

# Knowledge Organiser Religion Year 3 Autumn

## Baptism/Confirmation - Belonging: Promises



St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School  
"Love one another as I have loved you"



### Prior Learning

The children learned in Year 2 the signs and symbols used in baptism.

### Liturgical/Prayer links

- Rite of Baptism
- Litany of Saints
- The Creed
- Our Father

### Big Question

*What does it mean to make a promise?*

*To answer this question the children will use the knowledge learned within RE lessons and make links to the scripture that was used.*

### Knowledge/Scripture/Liturgy

The promises at Baptism and Confirmation are a call to a new way of life. Through both sacraments, we are initiated into the Christian Church and we respond to God's call.

- Children will **share** experiences of belonging to different groups and clubs and **ask and respond** to questions based on this.
- Children will be able to **make links** between their own actions and the promises they make.
- Through scripture children will be able to **retell and identify symbols within** the story of the Baptism of Jesus.
- Children will use a developing religious vocabulary to **describe and give reasons** for the actions and symbols used at Baptism.
- Children will learn and understand about the structure of the rite of Baptism: The celebration of the Word of God; The litany of Saints; The renunciation of sin and Profession of Faith; Anointing with the Oil of Chrism; Symbolism of the lighted candle.
- Children will be able to **give reasons** for the promises made at Baptism.
- Children will be able to **give reasons** how and why Christians live as followers of the Light of Christ
- Children will celebrate their new knowledge and understanding by planning, leading and delivering their own end of topic liturgy.

### Link to end of year descriptors

#### Learning about Religion

- Use religious vocabulary in a way which they give reasons for religious actions and symbols.
- Describe in detail the symbols and steps in Baptism

#### Learning from Religion

- Ask and respond to questions about their own and others' experiences and feelings about each of the areas of study, in relation to questions of meaning and purpose

### Vocabulary

- Promise:** saying that something will happen or be done.
- Rule:** a guide for behaviour or action.
- Action:** something being done.
- Symbol:** something that represents something else.
- Rite:** a ceremony.
- Sacrament:** a Christian religious act or ceremony considered to be sacred.
- Commitment:** a promise to do or give something.
- Faith:** trusting in something or someone.
- Welcome:** greeted or received gladly.
- Church:** community of religious believers.
- Ceremonies:** an act performed in a certain way, especially as part of a religious event.
- Chrism:** holy oil used for blessing by bishops.