



RE - Peace at Last

Why is the resurrection so important to Christians?

Applying Past Knowledge

This learning links with the lessons you had in previous years:

- Learning about Christianity.
- Year 5: Visit to the local church.

What is Holy week?

Holy week is the week between Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday, as a time of devotion to the Passion of Christ. It reminds Christians of God's sacrifice of his son, and also God's love for his people.

Why does the Bible devote so much time to this one week of Jesus' life?

- Many Christians devote this day of Holy Week to thinking about Christ's final hours and the suffering that he endured.
- This week is an opportunity for Christians to journey with Jesus in the closeness of the events that led up to his death and his resurrection.



How do we know what Jesus looked like?

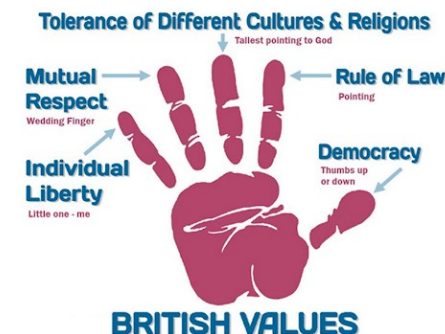
There are many images of Jesus that are portrayed through the media, worships and as we learnt in Autumn term, through different types of art.

How does the Easter story explore ideas of sacrifice, forgiveness and new life?

- The Easter story is a belief by Christians that Jesus was betrayed by one of his disciples, killed and then he was resurrected.
- Through the Easter story, we are taught of the sacrifice that Jesus gave on the cross during his crucifixion to his people, the forgiveness that Jesus had for Judas and the exploration of a new life beginning when he resurrected later on Easter Sunday.

Why do other religions and faiths not believe in resurrection?

Many religions or faiths do not believe in life after death so therefore, do not believe in the resurrection.



Key Vocabulary

Jesus

Holy week - the week between Palm Sunday and Easter.

Palm Sunday - the first day of the Holy Week.

Maundy Thursday - the Thursday before Easter.

Good Friday - the Friday before Easter: a Christian holiday commemorating the crucifixion of Jesus and his death at Calvary.

Crucifixion - a method of punishment in which the victim is tied or nailed to a large wooden beam and left to hang for several days until dead.

Resurrection - the concept of coming back to life.

Pentecost - celebrated the 50th day from Easter Sunday: also known as Whitsun.

Christmas - annual festival celebrating the birth of Jesus.

Easter - annual festival celebrating the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Passion - the suffering and death of Jesus.

Sacrifice - Christ's offering of himself on the crucifixion.

Forgiveness - a change in feelings and a decision to release feelings of resentment towards a person or group of people.



<u>Date (in 2024)</u>	<u>Event</u>
February 13th	Shrove Tuesday
February 14th	Ash Wednesday
March 24th	Palm Sunday
March 28th	Maundy Thursday
March 29th	Good Friday
March 31st	Easter Sunday
May 19th	Pentecost/Whitsun
December 25th	Christmas Day