



Topic: Christianity (Jesus)

Key Question: What do we mean by a miracle?

Spring 2 Year 5



The Miracles of Jesus

Christians believe that Jesus conducted many miracles whilst alive. They believe that these miracles showed the compassion Jesus had for his people.

The miracle	What happened?	Where can I find the story?
Feeding of the 5000	Using only five loaves of bread and two fish, Jesus fed thousands of people. The disciples also managed to collect twelve basketfuls of leftovers.	Matthew 14: 13-21
Jesus Walks on Water	The disciples were on a boat struggling to row against the wind. Jesus walked, across the water, to meet them. The disciples couldn't believe what they were seeing. Jesus encouraged Peter to walk across the water to meet him.	Matthew 14: 22-23
Jesus heals a blind man	Jesus saw a blind man begging on the side of the street. He spit on the ground, made mud with the saliva and rubbed it on the mans eyes. When the man washed, he was able to see!	John 9: 1-12

Miracles demonstrate that Jesus is divine as Christians believe these actions are Godly. It is believed that Jesus can perform miracles because he is God come down to earth. However, he also lives half his life as a human.



Vocabulary you will know...



Miracle	A remarkable event that brings positive consequences.
Divine	The same as God or from God.
Pilgrimage	A journey to a place of religious



Vocabulary you will hear...



Compassion,



Christians believe that the ultimate miracle of Jesus was his resurrection.

The ability to rise from the dead three days after being crucified is proof that he was divine as only God has power over life and death.



Some Christians choose to go on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. This is where Jesus is believed to have been born and lived.

Pilgrimage is not compulsory in Christianity but many choose to do it to feel more connected to the worldwide community of Christians.

Pilgrimage

Some people go on a pilgrimage when they are looking for a miracle. The pilgrimage can help them overcome something in their life that is difficult.

