

Christianity: The Last weeks of Jesus' life					
What should I already know?		• Christians believe that Jesus was the son of God. • Christians celebrate the birth of Jesus at Christmas. • Jesus died on the cross at the hands of the Romans. • Christians celebrate Jesus' resurrection with Easter.			
Images	Crucifixion	Jesus	Easter Eggs	Jerusalem	The Last Supper
					
Vocabulary	Maundy Thursday	The Thursday of Holy week to commemorate Jesus' last supper	Quick facts 	Christians believe in the crucifixion of Jesus and his resurrection.	
	Palm Sunday/ Easter Sunday	Easter is a festival and holiday to remember the death and resurrection of Jesus		Jesus went to Jerusalem to teach.	
	Good Friday	The Friday Before Easter Sunday. This commemorates the crucifixion of Jesus by the Romans		During the Last Supper, Jesus washed his disciples' feet. The mood around the table was sad and sombre rather than celebratory. Jesus knew that this would be the last time that he and the twelve would eat together.	
	Disciples	These followers attended the last supper..		Christians commemorate the Last Supper on Maundy Thursday.	
	Resurrection	The rising of Jesus Christ from the dead.		Jesus was crucified by the Romans on a wooden cross. Christians commemorate this day on Good Friday.	
	Rabbi	A person educated in Jewish law and able to lead a Jewish congregation		After Jesus' death, his body was prepared for burial and laid in an unused tomb cut into a rock. A heavy rock was placed across the entrance to the tomb.	
	Crucifixion	A method of execution carried out by the Romans. The person would be nailed to a cross until they died.		Easter Day commemorates the resurrection of Jesus. This is commemorated on Easter Sunday – this is the most important day of the Christian calendar.	
			There are many symbols associated with Easter. Many people send Easter cards to family and friends and Easter eggs (symbolising new life) are eaten.		