

Religious Education
'Creation and Covenant'
Autumn term 1
Knowledge Organiser
YEAR 4



Scripture

- **Genesis 12: 1-9** The call of Abraham– Old Testament
- **Genesis 15: 1-6** God's covenant with Abraham – Old Testament
- **Genesis 12:1, 17:16, 18:11-14** Abraham and Sarah – Old Testament
- **Genesis 22: 1-19** Abraham and Isaac – Old Testament
- **Genesis 37- 50** Joseph and his family – Old Testament

Feast Days

5th September – Mother Teresa of Calcutta

8th September – Mary's Birthday (Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

29th September - Feast of the Archangels

1st – 31stOctober – Month of the Holy Rosary

4th October – St Francis of Assisi

Feast days are special days in the Christian calendar dedicated to celebrating the life and significance of saints. For children, feast days can be a way to learn about the lives of saints and the importance of their contributions to the faith

Key Question

What does it mean to be called and Chosen?

What can we learn from the story of Abraham?

What do you think you can learn from the story of Joseph?



Key Vocabulary

Abraham

a man chosen by God for a very important mission

Covenant

a solemn promise made between two people, or between God and His people

Faith

strong belief based on spiritual conviction when there is no proof

Hope

an expectation based on trust

Isaac

the son of Abraham and Sarah

Hypocrite

a person who says they believe in something, but then acts in a completely different way

Joseph

the favourite son of Jacob

Sarah

the wife of Abraham

Commandment

law; rule

Covenant = Commands and Blessings



*Come,
Holy Spirit*
fill the hearts of
your faithful and
kindle in them the fire
of your love.
Send forth your Spirit
and they shall be created.
And You shall renew
the face of the earth.
O, God, who by the light
of the Holy Spirit,
did instruct the hearts
of the faithful,
grant that by the same
Holy Spirit we may be
truly wise and ever enjoy
His consolations,
Through Christ Our Lord,
Amen.



The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
 Creator of heaven and earth; and
 in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;
 Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
 born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius
 Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.
 He descended into hell; the third day
 He rose again from the dead;
 He ascended into heaven, is seated at the right
 hand of God the Father Almighty;
 from thence He shall come to judge the living
 and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,
 the Holy Catholic Church,
 the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins,
 the resurrection of the body,
 and life everlasting.

Religious Education

'Promise and Prophecy'

Autumn term 2

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Scripture

- **Joshua 1-24** The story of the Joshua and the Promised Land – Old Testament
- **Matthew 1: 18-25** An angel appears to Joseph – New Testament
- **Luke 2: 7** God fulfils his promise – New Testament
- **Matthew 3: 2-6 and 7-12** John the Baptist – New Testament
- **1 Kings 17: 1-7** The Prophet Elijah
- **1 Kings 18: 16-19** Elijah on Mount Carmel

Feast Days

- 1st November – All Saints Day**
- 2nd November – All Souls Day**
- 21st November – Presentation of Mary**
- 23rd November – Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**
- 30th November - St Andrew's Day**

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Key Questions

- Why is it important to know about Jesus's ancestors?**
- How do we keep a close and loving relationship to God?**



Key Vocabulary

Advent	a time of preparation for celebrating the birth of Jesus at Christmas
Prophet	a person who reveals God's message to people
Elijah	a prophet of the Old Testament who called the people of Israel to return to God
Baal	the name given to false gods or idols
John the Baptist	a prophet who announces the coming of the Messiah and baptises in the Jordan
Jesse tree	a representation of the family tree of Jesus Christ
Christ the King	Jesus who is fully God and fully human



'Be not afraid; for I bring you news of great joy, a joy to be shared by the whole people. Today in the town of David a Saviour has been born; he is Christ the Lord. And here is a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger'" (Lk. 2:10-12).