

Holy Cross Catholic Primary School

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ADVENT TERM

TOPIC 1	Domestic church - family			11th September – 6th October 2023 (4 Weeks)
<u>EYFS</u> Myself God knows and loves each on	<u>YEAR 1</u> Families God's love and care for every family	<u>YEAR 2</u> Beginnings God at every beginning	<u>YEAR 3</u> Homes God's dream for every family	
<u>YEAR 4</u> People The family of God in Scripture	<u>YEAR 5</u> Ourselves Created in the image & likeness of God	<u>YEAR 6</u> Loving God who never stops loving		

OTHER FAITH	JUDAISM			9th October – 13th October 2023
<u>EYFS</u> Special days/ritual objects Hanukkah (Chanukah) The feast of lights	<u>YEAR 1</u> Stories Abraham and Moses	<u>YEAR 2</u> Prayer/Home Shabbat	<u>YEAR 3</u> Places for Worship The synagogue	
<u>YEAR 4</u> Holy Books The Torah	<u>YEAR 5</u> Beliefs and Festivals Pesach	<u>YEAR 6</u> Belongings and values Yom Kippur		

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TOPIC 2		Baptism and Confirmation: Belonging		23rd October – 17th November 2023			
<p>EYFS</p> <p>Welcome Baptism; a welcome to God's family</p>		<p>YEAR 1</p> <p>Belonging Baptism an invitation to belong to God's family</p>		<p>YEAR 2</p> <p>Signs & symbols Signs & symbols in Baptis</p>		<p>YEAR 3</p> <p>Promises Promises made at Baptism</p>	
<p>YEAR 4</p> <p>Called Confirmation: a call to witness</p>		<p>YEAR 5</p> <p>Life choices Marriage commitment and service</p>		<p>YEAR 6</p> <p>Vocation & commitment The vocation of priesthood and religious life</p>			

TOPIC 3		Advent/Christmas: Loving		20th November – 22nd December 2023			
<p>EYFS</p> <p>Birthday Looking forward to Jesus' birthday</p>		<p>YEAR 1</p> <p>Waiting Advent a time to look forward to Christmas</p>		<p>YEAR 2</p> <p>Preparations Advent; preparing to celebrate Christmas</p>		<p>YEAR 3</p> <p>Visitors Advent: waiting for the coming of Jesus</p>	
<p>YEAR 4</p> <p>Gift God's gift of love & friendship in Jesus</p>		<p>YEAR 5</p> <p>Hope Advent; waiting in joyful hope for Jesus; the promised one</p>		<p>YEAR 6</p> <p>Expectations Jesus born to show God to the world</p>			

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LENT TERM

TOPIC 1		Local Church: Community		8th January- 26th January 2024	
<u>EYFS</u> Celebrating People celebrate in Church	<u>YEAR 1</u> Special people People in the parish family	<u>YEAR 2</u> Books The books used in Church	<u>YEAR 3</u> Journeys Christian family's journey with Jesus	<u>YEAR 4</u> Community life in the local Christian community: ministries in the parish	<u>YEAR 5</u> Mission Continuing Jesus' mission in diocese [ecumenism]
		<u>YEAR 6</u> Sources The Bible, the special book for the Church			

TOPIC 2		Eucharist: Relating		29th January – 16th February 2024	
<u>EYFS</u> Gathering The parish family gathers to celebrate Eucharist	<u>YEAR 1</u> Meals Mass; Jesus' special mea	<u>YEAR 2</u> Thanksgiving Mass a special time for saying thank you to God for everything, especially Jesus	<u>YEAR 3</u> Listening & sharing Jesus gives himself to us in a special way	<u>YEAR 4</u> Giving & receiving Living in communion	<u>YEAR 5</u> Memorial sacrifice The Eucharist the living memorial of Jesus' sacrifice
		<u>YEAR 6</u> Unity Eucharist enables people to live in communion.			

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TOPIC 3	Lent/Easter: Giving		26 th February- 22 nd March 2024
<p>EYFS</p> <p>Growing Looking forward to Easter</p>	<p>YEAR 1</p> <p>Change Lent a time for change</p>	<p>YEAR 2</p> <p>Opportunities Lent; an opportunity to start anew in order to celebrate Jesus' new life</p>	<p>YEAR 3</p> <p>Giving all Lent a time to remember Jesus' total giving</p>
<p>YEAR 4</p> <p>Self discipline Celebrating growth to new life</p>	<p>YEAR 5</p> <p>Sacrifice Lent a time of aligning with the sacrifice already made by Jesus</p>	<p>YEAR 6</p> <p>Death & new life Celebrating Jesus' death & resurrection</p>	

PENTECOST TERM

TOPIC 1	Pentecost: Serving		8 th April- 3 rd May 2024
<p>EYFS</p> <p>Good News Passing on the Good news of Jesus</p>	<p>YEAR 1</p> <p>Holidays & holydays Pentecost: feast of the Holy Spirit</p>	<p>YEAR 2</p> <p>Spread the word Pentecost a time to spread the Good News</p>	<p>YEAR 3</p> <p>Energy Gifts of the Holy Spirit</p>
<p>YEAR 4</p> <p>New life To hear & live the Easter message</p>	<p>YEAR 5</p> <p>Transformation Celebration of the Spirit's transforming power</p>	<p>YEAR 6</p> <p>Witnesses The Holy Spirit enables people to become witnesses</p>	

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OTHER FAITH (3 Year cycle: Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism)	ISLAM		7th May-10th May 2024
EYFS	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3
Special Days/ritual objects Prayer mats	Stories Muhammad	Prayer/Home Prayer at Home	Places of Worship The Mosque
YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6	
Holy Books The Qur'an	Beliefs and Festivals Ramadan and Pilgrimage	Belonging and Values Guidance for Muslims	

TOPIC 2	Reconciliation: Inter-relating		13th May- 14th June 2024
EYFS	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3
Friends Friends of Jesus	Being sorry God helps us to choose well Sacrament of Reconciliation	Rules Reasons for rules in the Christian family Sacrament of Reconciliation	Choices The importance of examination of conscience Sacrament of Reconciliation
YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6	
Building bridges Admitting wrong, being reconciled with God and each other Sacrament of Reconciliation	Freedom & responsibility Commandments enable Christians to be free & responsible	Healing Sacrament of the Sick	

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TOPIC 3	Universal Church: World		17 th June- 12 th July 2024
<u>EYFS</u> Our world God's wonderful world	<u>YEAR 1</u> Neighbours Neighbours share God's world	<u>YEAR 2</u> Treasures God's treasure; the world	<u>YEAR 3</u> Special places Holy places for Jesus & the Christian
<u>YEAR 4</u> God's people Different saints show people what God is like	<u>YEAR 5</u> Stewardship The Church is called to the stewardship of Creation	<u>YEAR 6</u> Common good Work of the worldwide Christian family	