

| Worship and Prayer |                            |  |
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| 1                  | What is Church?            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•The People of God/Body of Christ, among whom Christ is present and active.</li> <li>•Members of a particular Christian denomination/tradition</li> <li>•A building in which Christians worship.</li> </ul> |
| 2                  | Types of worship?          | Liturgical, non-liturgical and informal. Worship can also be done in private.  |
| 3                  | Purpose of Prayer?         | To communicate with God, seek revelation, reflect on life, follow biblical teaching.   |
| 4                  | What is the Lord's Prayer? | The prayer taught to the disciples by Jesus; also known as the 'Our Father' and widely said by Christians in both church services and privately.   |
| 5                  | What are set prayers?      | These are prayers written throughout the centuries which many Christians worldwide use (eg The Lord's Prayer).   |

| Sacraments |                             |  |
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| 1          | What is a sacrament?        | The RCC recognises 7 sacraments and the CoFE recognise 2. Baptism and Holy Communion are key sacraments.   |
| 2          | What is believer's baptism? | Initiation into the Church, by immersion in water, of people old enough to understand the ceremony/rite and who have made the decision to live a Christian life. |
| 3          | What is infant baptism?     | Sacrament of initiation of babies and young children into the Church   |
| 4          | RCC Eucharist?              | RCCs believe that the bread and wine become Jesus' body and blood. This is transubstantiation.   |
| 5          | Non-conformist Eucharist?   | They have an 'open table' where anyone may take holy communion. The wine is often non-alcoholic  |

| Pilgrimage and Celebrations |                                  |   |
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| 1                           | Why go on pilgrimage?            | Healing, miracles, education, reflection  |
| 2                           | Why do Christians go to Lourdes? | Place of pilgrimage where the Virgin Mary appeared to St Bernadette in a series of visions and it is claimed that miraculous healings have taken place. |
| 3                           | Why do Christians go to Iona?    | Place of pilgrimage founded by St Columba in the fourth century.  |
| 4                           | Importance of Christmas?         | Remembers Jesus' incarnation and God's gift to humanity of his son.   |
| 5                           | Importance of Easter?            | Remembers Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection to atone for sin  |

| Role of the Church |   |   |
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| 1                  | What does the Church do in local communities? | They run food banks to tackle poverty and offer street pastors at night time  |
| 2                  | What is the aim of mission?                   | Jesus told his disciples to 'make disciples of nations. The Gospel is 'good news' to be shared with others. This will increase church membership and increase the Christian community. The Alpha Course is an online course for young people to explore faith.  |
| 3                  | What does the worldwide Church do?            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Works for reconciliation between war-torn countries. E.g. CAFOD work in disaster zones to bring food and shelter to victims</li> <li>• Tackle persecution, including religious persecution. E.g. Open Doors tries to save Christians from persecution in their countries.</li> </ul> |

| Key Word                                       | Definition  |
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| <b>Baptism</b>                                 | The sacrament through which people become members of the Church. It involves the use of water as a symbol of the washing away of sin.   |
| <b>Catholic</b>                                | The tradition within the Christian Church which is led by the Pope; also called the Roman Catholic Church. (Note: The term 'catholic' refers to the communion of all Christians, the universal Church, although it is not a term included on this specification). |
| <b>CAFOD</b>                                   | A Christian charity that provides emergency and long-term aid to the developing world.  |
| <b>Christian Aid</b>                           | A Christian charity that provides emergency and long-term aid to the developing world.  |
| <b>Christmas</b>                               | The festival/celebration to remember the birth of Jesus.  |
| <b>Easter</b>                                  | Festival/celebration of the resurrection of Jesus; the Easter season ends with Pentecost (50 days after Easter Sunday) which remembers the coming of the Holy Spirit to earth following the ascension.  |
| <b>Eucharist/holy communion</b>                | Literally 'thanksgiving'; a sacrament in which the death and resurrection of Jesus are celebrated, using bread and wine.  |
| <b>Food banks</b>                              | Places in local communities where people in need can go to collect food; often run/supported by local churches and religious charities.   |
| <b>Informal prayer</b>                         | Spontaneous prayers spoken from the heart which are personal and unique to the person/people at the time  |
| <b>Liturgical worship</b>                      | A church service which follows a set structure or ritual.   |
| <b>Law</b>                                     | Rules or commands which must be followed; the law of God is revealed in the Bible.  |
| <b>Mission</b>                                 | Literally 'sent out'; the duty of Christians to spread the gospel (the good news about Jesus).  |
| <b>Non-liturgical worship/informal worship</b> | A service which does not follow a set text or ritual; sometimes spontaneous or charismatic.   |
| <b>Orthodox</b>                                | A denomination/tradition of the Church popular in some parts of Eastern Europe. There are two main Orthodox Churches – Greek and Russian.   |
| <b>Persecution</b>                             | Facing hostility and ill-treatment; some Christians face punishment and death for practising their faith.   |
| <b>Pilgrimage</b>                              | A religious journey to a holy site/sacred place, it is an act of worship and devotion.  |
| <b>Prayer</b>                                  | Communicating with God through words of praise, thanksgiving or confession, or requests for his help or guidance; listening to and speaking to God.   |
| <b>Private Worship</b>                         | A believer giving God praise and worship on their own.  |
| <b>Protestant</b>                              | Christian denominations in which authority is generally based on the Bible, rather than Church tradition/teaching. (eg Anglican, Methodist, Baptist).   |
| <b>Sacrament</b>                               | The outward and visible sign of an invisible and spiritual grace.   |
| <b>Street Pastors</b>                          | A Christian organisation involving people working, mainly at night, on city streets giving care to those who need it.   |
| <b>Tearfund</b>                                | A Christian charity that provides emergency and long-term aid to the developing world.  |
| <b>Worship</b>                                 | Showing adoration and reverence; offering praise to God.  |



*A students should be aware that the religious traditions of Great Britain are, in the main, Christian, and that religious traditions in Great Britain are diverse. They include Christianity, Buddhism, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism and Sikhism, and non-religious beliefs such as atheism and humanism.*



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| Catholic                                |            |
| CAFOD                                   |            |
| Christian Aid                           |            |
| Christmas                               |            |
| Easter                                  |            |
| Eucharist/holy communion                |            |
| Food banks                              |            |
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| Law                                     |            |
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| Orthodox                                |            |
| Persecution                             |            |
| Pilgrimage                              |            |
| Prayer                                  |            |
| Private Worship                         |            |
| Protestant                              |            |
| Sacrament                               |            |
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| Tearfund                                |            |
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