

Religious Education knowledge organiser – Year 10 – Christian practices– Cycle 1



| 1.1. Worship | |
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| Liturgical worship | church service which follows a set structure or ritual. |
| Non liturgical worship (informal worship) | A service which does not follow a set structure or ritual; sometimes spontaneous or charismatic. |
| Private worship | giving God praise and worship on their own . |

| 1.2. prayer | |
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| Lord's prayer | The prayer taught to the disciples by Jesus ; |
| Set prayer | prayers written by other people which many Christians worldwide use (e.g. Lord's Prayer) |
| Informal prayer | spontaneous prayers, which are personal and unique to the person/people at the time (e.g. arrow prayer) |

| 1.3 Sacraments | |
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| Sacrament | outward and visible sign of an invisible and spiritual grace often in the form of a ritual given as a gift by God |
| baptism | sacrament of initiation through which people become members of the Church . |
| Infant baptism | sacrament of initiation of babies and young children into the Church. |
| Believers' baptism | Initiation into the Church , of people old enough to understand – teenagers and adults |
| Holy communion (Eucharist) | a sacrament in which the death and resurrection of Jesus are celebrated by eating bread and drinking wine |

| 1.4 pilgrimages and celebrations | |
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| pilgrimage | religious journey to a sacred place , e.g. Iona and Lourdes it is an act of worship. |
| Iona | where St Columba established a monastic community |
| Lourdes | Place of St. Bernadette's vision of Mary . Healing miracles are claimed to have taken place here |
| Christmas | celebrates the incarnation and the birth of Jesus |
| Easter | celebrates the resurrection of Jesus from the dead |

| 1.5 the role of Church | |
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| Church | People of God/Body of Christ Members of a particular Christian denomination |
| Food banks | Where people in need can go to collect food |
| Street pastors | People working, on city streets giving care to those who need it |
| mission | The duty of Christians to spread the gospel about Jesus . |
| evangelism | Preaching the gospel (the good news about God) to convert people to the Christian faith. |
| Great Commission | Jesus instructs his disciples to baptise people and to spread his teachings. |
| reconciliation | Rebuilding relationships between two groups/sides after disagreement . |

| 1.6 persecution and poverty | |
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| persecution | hostility and ill treatment |
| Christian Aid | charity that helps the poor |