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Year I/2 Cycle B	Advent I	
Торіс	Beginnings	Signs and Symbols
	People in the parish family	Mass is Jesus' special meal
Big Question	Who makes the world and everything in it?	Are signs and symbols important?
Core Knowledge	Explore: Talk about different beginnings each day offers. Describe some of the many beginnings	Explore: Recognise a variety of signs and symbols. Talk about and describe a variety of signs
(National Curriculum)	each day offers, asking and answering questions about them.	and symbols.
	(Record as a class, write simple sentences, class teacher to record	LFI (Reveal) Recognise some of the symbols of Baptism.
	questions and answers).	Describe some of the symbols of Baptism.
	LFI (Reveal) Recognise the Creation Story.	(Stick pictures of Baptism symbols, children to label and describe.)
	Retell the Creation story. (Order pictures, key words to describe. Draw pictures, simple sentences).	LF2 (Reveal) Recognise what is said at a Baptism.
	LF2 (Reveal) Wonder about Psalm 139. Describe some parts of Psalm 139. (Record children's responses to the	Describe what is said at a Baptism. (Children to make a 'welcome' card for a baptism, write welcome and decorate with religious images – cross, family,
	Psalm. Which words do they recognise? Who loves them? Who are we saying thank you to? How does the Psalm describe God? What does it say God	priest, and font. Children to describe how the priest welcomes families at the beginning of a Baptism)
	did?)	LF3 (Reveal) Recognise some of the actions and symbols of Baptism.
	LF3 (Reveal) Recognise ways in which I pray at the start of the day. Describe	Describe some of the actions and symbols of Baptism. (Children to
	how I pray at the start of the day. (Children to use sentence starters and	sequence images of the actions and symbols of Baptism and describe what
C	word bank to write their own morning prayer).	the people are saying and doing).
	LF4 (Reveal) Talk about Psalm 19:1-5.	LF4 & LF5 (Reveal) Recognise what the oil and white garment in Baptism
	Wonder about Psalm 19:1-5 and describe these through prayer.	symbolise. Describe how the oil and white garment are used in Baptism and
	(Children to talk about the message of Psalm 19:1-5, children to record why	what they symbolise.
	God is wonderful. Create a word cloud with words to describe the Psalm. Write	LF6 (Reveal) Recognise what a Baptismal Candle is used for.
	a prayer in response.)	Describe what a Baptismal Candle is used for.
	LF5 (Reveal) Reflect upon Psalm 8:3-11 Reflect upon and describe Psalm 8:3-11	(Children to choose from key words to describe their own Baptismal Candle).





	(Draw pictures about words that they	Children to decorate a Baptismal candle
	can hear in the Psalm. Write simple	and annotate it to describe why they
	sentences to describe the Psalm,	have chosen those symbols.)
	describe how they would live it out. I can	
	show love to the world you gave us by)	Respond – Reflect on learning
		throughout topic
	LF6 (Reveal) Recognise ways in which I	
	can be a 'child of God'.	
	Give examples of ways that I can be a	
	'child of God'.	
	(Children to write key words in a	
	template of a person to describe how	
	they can be a child of God. Children to	
	describe how they can be a child of God	
	at home and at school, linking to Gospel	
	Values and Mission Statement).	
	Respond – Reflect on learning	
	throughout topic	
Wider	Luke 2: 23-40	Luke 22: 19-29
Knowledge	Luke 2:41-52	
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Driver	ATI	
Words	Recognise	
110103	Retell	
	Describe	
	Give examples	
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	<u>AT2</u>	
	Talk about	
	Reflect	
	Answer	
	Feel	
	AT3	
	Listen	
	Wonder	
	Ask	
Diversity		
Links		
Vocabulary	beginning, new start, family, friend,	Rite of Baptism, candle, garment, oil,
+ Ocabulai y	creation, psalm, litany	water, priest, Sign of the Cross, Good
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		News, Easter Candle, light, font, chrism





Knowledge in red aimed at Y3, Knowledge in green aimed at Y4, Knowledge in black aimed at both Y3 and Y4			
Year 3/4 Cycle B	Advent I		
Торіс	People	Called	
•	Christian family's journey with Jesus	Jesus gives himself to us in a special way	
Big Question	Where do I come from?	What does it mean to be called and chosen?	
Core	Explore; Compare ideas about our family	Explore: Compare ideas about the	
Knowledge	trees. (Y4 – Give details about each person)	response to being chosen.	
(National	LFI (Reveal) Describe the content of the	(Discuss times when you have been chosen or called on for something. Describe what	
Curriculum)	four Gospels.	happened. How did it make you feel? Why	
Carricalani,	Describe the content of the four	did you do it?)	
	Gospels and make links to other		
	sources.	LFI (Reveal) Describe ways in which	
	(See P. 68 of God's Story 3)	Christians can respond to the call of	
	Gospel Summary Picture Links to representative MS/GV	God.	
	Matthew MS/GV	Describe ways in which Christians can	
	Mark	respond to the call of God, giving	
	Luke John	reasons for their actions.	
		(Look at the stories of Samuel and David.	
	LF2 (Reveal) Retell the story of	How were they called? Compare their callings. Give reasons for their callings.	
	Abraham, explore what Abraham might	State any similarities and differences)	
	have been thinking.		
	Describe the actions of Abraham, giving	LF2 (Reveal) Give examples of ways in	
	reasons for some of these.	which Christians can respond to the call	
		of God.	
	LF3 (Reveal) Retell the story of Joseph,	Describe ways in which Christians can	
	son of Jacob. Use scripture to describe Joseph, son of	respond to the call of God, giving	
	Jacob, giving reasons for his actions.	reasons for their actions. (Compare the	
	Jacob, giving reasons for his actions.	calling of Samuel and David).	
	LF4 (Reveal) Give examples of what Ruth	LF3 (Reveal) Describe the actions and	
	said and make links to religious beliefs.	symbols used during Confirmation, using	
	(She said this because)	religious words and phrases.	
	Make links between the words of Ruth	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	and the Gospels.	LF4 (Reveal) Describe the actions of	
	(See Story of Ruth – Mark I Call of the	those confirmed.	
	apostles, P.89 in God's Story 3)	Describe the actions of those confirmed,	
	LEE (Poyoel) Describe how we can	giving reasons for their actions and	
	LF5 (Reveal) Describe how we can choose to live our lives, using Proverbs	approach to life.	
	3.	(Role play scenarios. "I will use the gift of	
	Describe and give reasons for how we	wisdom by, I'll try to show right	
	can choose to live, using Proverbs 3.	judgement by, I'll show courage from now on when I")	
	U	Explain how they will live out their	
		Baptismal promises and use the Holy	





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	(Prepare a simple 'Charter to live by',	Spirit's seven gifts in their daily lives,
	describing ways in which we live our lives. Y4	Make links to Gospel Values.
	– give reasons for these)	Compare and contrast.
	Respond – Reflect on learning	LF5 (Reveal) Give examples of how you
	throughout topic.	can live in the light.
		Describe ways in which you can live in
		the light, giving reasons for actions.
		(Read I John 5-7, create artwork based
		on the scripture (light vs dark, good vs
		evil, saying yes vs no) annotate with
		examples of how they can live in the
		light. Make links to scripture, parable of
		the two sons – Matthew 21:28-32).
		LF6 (Reveal) Describe the life of
		someone who witnessed the call to be a
		Christian, making links to scripture.
		Describe the life of someone who
		witnessed the call to be a Christian,
		giving reasons for the actions.
		(Read about the work of Missionary Sean
		Devereux, identify actions/qualities e.g.
		selfless, giving, patient, make links to I
		Corinthians – Love is, Explain why
		Missionary Sean Deveruex, "he does this
		because"
		Respond – Reflect on learning
		throughout topic
Wider	Matthew 1:1-17 – The family tree of	Acts 2
Knowledge	Jesus	John 13:15-17,36
	Genesis 2:1-1-8, 18	Romans 8:26
	Genesis 21:1-7	Acts I:8
	Psalm 9:13, 31	I John 1:5-7
	Proverbs 3, 11	
Skills	ATI	
	Retell	
	Describe	
	Give examples	
	Make links	
	AT2	
	Believe	
	Compare	
	Feel	
	<u>AT3</u>	



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	Show	
	Wonder Express	
Diversity Links		
Vocabulary	chosen people, siblings, relations, ancestors, generations, Old Testament, roots, family tree, genealogy, nomad, nomadic	chosen, response, Sacrament of Confirmation, oil of chrism, mitre, crozier, sponsor, catechist, Bishop, Holy Spirit, witness, anointing, Holy Trinity, enkindle, called





Knowledge in red aimed at Y5, Knowledge in green aimed at Y6, Knowledge in black aimed at both Y5 and Y6		
Year 5/6 Cycle B	Advent I	
Торіс	Loving God who never stops loving	Vocation & Commitment The Vocation of Priesthood and Religious Life
Big Question	Do you have to earn love?	What is commitment in life?
Core Knowledge (National Curriculum)	Explore: Explore ideas about love and care of people. (As a class, create phrases related to unconditional love – can use lyrics of songs as inspiration).	Explore: Compare ideas about commitment in life. Describe the impact they have had on your life.
,	Discuss ideas about love and care of people. (In groups, create a phrase to sum up unconditional love – link to beliefs, values, Mission Statement).	LFI (Reveal) Discuss the notion of being called, describing how Christians live this out and making links to Christian beliefs and sources.
	LFI (Reveal) Discuss and make links between scripture and God's love for his people. (Year 5 to make links to Mission Statement, Gospel Values and scripture). Describe and make a range of links between scripture and God's love for his people. (Year 6 to make links to Mission Statement, Gospel Values, scripture, hymns, quotes from Pope Francis).	LF2 (Reveal) Show an understanding of the Christian beliefs which shape a life of vocation. (Y5 – Identify the beliefs from a list and begin to explain how they shape a life). Describe the Christian beliefs which shape a life of vocation. (Y6 – Describe how the beliefs share a life of vocation, making links to scripture). VISIT FROM PRIEST/SISTER PHILOMENA
5	LF2 (Reveal) Describe God's unconditional love, making links to Titus 3:2-8 and describing how we live this out. (Y5 to give 2 ways of how they will live it out). Discuss the meaning of Titus 3:2-8, describing God's unconditional love for us and how this shapes our lives. (Y6 to give 3 ways of how it will shape their lives/how they will live it out).	LF3 (Reveal) Describe the process of ordination. Show an understanding of an ordination, making links to other religious sources such as scripture and prayers. LF4 (Reveal) Describe how an individual is called to religious life (<i>priest/Sister Philomena</i>) linking to a range of sources.
	LF3 (Reveal) Discuss decisions made by individuals in the story of Prodigal Son, making links to Christian beliefs. Describe and give reasons for the decisions made by individuals in the story of Prodigal Son, making links to Christian beliefs.	Show an understanding of the call to religious life linking this to Christian beliefs and giving reasons for the actions, words and signs used.





		LF5 (Reveal) Describe why people
	LF4 (Reveal) Show an understanding of	commit themselves to a vocation,
	how forgiveness is an essential part of	making links to Christian beliefs.
	unconditional love, linking this to	Describe why people commit
	scripture. (SEE PREVIOUS LESSON FOR	themselves to a vocation, giving
	LINKS).	reasons for their actions and linking
	Describe how forgiveness is an	these to Christian beliefs.
	•	chese to Christian beliefs.
	essential part of unconditional love,	
	linking this to Christian beliefs.	Respond – Reflect on learning
		throughout topic
	LF5 (Reveal) Describe how our lives	
	and the lives of others' are shaped by	
	the Beatitudes (Place beatitudes around	
	the classroom, children to move in groups	
	to describe how they might live this out).	
	Show how the lives of others' and	
	their decisions are shaped by the	
	Beatitudes. (Local, National, Global).	
	Deantudes. (Locul, Mutorial, Global).	
	LF6 (Reveal) Explore and discuss	
	Christian unity, making links to other	
	sources.	
	Show an understanding that 'giving of	
	ourselves for others' is an essential	
	part of unconditional love, making links	
	to Christians beliefs.	
	Respond – Reflect on learning	
	throughout topic	
Wider	Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11, 28-31	Mark 16:15
Knowledge	Psalm 23	Genesis 12:1-4
(Scriptures)	Psalm 136	Luke 5:26-27
	Luke 15:11-32	Mark 2:14
		Mark 1:16-20
		Matthew 9:9
		Matthew 4:19-22
Skills	ATI	
	Show understanding	
	Describe	
	Make links	
	Live out	
	<u>AT2</u>	
	Make links	
	Compare	
	Discuss	
	Show how	
	Feel	



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	AT3 Make links Give reasons Express Wonder	
Diversity Links	Gospel Value - Love	
Vocabulary	unconditional, forgiveness, mercy, prodigal, parable, reconciliation	commitment, dedicated, vocation, Ordination, anointing, religious life, service, celibacy, vows