



Why is Jesus and his teachings so significant to Christians?

1. Why was Jesus significant to Christians and how does He link to the Roman Empire?

Jesus was born during the reign of the first official Roman Emperor Augustus and was crucified under the reign of the second Roman Emperor Tiberius.

2. Why do Christians believe it is important that God came to Earth in human form and shared in human experience?

Link to the trinity from last half term's learning. Explore the concept that this incarnation shows that Jesus was fully God and fully human. To rebuild the people's relationship with God and create a pathway back to Heaven when dead.

3. What do Jesus' baptism and temptations reveal about who he was and the purpose of his ministry.

Link baptism (humanising) and the 40 days in the desert (Lent) to ensure Jesus also endured the ups and downs of life in the

5. Why did the disciples decide to follow Jesus?

Understanding the miracles of Jesus. Jesus walked on water (John 6:16-27) Turning water into wine (John 2:1-11) The Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37) The Prodigal Son (Luke 15:11-32)

Key vocabulary

Jesus	the Jewish religious teacher whose life, death, and resurrection
Baptism	the Christian religious rite of sprinkling water on to a person's forehead or of immersing them in
Disciples	a personal follower of Christ during his life, especially one of the twelve Apostles.
Temptation	the desire to do something, especially some-
Kingdom of God	one of the key elements of the teachings of Jesus in the New Testament.
Parables	a simple story used to illustrate a moral or spiritual lesson, as told by Jesus in the Gospels.
Miracles	an extraordinary and welcome event that is not explicable by natural or scientific laws
Gospels	the teaching or revelation of Christ.
Ministry	the work or vocation of a minister of religion.



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4. What is the meaning of Jesus' birth?

God wanting to reveal His own character to humanity.

6. What did Parables teach us

Understanding the parables of Jesus. The Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37) The Prodigal Son (Luke 15:11-32)

