

Year 5



Topic 5.2 GOD'S COVENANTS

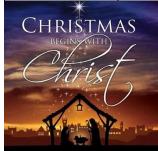
What should I already know?

- The story of Moses and the Exodus of the Israelites from Egypt.
- Moses and the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai.
- Know some of the commandments and understand how we use them to show our love for God.
- The stories of Abraham.

What will I know at the end of the unit?

- Have a detailed knowledge of the story of Moses.
- Knowledge of the story of Noah and Abraham.
- Suggest answers to questions like 'What's surprising about Gods choice of people?' e.g.
 Moses and the Israelites. Why does God choose them? Compare responses.
- Use religious vocabulary (see key vocabulary)
- Show some understanding of how the decision of Moses were informed by their beliefs.
- Make links between the virtues of faith and courage by giving reasons for their importance in life.
- Have an accurate knowledge of The Ten Commandments and make links between the commandments and their own lives.
- Begin to show some understanding of the Incarnation in the messages of the prophets.
- Show some understanding of what we learn about God from the messages of the prophets.
- Suggest answers to a question like, 'What matters most at Christmas?' comparing responses.

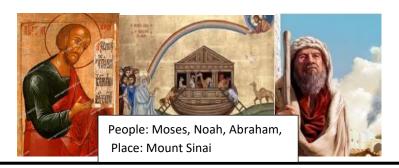
Key Vocabulary	
Adultery	Break your marriage promises.
Commandment	A rule to be obeyed.
Covenant	A very important promise.
Covet	To want something for yourself.
Exodus	Journey of Israel from slavery to freedom.
Faith	Belief
Incarnation	When God truly became man.
Israelites	Descendants of Jacob in ancient times,
Passover	A major Jewish spring festival which commemorates the
	liberation of the Israelites from Egyptian slavery,
Plague	A widespread illness.
Promise	To tell someone that you will do it.
Prophet	A holy person who hears God's word and tells others about it.
Sacraments	A very important gift from Jesus when we receive special help
	and grace.
Temptation	Thoughts that lead us to behave wrongly if we give in to them.
Trust	Belief in something or someone.
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We will reflect on the true meaning of Christmas using a guided meditation on "The Birth of Jesus".

Key People and places



Key Scripture

Exodus 13: 17-24 14; 1-31(The exodus

from Egypt through the sea)

Exodus 20: 1-17 (The Ten

Commandments)

Matthew 22: 34-40 (Jesus' teaching on the greatest commandment of all)

Key Prayers

Our Father

The Nicene Creed

