

Great Crosby Catholic Primary School

Year 3



TO KNOW YOU MORE CLEARLY 2024-2025

	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
Year 3	BRANCH ONE	BRANCH TWO	BRANCH THREE	BRANCH FOUR	BRANCH FIVE	BRANCH SIX
	CREATION AND COVENANT	PROPHECY AND	FROM GALILEE TO	FROM DESERT TO	TO THE ENDS OF THE	DIALOGUE AND
HEAR		PROMISE	JERUSALEM	GARDEN	EARTH	ENCOUNTER
	By the end of this unit of	By the end of this unit	By the end of this unit	By the end of this unit of	By the end of this unit	DIALOGUE
	study, pupils will know:	of study, pupils will	of study, pupils will	study, pupils will hear the	of study, pupils will	By the end of this unit
		know:	hear the following key	following key texts:	hear the following	of study, pupils will
	That the Creation stories in	Why Christians go to	texts: Miracles,	The miracle of the loaves	key texts:	have encountered the
	Genesis use symbolism to	Mass on Sunday.	either:	(Matt 14: 13-21).	• Road to Emmaus (Lk	following key text:
	explain the relationship	 How Catholics 	 Cure of the 	 The last supper (The 	24:13-35)	• Exodus 12:1-8,15-
	between God,	celebrate Mass.	centurion's servant	institution of the	 The mission to the 	20, 13:3
	human beings, and the	For Advent:	(Matt 8:5-13) or	Eucharist) (Matt 26: 26-	world (Matt 28:16-	• Lk 22:14-23 By the
	world.	 Messiah would be 	 Cure of a paralytic 	29).	20)	end of this unit of
		born of a virgin and	(Matt 9:1-8) Parables,	 Extracts from a 	 The group of 	study, pupils will
	That in the first account of	would be called	either:	Eucharistic Prayer.	apostles (Mary) (Acts	know that the Church
	the Creation one day is	Immanuel (Is 7:14).	 Parable of the 		1:12-14)	teaches:
	'made holy' (Gen 2:3).	The Annunciation to	Sower (Matt 13:4-9) •		 Early Church (Acts 	 For Christians, the
		Joseph (Matt 1:18-25).	Parable of the Sower		2:42-47)	Eucharist is linked
	 That the Church teaches 	• Revisit Lk 1:26-38.	explained (Matt		 Paul's Letter to the 	with the Jewish
	that 'Creation is the		13:10-17) or		Corinthians (1 Cor	celebration of
	common work of the Holy		 Parable of the yeast 		11:23-27)	Passover.
	Trinity'.		(Matt 13:33) or			
	By the end of this unit of		 Parable of the 			
	study pupils will have		treasure and of the			
	encountered the following		pearl (Matt 13:44-46)			
	key texts:		For Epiphany: • The			
			visit of the Magi			
	The first account of the		(Matt 2:1-12)			
	Creation, Genesis 1:1-2:4.					
	• Extracts from either Psalm					
	8 or 19 in praise of Creation					
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	 In an age-appropriate way, LS 66 and 88. 					
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BELIEVE	By the end of this unit of	By the end of this unit	By the end of this unit	By the end of this unit of	By the end of this unit	
	study, pupils will know that	of study, pupils will	of study, pupils will	study, pupils will know:	of study, students will	
	the Church teaches:	know that the Church	know that the Church	At the Last Supper Jesus	know that the Church	
	 God is the Creator of the 	teaches:	teaches:	showed his love by giving	teaches that:	
	Universe who made	 Sunday is the day of 	 The Adoration of 	the gift of himself	 The disciples 	
	everything out of 'free and	the Resurrection of	the Magi shows that	transformed into bread	recognised Jesus	
	unselfish love' (YC 2).	Jesus. Therefore,	all people are seeking	and wine. He made his	when he breaks the	
	 That all human beings are 	Christians gather on	Jesus and he comes	apostles priests of his	bread. At Mass, what	
	made in God's image and all	Sunday.	for the whole world.	promise when he told	we eat looks like	
	people have dignity and are	 Catholics gather to 	 The kingdom of 	them to 'Do this in	bread, but it is Jesus	
	created equal.	celebrate Mass where	God begins in all	remembrance of me' (1	who comes, the living	
	 A way in which human 	they listen to the	those who open their	Cor 11:23-25, Eucharistic	God. The bread is the	
	beings' image (imitate) God	words of holy	hearts to God's love.	prayer).	Body of Christ.	
	is through care for each	scripture (the	 The miracles that 	 Catholics gather to 	 There is only one 	
	other, and that caring for	Liturgy of the Word)	Jesus worked	celebrate Mass where	God, who is three	
	Creation is one of the ways	and meet Jesus in Holy	expressed his love for	they listen to the words of	Persons. God is a	
	we care for each other.	Communion (the	all people and were	holy scripture (the Liturgy	community within	
	Additionally, failing to care	Liturgy of the	signs that the	of the Word) and meet	himself: an eternal	
	for Creation is a way people	Eucharist).	kingdom of God was	Jesus in Holy Communion	exchange of love	
	turn away from God's love.	 The Liturgy of the 	beginning.	(the Liturgy of the	between Father, Son,	
	 The dignity of all human 	Word includes	 Jesus' parables to 	Eucharist). By the end of	and Holy Spirit. We	
	beings is one of the	readings from the Old	show the choices	this unit of study, pupils	call this mystery the	
	principles of Catholic Social	Testament and the	people must make to	will know that the Church	Trinity.	
	Teaching	New Testament.	accept his invitation	teaches that:	Through Mary, the	
		 That Jesus birth was 	to the kingdom.	 A sacrament is a 	Holy Spirit guided the	
		foretold by the		meeting point where	first disciples. She	
		prophets.		people are blessed by God	continues to guide	
		That Joseph listened		and become closer to the	our prayers.	
		to the angel and		community of the Church.	 Mass was 	
		opened his heart to		 The Eucharist is a 	celebrated in the	
		the Holy Spirit.		sacrament in which Jesus	early Church.	
				offers his life for the		
				salvation of the world. He		
				is present in Holy		
				Communion to be		

CELEDRATE	Dutho and of this with a	Du the and of this	Du the and of this and	received by those who believe. • That at the Last Supper Jesus instituted the Eucharist. • People give themselves to Jesus when they receive the Eucharist (Holy Communion).	Dutha and of this will	ENCOUNTED
CELEBRATE	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Extracts from a psalm of Creation. • How the praise of Creation is expressed in the prayer and Liturgy of the Church (e.g., St Francis's Canticle of the Creatures; the Offertory prayers; a Prayer for our Earth in Laudato Si').	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • How Catholics use some signs, actions, prayers, and symbols to celebrate Mass, e.g., the sign of the cross, bells, the Kyrie Eleison prayer, etc. • Hear some of the responses Catholics say at Mass, focusing on the Liturgy of the Word. • How Advent hymns celebrate Jesus as the coming Messiah (e.g., O Little town of Bethlehem; Long ago prophets knew; O come, divine Messiah; O come, O come Emmanuel).	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Praying the 'Our Father' helps Christians to continue to build the kingdom begun with Jesus	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Some prayers and responses Catholics say during Mass. • Some prayers and responses Catholics sing during the Eucharistic Prayer. Catholics • Some ways people celebrate their first Eucharist (First Holy Communion).	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • That the sign of the cross is the shortest summary of the Christian faith. • That some prayers that reference the Trinity and the work of the Holy Spirit. • That the celebration of Mass ends by reminding Christians of Jesus' instruction to make disciples of all nations.	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered the following: • Some simple facts about how the Jewish festival of the Passover is celebrated by Jews in Britain today. By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered the following: • Recognise links and simple connections between some Islamic religious laws, beliefs, worship, and life (e.g., belief in one God, the Creator, the significance of
LIVE	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Ways in which we can show care for God's world	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Some ways that Christians prepare for	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • About the life of a saint who worked to	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • The ways in which Catholics are called to live	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	Muhammed, importance of the will of God etc.). • Recognise the importance of artistic expressions of belief

(stewardship) as part of our	the coming of Christ	build the kingdom of	Eucharist by following the	• That being a	in Islam, for example,
care for each other.	during Advent.	God.151	example of Jesus.	Christian means to	in Islamic art or
 Ways in which people can 	 Representations in 		 Some different cultural 	share the gospel.	religious music.
give thanks for the blessing	art around the world,		practices associated with	That Christians	
of Creation, including	connecting to the		Holy Week (e.g., Maundy	today continue to	
spending time in prayer.	prophecies of Christ's		money in the UK, Green	follow the example of	
	coming.		Thursday in Germany).	the apostles and early	
				Church when they	
				gather to say Mass.	
				How the Emmaus	
				story is represented	
				in art (e.g.,	
				Caravaggio's Supper	
				at Emmaus;	
				Maximino Cerezo	
				Barredo, Emmaus	
				Triptych 2014; He Qi,	
				The Road	
				 to Emmaus, Supper 	
				at Emmaus).	
				 That the mystery of 	
				the Trinity is	
				represented	
				symbolically, e.g.,	
				Trinity knot.	