

Sticky Knowledge - What I already know

I know how the Christian Salvation story fits into the big story of the Bible.

I know about the main events of holy week

I can offer suggestions about how people might have felt and responded to the key events of Holy Week

I know the texts from the Bible that retell the key events of holy week and can suggest what these mean for Christians today.

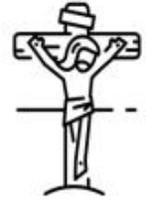
I know how Christians today remember, celebrate and respond to the events of holy week and Easter.

I know there are links between some of these events and life in the world today, suggesting why some Christians live their lives in the way that they do.

Knowledge - What I will be learning

- Easter is a very special time for Christians as they remember Jesus being crucified on Good Friday and his resurrection on Easter Sunday.
- Christians will read the Biblical accounts of Easter in the gospels which will tell them about the events and they will use theological ways of study to find out what these events means. Through this they are able to interpret what the story means for them as Christians today.
- Christians believe that God became human so that He could bring salvation to everyone. Christians refer to the birth of Jesus as the incarnation as this is when God became flesh.
- They believe that the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross enables them to have eternal life with God in heaven after they have died. They believe that Jesus dying and being resurrected healed the rift between God and man caused by The Fall.
- In churches different Christians will remember the events of Easter in many ways. However, they will all focus on how God has saved people and given them eternal life.
- When a person has died, Christians will have a service known as a funeral for the dead person. The funeral service expresses the belief that the dead person has eternal life with God because of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross.

So how does it all work?



Sacrifice



Resurrection

Salvation



Eternal Life



Key Knowledge - What I will know at the end of the unit

I know about the 'big story' of the Bible, and can explain the place of incarnation and salvation.

I know about accounts of Jesus' death and resurrection and can compare my thoughts with the different ways that Christians may interpret these texts.

I know the connections between Luke 24 and the Christian concepts of sacrifice, resurrection, salvation, incarnation and hope.

I know how worship on Good Friday and Easter Sunday may vary, because Christians put their beliefs into practice in different ways.

I know there are links between the resurrection and forgiveness.

I know what happens at a Christian funeral and how this link to the promise of eternal life because of Jesus' sacrifice on the cross.

Key Vocabulary

Definition

Salvation: Being saved or rescued, often in a spiritual sense, from sin or suffering, leading to eternal life.

Resurrection: The act of rising from the dead or coming back to life.

Interpret: To explain or understand the meaning of something.

Sacrifice: Giving up something valuable for the sake of others or for a greater cause.

Biblical: Relating to the Bible, the holy scripture in Christianity.

Theological: Related to the study or understanding of God and religious beliefs.

Gospel: The teachings of Jesus Christ in Christianity, often referring to the first four books of the New Testament.

Eternal life: Life that lasts forever, especially the idea of life after death in religious beliefs.

Incarnation: The belief that God took human form in Jesus Christ.

Funeral: A ceremony or service held to honour and bury someone who has died