

Religious Education Knowledge Organiser

Topic: Christianity (God)

Key Question: How and why might Christians use the Bible?

Autumn 2 Willow Class

Vocabulary you will learn:

Gospel	One of the four New Testament books that tells about Jesus' life and teachings
Parable	A story that teaches a lesson, often told by Jesus.
Faith	A person's religious beliefs and trust in God.
Sacred	Something regarded as holy or deeply important to a religion.
Guidance	The direction and wisdom provided by divine beings or spiritual leaders
Scripture	The sacred writings of Christianity contained in the Bible

Key facts about Christianity:

Holy book: The Bible

Place of Worship: Church

Belief: Christians believe in a single, all-powerful God who is the creator of the universe. This God is all-powerful, all-knowing, and present everywhere.

Special Days: Christmas, Easter, Pentecost, Lent, Saints Days.



Christianity:



The Good Samaritan

A man was travelling from Jerusalem to Jericho when robbers attacked him, stole his belongings and left him badly injured. A priest and a Levite passed by but did not stop to help him. Then a Samaritan came along. Although Samaritans and Jews often disliked one another, the Samaritan stopped, cared for the injured man, took him to an inn and paid for his care.

The message of the story: Jesus teaches Christians to show kindness, compassion and love to everyone, even people who are different from them or whom they do not know.

What I will know at the end of the unit.

1	That the Bible is not one book but a collection of books, written by different people at different times	
2	That the Bible contains two main sections: the Old Testament and the New Testament	
3	That Christians often use other sources of wisdom to guide them in making moral decisions	
4	The difference between different Bibles (children's Bible, Gideon's Bible and an adult Bible)	
5	How Christians use the Bible (reading, worship, prayer, guidance)	