

**RE Christianity The Church**

Subject Specific Vocabulary			Sticky Knowledge	
<b>Church</b>	<b>A building used for public Christian Worship.</b>	In the first part of the Spring Term, we will be learning about what it is like to belong to a Christian family, The Church and interesting artifacts that can be found in a church. (Later on in the year we will be studying other religions and comparing different places of worship) We have included some information that you may like to share with your child as well as some suggested activities.  <b>Have fun!</b>	A Church is central to Christian Faith where the community comes together to worship God.	
<b>Vicar</b>	<b>A person who works in the church to hold religious services such as Weddings, Funerals, Christenings and Communal Worship.</b>			Most churches have stained glass windows.
<b>Bible</b>	<b>The Christian Holy Book</b>		<b>Brain Teaser.....</b>  What do you think this is a picture of? What can you see?	Stained glass windows tell a biblical story.
<b>Cross</b>	<b>The sign of Christ</b>			The Bible is a collection of religious stories. It is about 611,000 words long!
<b>Altar</b>	<b>A special table in a church where ceremonies take place.</b>			A Vicar wears special clothes – a long black robe with a white collar around the neck.
<p align="center"><b><u>Activities</u></b></p> <p>1. Take a walk around your local area / town / village. Can you spot any churches? How are they different to an other building such as your house? Can you describe it's shape? Can you see the Bell Tower? Can you see any stained glass windows?</p> <p>2. Can you draw a church? Challenge – Can you make a model of a church?</p>				