

THE VINE AND THE BRANCHES
YEAR 2 Overview of the Year

Autumn	<p>CREATION AND COVENANT – September – October</p> <p><u>2.1.1 – The Bible</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To understand that the Bible is the most important book for us because it is given by God to help us understand how much he loves us. * To retell a story from the Bible and explain how we can learn from this (AT1.1) <p><u>2.1.2 – God’s promise to Noah</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To explain what the story of Noah shows us (AT1.1, 1.4) *To explain what it means to care for God’s world and how we can demonstrate this in our everyday lives. (AT1.3) <p><u>2.1.3 – God’s knowledge and Care</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To understand that God knows everything about you * To explain what you know about the psalms in the Bible (AT1.1) * To understand and explain what is special about Psalm 139. (AT1.2) <p><u>2.1.4 – Joining the Christian Family</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To understand the importance and significance of Baptism (AT1.6) * To describe what happens during the Sacrament of Baptism (AT1.6) * To plan and role play a Baptism <p><u>2.1.5 – Signs and symbols in Baptism</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Explain that the Sacrament is a sign of Jesus’ love (AT1.6) * Explain what it means to make the sign of the cross (AT1.2) <p><u>2.1.6 – The mystery of the Holy Trinity</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Explain what you know about the Holy Trinity (AT1.2) * To learn the Glory be to the Father prayer and explain how it links to the Holy Trinity 	<p>PROPHECY AND PROMISE – November – December</p> <p><u>2.2.1- Zachariah in the Temple</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To retell the story of Zachariah in the Temple (AT1.1) *To understand why we pray to God and put our trust in him when things get difficult (AT1.3) <p><u>2.2.2 – The Annunciation of Mary</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To retell and role play the Annunciation to Mary (AT1.1) * To know and understand the most important thing that the Angel said to Mary (AT1.1) *To learn from Mary and Joseph to trust in God <p><u>2.2.3 – The Visitation (AT1.3)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To describe what it’s like to hear good news and share it *To share good news amongst the class * To retell and role play the story of the Visitation (AT1.1) * To know Mary’s song – ‘The Magnificat’ <p><u>2.24 – Advent (AT1.3)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To understand the meaning of Advent *Make an Advent wreath with four candles and explain the significance of them *To research and describe how Advent is celebrated throughout the world *Describe how you prepare for Christmas (prepare your heart for the birth of Jesus) *To know and understand what ‘Emmanuel’ means – ‘God is with us’. <p><u>2.2.5 – The birth of John the Baptist (AT1.1)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Revisit the story of Zechariah in the Temple and recall what the Angel Gabriel told and promised to Zechariah *Retell the story of the Birth of John the Baptist (LK 1: 57-58) * Explain what happened to Zechariah when he named the baby John * Explain Zechariah’s special message to John <p><u>2.2.6 – The birth of Jesus</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Retell and role play the birth of Jesus (AT1.1) *Explain who Jesus is what is so special about his birthday (AT1.1)
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	<p>Assessment</p> <p>How does God love us? Use a story from the Bible to explain.</p> <p>Why do people get Baptised?</p>	<p>Assessment</p> <p>Emmanuel means 'God is with us'. What does this mean?</p> <p>Why do we trust in God?</p>
Spring	<p>GALILEE TO JERUSALEM - January – February</p> <p><u>2.3.1- John the Baptist</u></p> <p>*To know and understand what a prophet is and that John the Baptist was a prophet (AT1.4)</p> <p>* To recall the message of John the Baptist (AT1.4)</p> <p>* To explain what people do in our country to fulfil John's message (AT1.3)</p> <p><u>2.3.2 – The Baptism of Jesus</u></p> <p>*To recognise Jesus as a little boy then as a man (AT1.2)</p> <p>*Retell the story of Jesus' Baptism (AT1.1)</p> <p>*To recognise the power of the Holy Spirit during Jesus's Baptism (AT1.1)</p> <p><u>2.3.3 – The temptation of Jesus in the desert</u> (AT1.1)</p> <p>* To understand what temptation is and give your own examples</p> <p>*Retell the story of the temptation of Jesus in the desert</p> <p>* Talk about and describe what it was like for Jesus during this time</p> <p><u>2.3.4 – Jesus and his Disciples</u></p> <p>* To describe/hotseat how Jesus's disciples felt when they were chosen by Jesus (AT1.4)</p> <p>* Retell and role-play the story of 'Jesus make the wind stop blowing' (AT1.1)</p> <p>* Recall what the disciples learnt from Jesus</p> <p><u>2.3.5 – The cure of the paralysed man</u></p> <p>* To retell the miracle of how 'Jesus heals a man who cannot walk' (AT1.1)</p> <p>*To understand and explain why Jesus performed miracles (AT2.1)</p>	<p>DESERT TO GARDEN – February – March</p> <p><u>2.4.1 – Lent and Reconciliation</u> (AT1.3)</p> <p>* Understand and explain the meaning of Lent</p> <p>*To know that Ash Wednesday marks the start of Lent</p> <p>*To recognise that Lent is a time for reconciliation</p> <p><u>2.4.2 – Jesus goes to Jerusalem</u></p> <p>* Re-enact the story of Jesus going to Jerusalem (LK 19: 28-38) (AT1.1)</p> <p>* Describe how you would be feeling if you were there when Jesus goes to Jerusalem (AT2.2)</p> <p>* Understand why Jesus wanted to go to Jerusalem (AT2.2)</p> <p><u>2.4.3 – The Last Supper</u></p> <p>* Recall events from the Last Super (AT1.1)</p> <p>* Attend Mass and recognise the re-enactment of the Last Supper (AT1.6)</p> <p><u>2.4.4 – Jesus dies on a cross</u></p> <p>* To recall events from the crucifixion (AT1.1)</p> <p>* To understand why Jesus forgave his enemies after they killed him (AT1.1)</p> <p>* Explain how Jesus's actions teach us how to live (AT1.3)</p> <p>* Explain what we can learn from Jesus (AT1.3)</p> <p><u>2.4.5 – The Resurrection of Jesus</u></p> <p>* Retell/roleplay the resurrection of the Lord (AT1.1)</p> <p>*Recall the events of the resurrection in the role of Peter (AT1.1)</p> <p><u>2.4.6 – The Easter Vigil</u> (AT1.4)</p> <p>* Understand the importance of Holy Week and what it is</p> <p>* Recall the different events within Holy Week (AT1.1)</p> <p>* Explain why Easter is so important to us</p>

	<p>2.3.6 – God’s love (AT1.1, 1.8, 1.9, 1.10)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *To understand what a parable is * To retell the parable of the ‘lost Sheep’ and understand its meaning * Imagine you are the lost sheep, describe your experience and feelings 	
	<p>Assessment</p> <p>What is the difference between Jesus’s miracles and parables? Explain the meaning of the parable of ‘The Lost Sheep’</p>	<p>Assessment</p> <p>Retell the events of Hoy Week Why is Easter so important to us?</p>
<p>Summer</p>	<p>ENDS OF THE EARTH April – May</p> <p>2.5.1 – Jesus appears to the Apostles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Retell the story of Jesus appearing to the Apostles (AT1.1) * To explain what Jesus asked the Apostles to do * Describe the life and work of the Apostles <p>2.5.2 – The Ascension</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *To know and understand the Feast of the Ascension (AT1.1) * Recall the promise that Jesus made before he went back to heaven (AT1.1) * To understand the apostles mission and relate it our everyday lives (AT1.2, 1.3) <p>2.5.3 – Pentecost</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *To retell/roleplay the story of Pentecost (AT1.1) *Recognise the signs and symbols at Pentecost and understand the meaning of these (AT1.3) *Explain how the Holy spirit changed the lives of the Apostles <p>2.5.4 – The Fruits of the Holy Spirit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Recognise and describe the gifts of the Holy Spirit (AT1.2) *Describe ways in which the Holy Spirit can help us <p>2.5.5 – The conversion of Saul</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Retell the story of the conversion of Saul (AT1.1) <p>Understand and recall the lessons Saul learnt on the road to Damascus</p> <p>Relate the story of Saul to our everyday lives</p>	<p>DIALOGUE AND ENCOUNTER June – July</p> <p>2.6.1 and 2.6.2 – The Mass</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *To know and understand that Mass is a great gift from Jesus (AT1.3) *To recall and describe the different parts of the Mass (AT1.6) <p>2.6.3 – The Good Samaritan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To retell/roleplay the parable of the Good Samaritan (AT1.1) * To explain the special teaching with the parable of the Good Samaritan (AT1.1) * Plan and prepare a class fundraising event to support CAFOD (AT1.3) <p>2.6.4 – The Christian Community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * To recognise and understand what it means to be ‘Christian’ (AT1.3) * To understand that Catholics are Christians *To share different examples of what Jesus asks us to do as Christians (AT1.3) <p>2.6.5 – Judaism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *To know and understand what Judaism is *To know and understand what Jews believe *To recognise and name the place of worship for Jews *To recognise and names the Torah Scrolls <p>2.6.6 - Shabbat</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *To know and understand what Shabbat is

		*To make comparisons between Shabbat and our holy day – Sunday
	Assessment What did Jesus say to his friends before he went back to heaven? How do you / we carry on the work (mission) of Jesus?	Assessment Describe the meaning of the parable of the Good Samaritan? How are you / we a good Samaritan to others?