



Year 4 Knowledge Organiser

Why is Abraham seen as a model of prayer?

Hear

God asked Abraham to leave his home and trust Him. Abraham listened to God and became the father of God's chosen people. Catholics remember **Abraham** as a great example of faith and trust in God.

Key Texts

- The call of Abram (Gen 12:1-5)
- The Abrahamic **covenant** (Gen 15:1-6)
- Abraham and **Sarah** (Gen 18:1-15)
- Abraham and **Isaac** (Gen 22:1-18)

Historical context means learning what life was like when a Bible story happened. It helps us understand why Abraham was brave to leave his home and trust God.

Live

Virtues:

- Faith** - believing and trusting in God
- Hope** - looking forward to God's promises
- Love (Charity)** - loving God and other people

Cardinal Henry Edward Manning, the Catholic Archbishop of Westminster, helped bring an end to the 1889 London Dock Strike by acting as a mediator between the dock workers and the dock owners. Both sides trusted him because he was seen as fair and concerned about justice.

Believe

God's covenant with Abraham is the foundation of the faith of the people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity.

Faith is believing in God, trusting what God reveals, and following God's loving purpose to live a good life.

Through the virtues of faith, hope, and love, Christians grow closer to the Holy Trinity.

Abraham is a model of how to pray.

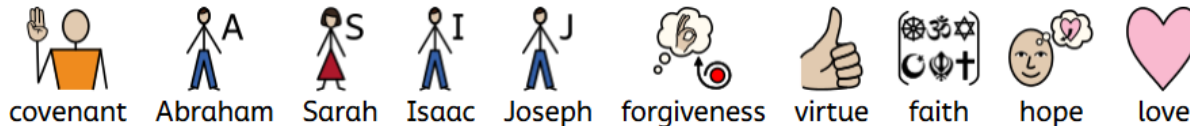
Celebrate

Prayers of Faith in God:

- Psalm 40:1 – "*I waited patiently for the Lord; he turned to me and heard my cry.*"
- St Thérèse of Lisieux – "*Jesus, I trust in you.*"
- "May Today There Be Peace Within" – "*May today there be peace within you. May you trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be.*"
- St John Henry Newman, Mission of My Life – "*God has created me to do Him some definite service.*"
- Blessed Charles de Foucauld, Prayer of Abandonment – "*Father, I place myself into your hands.*"

Catholic Social Teaching

Vocabulary



Showing we care
Solidarity



Everyone is special
Human Dignity



Putting people most in need first
Preferential Option for the Poor

Making Links

This links to... because
 This is connected because...
 This is similar to...
 This reminds me of...
 This helps us understand...
 This idea is like...
 Another example of this is...
 This links to real life because...
 This idea can also be seen in...

St Mary's Mission Statement

We Believe, We Succeed and We Soar
 Christ is at the centre of St. Mary's as we strive to nurture and care for our community and encourage them to Believe, Succeed and Soar. Through God's love, we support our pupils in recognising their God given gifts, strengthening their work as missionary disciples.

Gospel Values



Democracy

The rule of law

British Values



Individual liberty



Mutual respect



Tolerance

Catholic Social Teaching

The Principles



Everyone is special
Human Dignity



Thinking of everyone
The Common Good



Taking part
Participation



Everyone should have a say
Subsidiarity



Caring for God's gifts
Stewardship



Showing we care
Solidarity



Putting people most in need first
Preferential Option for the Poor



Sharing fairly
Distributive Justice



Being peacemakers
Promoting peace

Fruits of the Holy Spirit

Peace Kindness Joy Love
 Generosity Goodness Chastity
 Modesty Self-Control Patience
 Faithfulness Gentleness

Sacraments



Baptism



Confirmation



Eucharist



Reconciliation



Matrimony



Holy Orders



Anointing of the Sick

Symbols

Sign of the Cross Crucifix
 Candle Light Flame
 Dove Fire Water Red Wind
 Ashes Purple Palms Cross
 Crown of Thorns
 Advent Wreath Circle Star
 Bread Wine
 Shepherd Sheep/Lamb

Prayers

School Prayer
 The Lord's Prayer
 Hail Mary
 Nicene Creed
 Penitential Act
 Glory Be
 Apostles Creed
 Act of Contrition
 Come, Holy Spirit
 The Rosary
 Magnificat
 Hail, Holy Queen
 The Angelus
 Act of Faith/Hope/Love
 Eternal Rest

Protected Characteristics



1. Age



2. Race



3. Gender



4. Religion



5. Relationship



6. Disability



7. Present yourself



8. Who you choose to love



9. To have a baby

Bishop's Themes



Encounter



Discipleship



Missionary Discipleship

