

Unit 6.3: The Eucharist

Why do Christians celebrate the Eucharist?

Christian Concepts

God – Creation – Fall – People of God – INCARNATION – Gospel – SALVATION – Kingdom of God

The aim of this unit is to:

- identify the links between the Passover meal, Last Supper and Eucharist.
- develop pupils' understanding of the Eucharist and the symbolism connected with it.
- develop pupils' understanding of the importance of the Eucharist and why it is celebrated.

Christian Values

Faith, Forgiveness

Key Skills

Investigate, Apply, Enquire, Synthesise, Analyse

Key Questions

- Why do Christians celebrate the Eucharist?
- What is the reason for celebrating the Eucharist?
- The Eucharist service has several names. Why is this time of worship called the Eucharist/Holy Communion/Mass/The Lord's Supper?
- What questions would you like to ask about the Eucharist/Holy Communion Service?

Key Experiences

Speaking with a member of the clergy about the Eucharist.
Considering the ways different denominations celebrate the Eucharist.
Unpacking the deeper meaning of the words used in the Eucharist service.

Key Vocabulary

Eucharist, Holy Communion, Last Supper, remembrance, holy, sacrifice, mercy, salvation, sacrament and faith.

Unit 6.3A: The Exodus

Why is the Exodus such a significant event in Jewish and Christian history?

Christian Concepts

God – Creation – Fall – PEOPLE OF GOD – Incarnation – Gospel – Salvation – Kingdom of God

The aim of this unit is to:

- give pupils a greater understanding of the significance of the Exodus and Passover.
- introduce pupils to the links between Christianity and Judaism.

Christian Values

Justice, Faith, Hope, Peace

Key Skills

Enquire, Investigate, Apply, Express

Key Questions

- Why did God choose Moses?
- Why is the Exodus such a significant event in Jewish and Christian history?
- What is freedom?
- Why is freedom important?
- What does it mean to be free?
- Why is it important to remember?

Key Experiences

Revisiting knowledge of the Exodus story.
Re-enacting a Passover meal.
Discussing the meaning of freedom.

Key Vocabulary

Moses, Exodus, Israel, freedom, slavery, Seder, Passover.

Link to World Faiths

Judaism – The Jewish festival of Passover is referred to throughout the unit.