

RE KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER



Year 4 – Advent/Christmas- Loving

ESSENTIAL VOCABULARY	
Gift	Not necessarily a physical gift but the gift of love, friendship, patience and so on.
Friendship	a relationship between friends.
Loyalty	a strong feeling of support or allegiance.
Commitment	an engagement or obligation that <u>restricts</u> freedom of action.
Rejoice	feel or show great joy or delight.
Peace	freedom from <u>disturbance</u> ; tranquillity.
God's plan	the Will of God

Church teachings:

This is an outline of the teaching of the Church covered in **GIFT**:

- The liturgical season of Advent.
- Advent is focused on the coming of Jesus as Messiah.
- Gaudete Sunday.
- The Messiah is the one promised by God who would show God's love and bring peace.
- Isaiah's prophecy about coming of the Messiah.
- Further understanding of the Incarnation.
- The visit of the Wise Men.

RE CURRICULUM DIRECTORY

Area of Study 1: Knowing and loving God, the Scriptures, the Trinity, Jesus Christ, Son of God, the Holy Spirit
Area of Study 2: What is the Church? One and holy, Catholic
Area of Study 3: Liturgy, prayer
Area of Study 4: The dignity of the human person,



An Advent prayer

Give us the grace and strength we need every day. Help us to always trust in you. Come, Lord Jesus, lead all people closer to you. Come and dispel the darkness of our world with the light of your love.

Reveal

Advent and Christmas: the Church's seasons of preparing to receive God's gift of love and friendship in Jesus



Key questions:

Why are the gifts of love and friendship important?
 What are the joys and demands of the commitment?



LINKS TO PREVIOUS LEARNING

Year 3 - VISITORS–
 How are visitors welcomed?
 The joys and demands of visitors

Scripture:

Isaiah 40: 9-11
 Matthew 2: 1-12, 16-18
 Ephesians 1: 3-6
 1 John 4: 4, 9-12