



RE Knowledge Organiser: Christianity

What is the Good News that Jesus brings?



What do I already know?

- There are many religions and world views in the world.
- That most religions believe in a God.
- That religion is important to people in different ways.
- Many stories from the Bible include Jesus
- What forgiveness is.
- Jesus is God's son on earth.
- Christians believe Jesus rose again, giving people hope of a new life.

Fun facts!

- There are around 2.3 billion followers of Christianity in the world
- The Bible was also the first book to ever be printed!
- The birth of Jesus is described as 'Good News of great joy for all people'.
- Jesus's incarnation is 'good news' for all people.

Important Stories in the Bible

Matthew 9:9-13: Jesus calls a tax collector to be his disciple 

Luke 6:37-38: Repentance and Forgiveness are available to all

John 14:27 Jesus Gives Peace 

Luke 11:9-13 God is like a loving father 

Matthew 13:45-46 A pearl of great price



For Christians, this good news includes being **loved** by God and being **forgiven** for bad things.



Christians believe Jesus is a friend to the poor and friendless.

Christians believe Jesus' teachings make people think about how to live and show them the right way.

Key vocabulary and definitions:

charity	Being generous or helpful towards others in need – giving time or money
disciples	The followers and friends of Jesus
forgiveness	Not being mad when someone hurts or upsets you—forgetting it happened
Gospel	Means 'good news'; the teaching of Jesus
neighbour	A person near to you
peace	No arguments or war
pray	To talk to God
volunteer	To spend some of your time helping others – without being paid

The main things Jesus talked about were LOVE, PEACE and FORGIVENESS. Why do you think that these things are important?



FORGIVE
AS THE
LORD
FORGAVE YOU.
COLOSSIANS 3:13

What will I know by the end of the unit?

- Christians believe Jesus brings good news for all people.
- For Christians, this good news includes being loved by God, and being forgiven for bad things.
- Christians believe Jesus is a friend to the poor and friendless.
- Christians believe Jesus' teachings make people think hard about how to live and show them the right way.