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Year groups	Early Years	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Themes							
Domestic Church	myself, name, Christian, family name, precious, parent, God, love, loving parent, prayer	Family, belong, God, love, care, different, God's children, psalm, family of God, response 'Blessed be God'	beginning, family, friend, creation, psalm, litany new start, family, friend prayer, 'And God saw that it was very good' 'Blessed be God' Created in God's image.	home, love, family, difference, respect, joys, sorrows, community, Holy Family 'Love one another as I have loved you'(Jn15:12) 'Put up with one another...' St Paul Colossians	chosen people, roots, family tree, genealogy Old Testament Abraham, Sarah, Isaac Jacob Ruth, Naomi 'Wherever you go, I will go.' Solomon Doing God's will God's promise to his people Trust in God 'Father if a great people" "descendants number more than the stars"	qualities, unique, gifts, challenge, joys responsibility, dignity, image holy people courage Martyr Mary mother of God. Sacrifice Missionary Canonized Bore witness Rosary	unconditional, forgiveness, mercy, prodigal, parable Beatitudes Sacrament of Reconciliation 'Make your home in me as I make mine in you'(John 15:4) 'Walking in darkness' - Resurrection - 'I am the light of the world' John 8:12

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					Abram trusted God.		
Baptism/Confirmation Marriage/Holy Orders	Nursery welcome, welcomed, Baptism, baptise, water, candle, "In the name of ... Reception: priest, white garment, godparents,	sign of the cross, belong, friends, invitation, reply, accept, welcome, Baptism, God- parents, sign Sacrament, Oil, water, white garment, candle	Easter candle, font, oil of chrism, Good News, sign, symbols 'I baptise you in the name of the Father..' 'Receive the Light of Christ'	Sacrament Rite of Baptism, Godparents, baptismal promises, lighted candle, Our Father, litany of saints actions, symbols, commitment, faith, welcome, Church,	chosen, response, Sacrament of Confirmation, oil of chrism, mitre, crozier, sponsor, catechist, bishop, Holy Spirit, witness, Holy Trinity, enkindle,	Sacrament of marriage Vocation community of life and love service, responsibility, fidelity commitment mission promises blessing of rings calling	commitment, dedicated, vocation, Sacrament of Ordination anointing, religious life, service, celibacy, poverty chastity obedience vows called

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	<p>font Sign of the cross</p>		<p>white garment, anointing oil, water, Our Father promises Blessing Scripture reading</p>	<p>ceremonies, anointing with oil of Catechumens, Chrism 'What do you ask of God's church for..?' Blessing of baptismal water</p>	<p>called Samuel, David Apostles 'Come Holy Spirit fill the hearts..' Liturgy of the Word Old Testament, New testament, Gospel Psalm Christ-like Gifts of the Spirit Laying on of hands Presentation of the candidate Renewal of Baptismal promises Anointing with Chrism</p>	<p>consecrate - make holy Matrimony Rite of Marriage Song of Songs 'Nothing can come between us and the love of Christ' Romans 8:31 'Are you ready freely..' 'Are you ready to love..' 'Are you ready to accept..' Consent Exchange of vows 'Take this ring..' Nuptial Blessing</p>	<p>Baptism Bishop Oil of Chrism Stole Chalice, paten Litany of saints Vestments, chasuble John Henry Newman 'God has created me.' 'makes holy and set apart' 'priestly people' Holy Orders 'You did not choose me, I chose you' Presentation of the candidates Examination of the Candidates Promise of Obedience Laying on of hands Investiture Anointing Kiss of peace</p>
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					'Be sealed with the gifts of the Holy Spirit' 'soldier of Christ'		
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Advent/Christmas	<p>Nursery birthday, Christmas, advent, Jesus, Mary, Joseph, swaddling clothes, manger, crib</p> <p>Reception: shepherds, Wise Men, wreath</p>	waiting, prepare, messenger, visit, celebrate, advent, Jesus, Mary, Elizabeth, Joseph, shepherds, angels, Christmas, Bethlehem, manger, worship, wreath Angel Gabriel 'Son of God' 'Light of the world'	advent, preparing, Christmas, Nativity, waiting Isaiah, messenger Gabriel Annunciation Strong friend Powerful God Ever-loving Father Bringer of Peace Visitation.	advent, Annunciation, Visitation, the coming of Jesus Nativity Rosary: Joyful mysteries The Jesse tree, Visitors. Isaiah, Messiah, Magnificat, Advent wreath Advent calendar	Advent, Isaiah Messiah Mary's gift of herself to God Gaudete gift, friendship, loyalty, commitment God's gift of love and friendship Children of God	Advent, Jesus the promised one, advent wreath, Joyful mysteries of the Rosary waiting, hopeful, Messiah, prophet Isaiah Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Creed 'He will come again in glory..' joyful hope for Christ to come again in glory at the end of time. Waiting in hope 'all shall be well' 'Wait for God in patient hope'	expectation, Maranatha Messiah, Isaiah certainty, advent, Christmas Emmanuel, angelus(Some words from) incarnation - Word made flesh John the Baptist Second Advent of Christ. 'all shall be well' Waiting in expectation '..as we wait in joyful hope for the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ.' 'Get the road ready for the Lord; make a straight path for him to travel'
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Themes							
Local Church	<p>Nursery, church, priest, celebrate, celebrating, Parish family.</p> <p>Reception, Church, family, community, Temple, parish</p>	<p>Welcomers, Sunday, Holy Jesus, Presentation, Mary, Joseph Anna Simeon church, community, temple, altar servers, special ministers, readers, choir, priest, sign of the cross 'Thanks be to God'</p>	<p>books, scripture, lectern, Gospel, Matthew, Mark, Luke John Bible, Word of God New Testament, Old Testament, genre, thurible, incense missal, church, parish family Sign of the Cross 'Glory to you O Lord' 'Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ'</p>	<p>liturgical year, Christian family Rosary calendar, seasons, journey, ordinary time feasts Feasts of Mary Pilgrimage Psalms Annunciation Mother of God Incarnation 'He will be great and will be called the Son of God.' 'I am happy to do whatever God wants.'</p>	<p>community, commitment, responsibility, Parish, laity, ministries, extraordinary ministers, pastoral areas, service, funeral rites, pastoral area, deanery church - 'called out and set apart'</p>	<p>mission, bishop, ecumenism, cathedral, apostle, disciple, Good News, diocese, inspirational, Baptism, Christian unity, Gentile 'Christ is like a single body, which has many parts..' church - 'called out and set apart' mission - 'being sent' 'make the name of Jesus known and loved'</p>	<p>Poetry, prose, history, information, stories Bible, Old Testament, New Testament, genre Letters Gospels Prophets Wisdom History Acts Revelation Bible 'inspired by the Holy Spirit' Reverence expressed in the Liturgy 'The Word of the Lord' and 'The Gospel of the Lord'</p>

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			'This is my beloved Son...'				
Eucharist	<p>Nursery Welcome, 'The Lord be with you.. blessing, bless</p> <p>Reception: Mass Altar servers Priest Crucifix Hymn books Gathering hymn</p>	<p>Mass, share, blessing, bread host, wine, altar, Last Supper, Holy Communion, Listen, give thanks Preparation of the Gifts 'This is my body and this is my blood' Our Father 'Blessed are you Lord God of all creation' 'Blessed be God forever'</p>	<p>thank you, thanksgiving, thoughtful, Eucharist, Eucharistic prayer 'Take and eat, this is my body.. .' Take and drink, this is my blood..' 'The Word of the Lord' 'Thanks be to God' 'The Gospel of the Lord' Holy, Holy, Holy.' 'Go in peace' 'Thanks be to God' 'The Gospel of the Lord'</p>	<p>listening, sharing, Eucharist, Mass, gathering, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Holy Communion, Good News, ambo 'The Lord be with you' 'And with your Spirit' Words from the Gloria. Preparation of the Gifts. 'Blessed be God for ever..' 'Take this all of you and eat</p>	<p>communion, community, gathering giving, receiving, liturgy of the word, Penitential rite, lamb of God, sign of Peace. introductory rite, Eucharist, communion rite 'Behold the Lamb of God..' 'Lord I am not worthy..' Concluding Rite, Take this all of you and eat of it , this is my Body'</p>	<p>Memories, significant, memorial sacrifice, memorial, sacrifice, Passover, Pesach, host, chalice, Seder meal, liturgy of the Eucharist, Eucharistic prayer, consecration. Words of Consecration Mystery of Faith adoration, genuflect</p>	<p>Eucharist, communion, community, unity 'May they be one..' Eucharistic prayers Our Father Sign of Peace Communion Rite 'As there is one loaf, so we, although there are many of us..' 'Lamb of God' 'supper of the Lamb' 'Lord I am not worthy..' Community Amen unity of the faithful , Eucharistic presence of Christ</p>

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			'Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ' 'Do this in memory of me'	of it , this is my Body' 'Do this in memory of me'	'..all of you and drink from it , this is my Blood..' 'Lord I am not worthy..' 'Do this in memory of me' 'Behold the Lamb of God'		
Lent/Easter	Ash Wednesday, Lent, Easter, new life Grow, spring, different, lent, Good Friday, cross, Easter Sunday 'grow inside'	change, seasons, spring growth, lent, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Easter Sunday, alleluia, cross, Resurrection Palm Sunday Holy Week 'change inside'	opportunities, Ash Wednesday, Lent, prayer sharing, giving, cross, crucifix, Easter candle Easter new life 'Repent and believe in the Gospel' Palm Sunday, Passion Holy Week	self-giving, courage, Ash Wednesday, Holy Week, prayer, fasting, almsgiving, Gethsemane Calvary Easter - new life, Resurrection, sorrowful mysteries Stations of the Cross	Lent, stations of the cross Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary, Prayer, fasting almsgiving, Easter new life self-discipline, Easter Resurrection, Prayer over the ashes	giving, carer, cost, temptation, betrayal, self-sacrifice, holy week, Maundy Thursday, Gethsemane, altar of repose, love, crucifixion, Easter vigil, resurrection Spiritual growth Alleluia	loss, death, change, growth, Ash Wednesday Holy week, Triduum, Easter Vigil Resurrection, Paschal Bread of Life 'Unless a grain of wheat' 'I am the Resurrection and the life..'

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			<p>Maundy Thursday Good Friday Easter Sunday Alleluia</p>	<p>Holy Thursday, Good Friday Easter Vigil Beatitudes</p>	<p>Easter Triduum 'Father forgive them..' 'Love your neighbour..'</p>	<p>Sacrament of reconciliation 'Repent and believe in the Gospel' 'Remember that you are dust..' 'turn back to God.' Stations of the Cross Sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary</p>	<p>'Behold the wood of the cross' 'The light of Christ' Repent and believe in the Gospel' 'Remember that you are dust..' 'Dying in order to live' Penitential season 'Give us this day our daily bread' Stations of the Cross Easter fire</p>
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Pentecost	Good News, tell, Pentecost, promise, Holy Spirit, alleluia, litany	holiday, holyday, birthday of the Church apostles help, Pentecost, promise, guide, Resurrection, alleluia Ascension Tongues of fire Gift of the Holy Spirit Good News Joy, life, peace happiness made new	Message risen, Resurrection, Holy Spirit Ascension, witnesses, blessing Pentecost, promise, Good News spread the word	fire, wind, power energy, Ascension gifts, Holy Spirit, Rosary, Glorious Mysteries, Pentecost Wisdom Understanding Right judgement Courage knowledge Awe and Wonder Reverence	Resurrection Pentecost Journeys of St Paul life, good news, Resurrection, Pentecost, Holy Spirit Feast 'Share the Gospel' Baptism Confirmation Mission 'I will be with you..'	transformation, transform energy, wind, fire holy spirit, change gift, fruits of the spirit disciples Emmaus love joy peace, patience kindness, goodness faithfulness humility, self - control power of the Spirit Baptism	Ascension, Holy Spirit, witnesses, martyrs, courage, truth inspiration, Good News, Baptism, Stephen , first deacon - called to serve and witness to the Word of God, Confirmation, courage , good deeds, Power of the Holy Spirit '...and I will be with you always to the end of the age'

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						Confirmation	(Matthew 28:16-20)
Reconciliation	<p>Nursery friend, happy, sad, love, make up, kind, gentle, loving sorry, forgive, change</p> <p>Reception: rule, understanding, new start, friendship, forgive, change</p>	choice, happy, sad, disappointed, sorry, forgive rules, wrong, right, feeling, love	rules, care, safe, sorry, forgive, right, wrong make up, choices, sin, consequences examination of conscience 'wrong on purpose' Purple stole priest Sacrament of Reconciliation 'Love one another as I have loved you'	Sacrament of Reconciliation, confession, conscience, Act of sorrow, penance, sin, choice, consequences, repentance, penitent, absolution. Words of Act of Sorrow Laying on of hands Purple stole Priest The Lost sheep Prodigal Son Forgiveness	Sacrament of Reconciliation words of absolution bridges, Penitential rite friendship, contrition forgiveness absolution, examination of conscience, sin, penance, confession The Lost sheep Prodigal Son Forgiveness Conversion Penance	The Ten Commandments The greatest Commandment Beatitudes Christian living freedom, responsibility, Beatitudes, commandments, reconciliation merciful God absolution, examination of conscience, sin, penance, confession Words of absolution	anointing, prayer, healing, forgiveness of sin, care of the sick, hospice, compassion sacrament, parable 'Who is my neighbour?' Good Samaritan, Lourdes, Christian responsibility, mercy, spiritual healing giving strength, peace courage and forgiveness

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			Laying on of hands Repentance	Conversion	Firm purpose of amendment 'O my God because you are so good..' Hands - strength power Words of absolution		'..anointed many who were sick.' (Mark 6:13) Sacrament of Anointing, Penitential rite, litany, laying on of hands, Holy water - Baptism
Universal Church	world, wonder, wonderful, care, love, share, work/play together	neighbour, love, world, Fairtrade, global, family, psalm, share, Good Samaritan	treasure, gift, care, love, protect, respect, preserve, creation, precious, Glory to God in the highest..'	special, holy, place, world, pilgrim, pilgrimage, universal, temple, Nazareth, Bethlehem, Jerusalem	ordinary, extraordinary, admire, saint, martyr, communion of saints, peace, justice, living out, belief, faith	stewards, stewardship, sustainable, creation, creator, created, climate, preserve, ecology, integrity, harmony	Justice and peace and the integrity of creation, Beatitudes, Common Good, injustice, respect, solidarity, difference,

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		Parable - 'Who is my neighbour?'				Called to Stewardship - Catholic Social Teaching	social Justice, common good, dignity, Catholic Social Teaching, CAFOD, fairness, Gospel Values 'when I was hungry...' (Matthew 25:31-40) 'Aspire not to have more but to be more' (Oscar Romero)
Judaism	Nursery Special days, Jewish, Hanukkah, lamp, light, Reception: Menorah	stories, Abraham, Moses, leaders, Jewish, desert, promised, Pharaoh	creation, shabbat challah, havdalah spice box, Kiddush	worship, synagogue, shul, rabbi, Shabbat, Sefer Torah, Ark,	books, tenakh sefer torah, Hebrew, scroll scribe, yad, ark	remembering, Passover, Seder, Pesach, kosher, matzah, bitter herbs, charoset, lamb,	Rosh Hashanah, Teshuvah, Yom Kippur shofar, forgiveness, confession responsibility, fasting

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				bimah, kippah, tallit, prayer shawl, kiddush	Bar/ bat mitzvah	shema, mezuzah Exodus, Moses, Pharoah, ' Listen Israel, the Lord is our God, the Lord is one.'	sins, repentance, Mikveh
Islam	Special object, precious prayer mat, book	Muhammad makkah, Ka'bah, Qur'an	prayer Allah, wudu Halal	Wudu, mosque Imam, Makkah Arabic, Mosque minaret muezzin mihrab	Qur'an, Subhas, 99 beautiful names, Jibril, Muhammad, Allah Prayer beads	Ramadan, fasting, eid-ul-Fitr, Pilgrimage, makkah, hajj, eid-ul-adha	Guidance, Shahada, Salah, Zaka, Sawm Hajj