

Prophecy and Promise

Year 3

Creation and Covenant			
<p>Hear: By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why Christians go to Mass on Sunday. • How Catholics celebrate Mass. <p>For Advent:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Messiah would be born of a virgin and would be called Immanuel (Is 7:14). • The Annunciation to Joseph (Matt 1:18-25). • Revisit Lk 1:26-38. 	<p>Understand</p>	<p>By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:</p>  <p>Recognise that Sunday is a holy day for Christians, making simple links between the story of Creation (Gen 1:1-2:4) and Sunday as a day of rest</p> <p>Give a simple description of how Catholics celebrate the Mass.</p> <p>Give simple descriptions of some special prayers, signs, and actions performed in church and at Mass using religious language, focusing on the Liturgy of the Word.</p> <p>Recognise how Joseph puts his trust in God when the angel appears.</p> <p>Make links between the angel's message about Jesus and the words of the prophet Isaiah.</p> <p>Recall that angels bring God's message in the gospels of St Matthew and St Luke</p>	
<p>Believe: By the end of this unit of study pupils will know that the Church teaches:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunday is the day of the Resurrection of Jesus. Therefore, Christians gather on Sunday. • Catholics gather to celebrate Mass where they listen to the words of holy scripture (the Liturgy of the Word) and meet Jesus in Holy Communion (the Liturgy of the Eucharist). • The Liturgy of the Word includes readings from the Old Testament and the New Testament. • That Jesus birth was foretold by the prophets. 	<p>Discern</p>	<p>By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:</p>  <p>Talking, asking, and answering questions about their experiences of liturgies and the Mass.</p> <p>Considering how Catholics use some prayers, signs, actions, and symbols during Mass and make links between beliefs and action.</p> <p>Talking, asking, and answering questions about Joseph and Mary trusting in God.</p> <p>Comparing and making simple links between the signs used in Advent and Christmas and their meaning for Christians</p>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> That Joseph listened to the angel and opened his heart to the Holy Spirit. 		
<p>Celebrate: By the end of this unit of study pupils will know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How Catholics use some signs, actions, prayers, and symbols to celebrate Mass, e.g., the sign of the cross, bells, the Kyrie Eleison prayer, etc. Hear some of the responses Catholics say at Mass, focusing on the Liturgy of the Word. How Advent hymns celebrate Jesus as the coming Messiah (e.g., O Little town of Bethlehem; Long ago prophets knew; O come, divine Messiah; O come, O come Emmanuel). 		
<p>Live: By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some ways that Christians prepare for the coming of Christ during Advent. Representations in art around the world, connecting to the prophecies of Christ's coming 	Respond	<p>During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning for example by:</p> <p> Responding creatively to the words of an Advent hymn, work of art, prayer, or poem that connects to the message of the angels.</p> <p>Reflecting on what Sunday Mass means for Christians</p>
<p>Key Vocabulary:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> Mass angel Joseph Advent Sunday Liturgy of the word </p>		

