signs and symbols used by the Church.	Similarity, equality and difference How Muslim people live their faith.	Scriptural imagery which speaks of God; stories of significant people in the Old and New Testament (Jesus' birth). The main events, characters and places in the life of Jesus: Nativity.	Scriptural imagery which speaks of God; stories of significant people in the Old and New Testament. Ways of belonging to the community. The 'Church' as the People of God made one by Jesus, a community which shares love and life. The Church buildings and furnishings and how people show respect and reverence in church. Ways of belonging to the community.	Ways of belonging to the community. Signs and symbols used by the Church. The story of the Last Supper. The main aspects of the Eucharistic celebration and prayers used at the Eucharist. The Good News of God's love and forgiveness in Old and New Testament and the prayers of the Mass. Celebrations in the life of Jesus. The Church buildings and furnishings and how people show respect and reverence in church.	Palm Sunday, the Last Supper, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. The 'Church' as the People of God made one by Jesus, a community which shares love and life. The way Jesus proclaimed the Good News in what he did and said. The story of the Last Supper.	The story of the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. God's call to key figures in the history of the People of God, past and present; and saints/founders. The way Jesus gathered and formed a community of disciples and the life they shared. How people who heard the Good News of Jesus began to share a way of life. The Holy spirit as the Helper Jesus promised his Church. The words of Jesus which speak of his Father's love.	Gospel accounts of how Jesus gave individuals the chance to change. Ways in which Jesus showed love and care. Ways in which Jesus showed love and respect for others. Scripture passages which illustrate freedom and responsibility in the choices people made. Jesus' commandment 'love one another as I have loved you'.	Scriptural praise of God in creation and the story of creation as God's work. Signs of God's care and blessings: in creation, in Scripture and in human life. Jesus' commandment 'love one another as I have loved you'. Similarity, equality and difference.
Enrichment	Visit from the Parish Priests Natural world task Local area walk - appreciation of creation	Visit Cathedral - priest to show us signs and symbols Whole school Baptism celebration	Visitor to support learning	Nativity Play	Church Visit	Learning about the Mass led by Fr John-Paul + Y6	Easter Reflection		NISCU - How - Jesus changes lives	
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration		Whole School Mass – All Saints Baptism celebration Advent Mass Nativity play Carol Service		Whole School Mass Learning about the Mass (KS2) Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass	Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross		Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary	Whole School Mass Eucharistic Adoration	
Parish links	Harvest distribution		Sunday Mass for Christ the King		Link to Parish on Ask Wednesday	Sunday Mass during Lent		Invite Parish to May Procession	Sunday Mass – End of Year	
Faith in action	Harvest		Nativity Play Mission Together Collection		Aid to the Church in Need collection	CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations		SVP collection	Refugee Week ACN collection	

YEAR 3 RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn				Spring			Summer		
Whole School topics	Domestic Church	Baptism/ Confirmation	World Faith	Advent/ Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Year Three Topics	Our Church Equal & Loved Creation	Promises	Islam	Visitors	Journeys	Listening and Sharing	Giving all	Energy	Choices	Special Places
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	Ways in which people of today can hear and respond to God's call. Prayer in the life of Jesus. The values of sharing, showing respect and care for others. Responses to creation [e.g. in prayer, art, music etc.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: baptism. Ways in which people of today can hear and respond to God's call. Celebrations which mark significant events in people's lives. Signs and symbols and their significance in liturgy.	The value of sharing, showing respect and care for others.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: nativity. The role of Mary as Mother of Jesus, as the first disciple and Mother of the Church. The Church's celebrations of significant events in the life of Jesus.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: presentation. The role of Mary as Mother of Jesus, as the first disciple and Mother of the Church. Celebrations which mark significant events in people's lives. Community prayer.	Signs and symbols and their significance in liturgy. Words and images Jesus used to express communion (e.g. I am the vine and you are the branches). The significance of the Church's names for this Sacrament the Mass, Eucharist, the Lord's Supper, the Breaking of Bread (see Y4+5 Eucharist resources).	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: temptations, passion, death, resurrection. Gospel accounts which show the love and complete self-giving of Jesus. The ways Jesus proclaimed Good News to everyone he met and the variety of responses made.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: ascension. The Gospel accounts of the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost and the transformation of the disciples. How the school community has opportunities to be 'good news' for others.	The joys and challenges that freedom and responsibility bring. Conscience as a gift to be developed through the practice of examination of conscience. Sin as a failure of love and the love and mercy of God which calls people to sorrow and forgiveness. The values of sharing, showing respect and care for others.	Responses to creation (e.g. in prayer, art, music etc.). Ways in which people of today can hear and respond to God's call.
Enrichment	Visit from the Parish Priests	Role play Baptism Whole school Baptism celebration	Visit to a local Mosque	Carol Service	NISCU visit	Learning about the Mass with Fr John-Paul	CAFOD assembly Easter Reflection		NISCU – Jesus changes lives	
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration	Whole School Mass – All Saints Baptism celebration Advent Mass Nativity play Carol Service			Whole School Mass Learning about the Mass (KS2) Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass	Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross	Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary	Whole School Mass Eucharistic Adoration		
Parish links	Harvest distribution	Sunday Mass for Christ the King			Link to Parish on Ask Wednesday	Sunday Mass during Lent Invite Parish to Lent reflection	Invite Parish to May Procession	Sunday Mass – End of Year		
Faith in action	Harvest	Nativity Play Mission Together Collection			Aid to the Church in Need collection	CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations	SVP collection	Fathers' Day celebrations Refugee Week Aid to the Church in Need collection		

YEAR 4 RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn				Spring			Summer		
Whole School topics	Domestic Church	Baptism/Confirmation	World Faiths	Advent/Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Year Four Topics	Our Church Gifts Creation	Called	Islam	Gift	Community	Giving and receiving	Self- discipline	New life	Building bridges	God's people
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	How the local church is 'good news' for people and how everyone can have a part in this. Key images of the Church used in Scripture and Tradition; the implications of this imagery for community life.	How Jesus called people to follow him. How the local church is 'good news' for people and how everyone can have a part in this. Elements of sacramental celebrations (e.g. blessing, exchanging greetings, praise). The rites of Baptism and Confirmation and the response they invite.	Similarity, equality and difference	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: nativity, presentation, finding in the Temple, baptism. The Church's celebrations of significant events in the life of Jesus.	How Jesus called people to follow him. Sunday as a significant day in the life of the local Church. Sunday as the Lord's day.	Sunday as a significant day in the life of the local Church. The Bible Elements of sacramental celebrations (e.g. blessing, exchanging greetings, praise). The prayer Jesus taught his friends (Our Father) and its significance.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: temptations, passion, death, resurrection and ascension. The Church's celebrations of significant events in the life of Jesus. Elements of sacramental celebrations (e.g. blessing, exchanging greetings, praise). The suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus as a sign of love, sacrifice and the source of new life.	How Jesus called people to follow him. The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: temptations, passion, death, resurrection and ascension. The story of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. The Church's celebrations of significant events in the life of Jesus.	Key images of the Church used in Scripture and Tradition; the implications of this imagery for community life. The practice of examination of conscience and its significance for Christian living. The rite of Reconciliation and its significance. Conscience as a gift to be developed through the practice of examination of conscience. Taking responsibility for themselves and towards others.	The life of the Church in other parts of the world (e.g. customs and traditions, universal saints).
Enrichment	Visit from Fr Steve and Fr John-Paul	Baptism Celebration	Visit to a Mosque or visitor	NISCU visit	Visit from a parishioner involved in the parish	Learning about the Mass with Fr John-Paul	CAFOD visitor Easter Reflection			
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration		Whole School Mass – All Saints Baptism celebration Advent Mass Nativity play Carol Service		Whole School Mass Learning about the Mass (KS2) Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass		Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross	Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary		Whole School Mass Eucharistic Adoration
Parish links	Harvest distribution		Sunday Mass for Christ the King		Link to Parish on Ask Wednesday		Sunday Mass during Lent Invite Parish to Lent reflection	Invite Parish to May Procession		Sunday Mass – End of Year
Faith in action	Harvest		Nativity Play Mission Together Collection		Aid to the Church in Need collection		CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations	SVP collection		Fathers' Day celebrations Refugee Week Aid to the Church in Need collection

YEAR 5 RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn				Spring			Summer		
Whole School topics	Domestic Church	Baptism/ Confirmation	World Faith	Advent/ Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Year Five Topics	Our Church Everyone Matters Creation	Life choices	Islam	Hope	Mission	Memorial sacrifice	Sacrifice	Transformation	Freedom and responsibility	Stewardship
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	The joy and challenge of and the giving and receiving in relationships. Being 'Church' in the parish, diocese and universal Church. Human gifts and qualities and the physical world as gifts and signs of God's love; how such gifts may be used, neglected or abused. Care for and misuse of God's creation.	Some ways people enter into the communion of the Church. The joy and challenge of and the giving and receiving in relationships. The motives and emotions which influence choices.	The importance of care for others in the Muslim faith. Respect for celebrations of the Islam faith and appreciation that prayer has a place for their followers	God's call to people in the Old Testament. The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: nativity	Ways of taking part in the life and worship of the domestic and local church (e.g. celebrating Eucharist, prayer for others, parish activities). Being Church' in the parish, diocese and universal Church. Some ways people enter into the communion of the Church.	God's call to people in the Old Testament – Moses. The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: The Last Supper. Ways of taking part in the life and worship of the domestic and local church (e.g. celebrating Eucharist, prayer for others, parish activities). Some ways people enter into the communion of the Church. The joy and challenge of and the giving and receiving in relationships- sacrifice.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: temptations, passion, death, resurrection. The joy and challenge of and the giving and receiving in relationships – sacrifice.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: temptations, passion, death, resurrection and ascension. The Gospel accounts of the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost and the transformation of the disciples.	God's call to people in the Old Testament. Their freedom to choose and responsibility to choose the good. The Gospel message that Jesus brings fullness of life for all people: the Beatitudes. Similarity, equality and difference. Human gifts and qualities and the physical world as gifts and signs of God's love; how such gifts may be used, neglected or abused. The motives and emotions which influence choices.	To being Church' in the parish, diocese and universal Church. Their freedom to choose and responsibility to choose the good. Human gifts and qualities and the physical world as gifts and signs of God's love; how such gifts may be used, neglected or abused.
Enrichment	Visit from Parish Priests	Whole school Baptism celebration	Visitor to support learning	Nativity Play Christmas Carol Service	NISCU visit	Learning About the Mass – led by Fr John-Paul and Y6	CAFOD visitor Easter reflection			
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration	Whole School Mass – All Saints Baptism celebration Advent Mass Nativity play Carol Service			Whole School Mass Learning about the Mass (KS2) Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass	Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross		Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary	Whole School Mass Eucharistic Adoration	
Parish links	Harvest distribution	Sunday Mass for Christ the King			Link to Parish on Ask Wednesday	Sunday Mass during Lent Invite Parish to Lent reflection		Invite Parish to May Procession	Sunday Mass – End of Year	
Faith in action	Harvest	Nativity Play Mission Together Collection			Aid to the Church in Need collection	CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations		SVP collection	Fathers' Day celebrations Refugee Week Aid to the Church in Need collection	

YEAR 6 RE OVERVIEW

Term	Autumn				Spring			Summer		
Whole School topics	Domestic Church	Baptism/ Confirmation	World Faith	Advent/ Christmas	Local Church	Eucharist	Lent/Easter	Pentecost	Reconciliation	Universal Church
Year Six Topics	Our Church People over Possessions Creation	Vocation and commitment	Islam	Expectations	Sources	Unity	Death and new life	Witnesses	Healing	Common Good
Curriculum objectives directed by Lancaster diocese	Ways in which love and commitment are important in human life. Ways love of neighbour can be shown at home, at church, locally and globally. The Christian values which inform love of neighbour and oneself. The diversity and richness of creation.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: nativity, presentation, finding in the Temple, baptism. God's call to individuals and their different responses. The cost of discipleship. Ways in which love and commitment are important in human life. Be able to name the Sacraments of Holy Orders and Matrimony and to explain their significance in their own words.	Respect for community values and life of other cultures and other religious communities.	Key imagery that speaks of God in the Old Testament and the Gospels. The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: nativity.	The Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: nativity, presentation, finding in the Temple, baptism. The Gospel accounts of Jesus' public ministry and teaching. The teaching role of the apostles (e.g. through New Testament letters).	The cost of discipleship. Ways of taking part in the life and worship of the domestic and local church (e.g. celebrating Eucharist, prayer for others, parish activities). The structure of the Eucharist. Ways love of neighbour can be shown at home, at church, locally and globally. The Christian values which inform love of neighbour and oneself.	Key imagery that speaks of God in the Old Testament and the Gospels. The Gospel accounts of Jesus' public ministry and teaching. The cost of discipleship. Ways of taking part in the life and worship of the domestic and local church (e.g. celebrating Eucharist, prayer for others, parish activities).	The Gospel accounts of the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost and the transformation of the disciples. The Gospel accounts of how the lives of men and women were changed by their encounters with Jesus. God's call to individuals and their different responses. The gifts of the Holy Spirit which are given to individuals and groups for the service of the whole community. The cost of discipleship. The life and growth of the first Christian communities (e.g. Paul, Stephen). The teaching role of the apostles (e.g. through New Testament letters).	The Gospel accounts of Jesus' public ministry and teaching. The Gospel accounts of how the lives of men and women were changed by their encounters with Jesus. Jesus' attitudes to sinners and his teaching about sorrow and forgiveness. The Sacrament of the Sick. Ways in which love and commitment are important in human life. The Christian values which inform love of neighbour and oneself.	Key imagery that speaks of God in the Old Testament and the Gospels. To being Church' in the parish, diocese and universal Church. The value and challenge of differences between individuals and peoples. Respect for community values and life of other cultures and other religious communities. Ways love of neighbour can be shown at home, at church, locally and globally. The Christian values which inform love of neighbour and oneself.
Enrichment	Visit from the Parish Priests	Cathedral visit to discuss signs and symbols of Ordination	Visitor to support learning	Christmas Carol Service		Learning about the Mass led by Fr John-Paul and Y6	Easter Reflection			CAFOD visitor
Additional Prayer and liturgy links	Whole School Mass Rosary for 1million children. Harvest Celebration		Whole School Mass – All Saints Baptism celebration Advent Mass Nativity play Carol Service		Whole School Mass Learning about the Mass (KS2) Ash Wednesday liturgy / Mass		Lent reflection – Stations of the Cross	Whole School Mass May Procession Rosary		Whole School Mass Eucharistic Adoration
Parish links	Harvest distribution		Sunday Mass for Christ the King		Link to Parish on Ash Wednesday		Sunday Mass during Lent Invite Parish to Lent reflection	Invite Parish to May Procession		Sunday Mass – End of Year
Faith in action	Harvest		Nativity Play Mission Together Collection		Aid to the Church in Need collection		CAFOD collection Mothers' Day celebrations	SVP collection		Fathers' Day celebrations Refugee Week Aid to the Church in Need collection