

Topic: What is good about Good Friday?

Year 3 Spring

Strand: Christianity

What should I already know?

- Christians believe in God. They believe Jesus is God's son.
- Christians believe God loves every human being.
- They believe Jesus came to show that all people are special to God.
- Jesus is a role model for Christians.
- Jesus healed a paralysed man and a blind man.
- Christians believe God wants people to help everybody, not just their friends and family.

What will I know by the end of this unit?

- Creation story from the book of Genesis in the Bible in the Old Testament.
- God is the creator of the world according to the Bible and this is also in the Creed (the beliefs of the Christian church) used by many Christian congregations.
- In the Genesis account (Chapter 1) within the Bible, God gives the first humans the responsibility to look after the world He has created:

"Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground."

Impact on believer / daily life

Christians believe that it was Gods plan to suffer death, to show people can be forgiven and given a fresh start.

Jesus forgave the thief and bystanders at the crucifixion.

Many Christians will go regularly to church to share in communion, in the memory of his death and resurrection.

Healing







Vocabulary	
Bible	Christian Holy Book.
Holy week	The week before Easter.
Resurrection	The rising of Jesus from the dead.
Palm Sunday	The day Jesus entered Jerusalem.
Good Friday	The day Jesus died.
Easter Sunday	The day Jesus resurrected.
Salvation	The act of delivering from evil.
Gospel	Tells the life of Jesus.
Mary	The mother of Jesus.

Links with other religions

Bilal (Islam) - Bilal listened to the words in the prophet and believed there was a God

Guru Arjan-(Sikhism) – The fifth Guru was sentenced to death by emperor Jahangir after refusing Guru Nanak's message