

Key vocabulary

Disciples	Jesus' friends.
Neighbour	Helping of other people no matter who they are.
Gospel	Good news. Tells the life and teaching of Jesus.
Sacred	Set apart for God.
Leper	A person suffering from Leprosy.



Sequence of learning

Who were Jesus' disciples? How did Jesus decide on who his disciples were? What did Jesus' disciples do? What did Jesus teach his followers to do? What kind of a world did Jesus want? What is the role of a church leader? How is the church leader following Jesus? What kind of world do we live in? What kind of world would you like to see? How do your ideas compare with the world Jesus wanted?

Important facts

Christians believe that Jesus challenges everyone about how to live – he sets the example of loving God and your neighbour, putting others first.
 Jesus shows love and forgiveness to unlikely people.
 Christians try to be like Jesus – they want to know him better and better.
 Christians try to put his teaching and example into practice in lots of ways, from church worship to social justice.

What kind of world did Jesus want?



Biblical links

Matthew 4:18-22
 Mark 1:40-44

Final outcome

Pupils will create a collage of how the world is and how they would like it to be. They should consider the world Jesus would have wanted too. They will write a short description to accompany their collage which explain why they want the world like this and some ideas as to actions people would need to take to make the world like this.

The big story of Christianity



Gospel

Key skills



Text

Identify part of a 'Gospel', which tells the story of the life and teaching of Jesus. Make clear links between the calling of the first disciples and how Christians today try to follow Jesus and be 'fishers of people'. Offer suggestions about what Jesus' actions towards the leper might mean for a Christian.



Impact

Make simple links between Bible texts and the concept of 'Gospel' (good news). Give examples of how Christians try to show love to all, including how members of the clergy follow Jesus' teaching.



Connections

Make links between the Bible stories studied and the importance of love, and life in the world today, expressing some ideas of their own clearly.