# Newport Infant School— Religious Education

## Key Stage 1 Year 1

## Unit: Christian Churches

### What should I already know?

I know people have different cultures, traditions and beliefs.
Christians have a special book called a bible.
I know some Christian bible stories.

### What I will know by the end of the unit

- Christians believe that there is one God, he created the Earth and he sent his son Jesus to the world.
- Christians have a special place where they meet to worship together called a church.
- We have lots of churches in Newport; St Nicholas Church, Trinity Church, Baptist Church, SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church,
- Not all churches look the same but lots of them do have these things: stained glass windows, bible, font, pulpit, pews.
- Christians meet in a Church on a Sunday to worship God.
- Christians worship God by singing hymns, reading bible stores, praying and learning from the bible.
- The Vicar is the person who looks after the church and leads the services.
- Different services happen in churches: Sunday service, Weddings, Funerals, Baptisms.
- Christians have special signs and symbols that can be found in the Church: cross, fish, light.

### Symbols / Images





St Nicholas' Church



Trinity Church

### Vocabulary

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| baptism | When people become a Christian. Also known as a Christening if it is a baby or child. |
| Christians | People who believe in God and believe that Jesus was the Son of God |
| church | A building used for Christian worship |
| font | Filled with water to use in a baptism, often made from stone |
| hymn | A song which praises God |
| Jesus | The son of God who was born on Christmas day and died on the cross |
| pew | A long bench with a back |
| prayer | Speaking to God to ask for help or forgiveness or to say thank you |
| pulpit | A raised stand where the lesson is delivered in a Church |
| service | A religious ceremony that follows a set form |
| Stained glass window | Window made from coloured glass and usually put together to make a pattern or picture |
| worship | To show love to God |