

St Saviour's Catholic Primary and Nursery School



Subject: RE

Topic: Desert to Garden

Year: 4

What should I already know?

- Jesus travelled from Galilee to Jerusalem.
- Jesus taught and instructed the disciples as he travelled.
- Jesus healed on the Sabbath.
- The parable of The Prodigal Son and recognising the key teachings about God's forgiveness.

What am I going to learn?

- Lent is a season of preparation, leading to the death and resurrection of Jesus.
- The story of the Prodigal Son and how this parable helps Christians to remember God's mercy and forgiveness.
- Make simple connections with the Judgement of Nations parable and the Christian belief that helping others is part of loving God.
- The events of the journey to the cross.
- Prayerful reflections on Christ's journey.
- The events of Holy Week including the entry into Jerusalem, Holy Thursday, Jesus' arrest and Good Friday including the reactions Jesus received.
- The story of St Peter during Holy Week.
- Jesus' crucifixion, death and burial.

Vocabulary

Lent: 40 days (not including Sundays) leading up to Easter. Lent starts on Ash Wednesday and ends on Holy Thursday.

Pilgrimage: A special journey.

Via Dolorosa: A pilgrimage, special journey or route, to Jerusalem, representing the path Jesus took before he was crucified.

Holy Thursday: A day during Holy Week when we remember the Last Supper Jesus had with His disciples.

Garden of Gethsemane: A garden between Jerusalem and the Mount of Olives, where Jesus went with his disciples after the Last Supper and was betrayed.

Crucifixion: Jesus is nailed or bound to a cross.

Resurrection: Jesus' return to life on the third day after his death, Easter Sunday.

Passover: Jewish celebration in memory of the escape of the Jewish people from Egypt.

Mercy: compassion and forgiveness shown towards someone.

Parable: A story used to share a message, moral or spiritual lesson told by Jesus in the Gospels.

