

Knowledge Organiser Term 3 2021-22

Religious Education

Christianity: What do Christians believe God is like?

Key vocabulary

parable	A story used to explain a moral lesson. Jesus told these stories and they are found in the bible.
moral	A lesson about right or wrong that is learned from a story or something that happens
hymn	A song that is sung to worship God
prayer	Words spoken to God
Jesus	Christians believe that Jesus is the son of God and they follow his teachings
bible	A holy book that contains stories about God and Jesus
Old Testament	The first part of the Christian bible that tells the story of God before Jesus
New Testament	The second part of the Christian bible that tells about Jesus and the early Christians that followed

Key Information that you should know by the end of the unit

- Christians believe in God, and that they find out about God in the Bible.
- Christians believe God is loving, kind, fair and forgiving, and also Lord and King.
- Christians worship God and try to live in ways that please him.
- Christians sing hymns to worship God. The words of some hymns help them to learn more about what God is like.
- Jesus told stories, called parables to help people ' more about God and how they should live.
- One of these parables is 'The Lost Son' where a son who has behaved badly is welcomed home by his father. This story shows Christians that God is like a father who loves them and will forgive them.
- One of the stories in the Old Testament is about Jonah, who disobeys God and tries to run away. He is swallowed by a huge fish and learns that God is powerful.

