

Key Words	Years	Rough Idea of what's involved	Curriculum Links
Christmas	EYFS KS1 KS2	Adapted nursery rhymes and puppets telling simple nativity story. Christmas is a celebration of Jesus' birthday The Christmas story teaches that Jesus was for everyone	EYFS Nativity Story KS1 Gifts and Good news. KS2 What is worth celebrating?
Joseph	KS1	An overview of the exciting story exploring how Christians believe God has a plan.	KS1 - Explore a well known story from the Bible. What can we learn from it?
Jesus Changes Lives	1-3	Prop door - meeting Zacchaeus, Saul/Paul and the paralysed man. Includes fun worksheet and game.	Yr 1 - How do people behave because they believe in God? Y3 - What does it mean to be inspirational?
Lost Son	2-3	Using videos, games, puppet and a fun writing activity.	Yr 2 - What do special stories teach worshippers and others?
The Church	2 - 6	A biblical view of what the Church is about for Christians. We can arrange a visit to a local church.	Y2 - The Church is a special place and the Church is the 'people.' Yr 4 - What is the Church in its widest sense?
Light	3-4	Using huge prop candle filled with references to how the Bible points to Jesus as the Light of the World.	Yr 4 - What lights our way?
Big Bible	5	Huge prop Bible filled with clues as to what the Bible is all about. Using videos, games and a fact-filled take-home sheet.	Yr 5 - What can sacred stories tell us? What do religious texts and teachings say about God? What guidance to follow?
Parables	Rec / 1	The Lost sheep, Good Samaritan or the Sower are told using videos/ drama and/or puppets.	Yr 1 - Stories Jesus told.
Prayer	1-2	Big prop phone. Puppet turtle (George); story of Hannah and Samuel; song. Children make mini-matchbox phones.	Yr 1 - What do some people do because they believe in God?
Easter	2-5	Big prop egg/ interactive banner scene - worksheets - matching and sequencing pictures to retell story.	Yr 2 - Why do some people have religious rituals? Yr 4 - What are we prepared to sacrifice?
Forgiveness	6	Looking at the story of Peter's re-instatement, as well as modern day examples of forgiveness. Children write a letter as though from Peter to Jesus.	Yr 6 - Can saying sorry change things?
Baptism	1- 2	Looking at 2 baptism stories from the Bible. Using clips of christenings and adult baptisms and a craft for the children.	Yr 1 - What do some people do because they believe in God? Why is Baptism important to Christians?
Pentecost	2-5	Story of first time the Spirit came	Yr 2 - How and why is celebrating important in religion and worship?
David & Psalms	2 - 4	Using the Bible and videos the children experience different forms of worship and write their own psalm.	Yr 4 - Explore David's strengths and qualities. Learn more about the nature of God.
Heart of a King	3-4	Using the story of Samuel, choosing David we look at what qualities God looked for in a good leader. Children write a newspaper front page response.	Yr 3 - What makes a good leader?
Communion	4	Looking at the story of the Last Supper, and at different church traditions, we use props, videos and worksheets to explore this theme.	Yr 4 - Why are some occasions sacred to believers?
Paul's Journeys	6	Traveling chest filled with props to help tell the story of Paul's missionary journey. Videos and journal to fill in.	Yr 6 - If life is like a journey, what is worth celebrating?
Transition	6	Using Bible verses, games, videos and the story of Daniel we help dispel anxieties as Yr 6 move on to high school.	Yr 6 - What do we commit ourselves to on our journey?

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