

RE – Christianity



Question: Should believing in the resurrection change how Christians view life and death?

What I should already know: I know that Easter is the festival that celebrates Christ rising from the dead and that this is called the resurrection of Christ. I have asked important questions about the end of life and what might follow and compared my ideas with others, including Christians. I know that the Christian scripture is called the Bible.

Religious journey:

Can I engage with the meaning of resurrection?

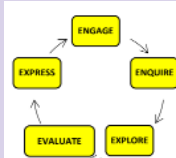
Can I enquire into how believing in the resurrection changes things for Christians?

Can I explore Christian ideas about the resurrection?

Can I explore Christian ideas about the Resurrection in church practice?

Can I explore Christian ideas about the resurrection in (iii) Christian living?

Can I express an understanding of a Christian's belief of the resurrection?



Key Vocabulary

Christian - a person who has received Christian baptism or is a believer in Christianity.

Disciple - a personal follower of Christ during his life

Gospels - the teaching or revelation of Christ.

Lent - the 40 days before Easter, a period during which, for religious reasons, some people stop doing particular things that they enjoy

Resurrection - the raising to life of those who have died. Worship

Sacrifice - An offering presented to God as a token to express thanksgiving, to acknowledge guilt, and to restore good relations with him.

Tomb: a large vault, typically an underground one, for burying the dead.

Pupils will:

Explain some Christian teaching about resurrection, saying why resurrection makes a difference to their lives and linking their ideas to different Bible passages

Use a wide religious vocabulary to produce a guide to Christian funerals that also compares practices of different Christians

Express, in word or image, some of the beliefs, feelings or ideas a Christian has about resurrection and explain what I am trying to convey

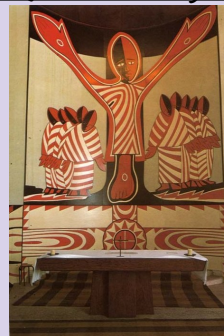
Ask about the challenges of holding a particular religious view on death and resurrection in a diverse society, where people have different ideas about the nature of an after-life, or whether such a thing exists, with those of others including religious believers

Discuss some of the benefits and problems of believing everyone has the right to live and die well and suggest different ideas I think people would have

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Engelbert Mveng, Nairobi, Kenya - a golden Jesus



Neil McBride ~ abstract painting by British Visual Artist



