

Key Vocabulary

charity

Christian

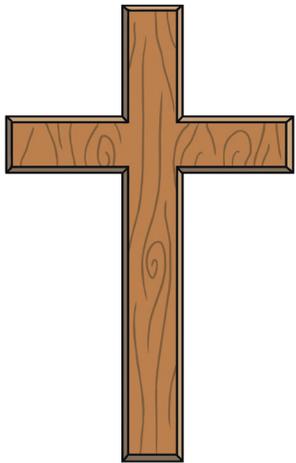
disciple

Gospel

Holy Trinity

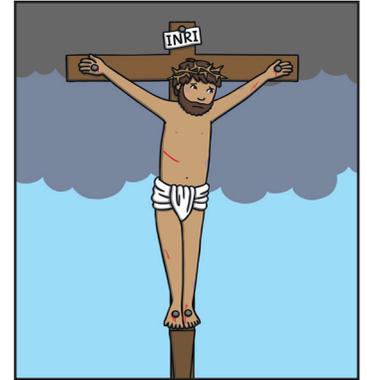
parable

permanent



Who Is God?

Christians believe that God is the creator of the universe, including the heavens and the Earth. They believe that God is all-powerful and forgiving. He sent Jesus Christ, His son, to die for the forgiveness of human **sin**.



The Holy Trinity

God the Father

God the Father refers to God being loving, kind and forgiving and watching over all living creatures. Many **Christians** will say the 'Our Father' **prayer** to thank God.

God the Son

God the Son refers to Jesus Christ, who came to Earth as a man. Although Jesus is the Son of God, he is also God in human form. **Christians** believe that Jesus died for the forgiveness of human **sin**.

God the Spirit

The Holy Spirit refers to God's power in action and the impact of His force. It is not a person, but a divine force that, **Christians** believe, created the universe and everything in it.

The cross is the most important symbol of Christianity. It represents the sacrifice made by Jesus when he was crucified.

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prayer	
sin	
worship	

Forgiveness		
<p>God's forgiveness is permanent.</p> 	<p>God's forgiveness is free.</p> 	<p>Christians should try to forgive others, as they have been forgiven by God.</p> 

The Parables of Jesus	
<p>Jesus told parables to explain his teachings.</p> <p>The Parable of the Good Samaritan teaches people to love their neighbour.</p> <p>The Parable of the Lost Sheep teaches that God loves everybody, no matter what they may have done.</p> 	

The Teachings of Jesus		
<p>Jesus taught about the goodness of God.</p> 	<p>Jesus taught how to be kind.</p> 	<p>Jesus taught about God's forgiveness.</p> 

How Do Christians Show Their Faith?		
<p>Worship: honouring and giving thanks to God.</p>	<p>Sharing the message: spreading the message of God's love.</p>	<p>Putting Jesus' teachings into action: showing kindness and love to others.</p>
		