



People of Faith

RE
Year 6
Summer Term

Overview

During this unit, pupils will be given opportunities to explore what it means for a person to have faith and how having faith affects people's lives, values and decisions. They will discuss how Christian people are called to build God's kingdom here on earth. They will look at Jesus and St Paul's teachings on faith and people who have put Jesus' teaching and the words of St Paul into action. They will investigate the lives of extraordinary people of faith, both Christian and Muslim: their life stories, choices, values and actions and what impact their lives had on others then and now. Pupils will also think about 'ordinary' people of faith, such as people starting up Food Banks, running shelters for the homeless or teams going to help when a natural disaster has occurred.

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Questions I wonder about
people and faith:

Enquiry skills and concepts:

In this unit, the pupils will:

- **Investigate** - ask relevant questions; know how to use different types of sources as a way of gathering information; know what may constitute evidence for understanding religions
- **Evaluate** - debate issues of religious significance with reference to evidence and argument
- **Interpret** - draw meaning from artefacts, music, works of art, poetry and symbolism; suggest meanings of religious texts
- **Apply** - make the association between religions and individual community, national and international life; identify key religious values and their interplay with secular ones

Topic Vocabulary

Islam: *the religion followed by Muslims*

ministry: *the office or duties of a religious minister*

Mission: *an important assignment given to a person or group of people, typically involving travel abroad; the vocation or calling of a religious organization, to go out into the world and spread its faith*

Pbuh: *translates as "peace be upon him"; a complimentary phrase attached to the names of the prophets in Islam*

prophet: *a person regarded as an inspired teacher or proclaimer of the will of God*

Qur'an: *the Muslim Holy Book believed to be the word of God as dictated to Muhammad by the archangel Gabriel*

vocation: *a job that suits a person best; the desire to do a particular job*

Religious vocabulary

Christian: *a person who believes that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, and who follows His teachings*

faith: *complete trust in someone or something*

God: *the creator and ruler of the World (Muslims use the word Allah)*