

Key figures

Christians

- Jesus was born in Bethlehem as a Jew.
- He is the main figure in Christianity but is also a prophet in Islam.
- To Christians, he is the actual son of God, who lived and died to save people, by making them realise their sins
- His birth is the Nativity, his death and resurrection is Easter. 50 days after Easter, the Holy Spirit visited the disciples (Pentecost).
- Vicars conduct services in Christian (Church of England) churches
- A vicar is a deputy for a Christian Church of England bishop. A vicar can be a man or woman and get married.
- Vicars conduct services in Christian Churches, such as weddings, funerals and Sunday services.



Jews

- Moses is the most important prophet in Judaism.
- He is also an important prophet in Christianity and Islam.
- Moses was born as a Hebrew slave in Egypt, around 1300BC.
- His mother hid him to save his life and he was adopted by the Egyptian royal family.
- He was commanded by God to lead the Hebrews out of Egypt to Israel.
- God helped him to part the waves of the Red Sea, to allow the Hebrews to cross.
- On the way, God gave Moses the Ten Commandments at Mount Sinai.



Vicar



Moses



Key Vocabulary

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| sin | A bad action, like stealing or lying |
| prophet | Someone who teaches the will of God |
| Ten Commandments | Ten rules or laws given by God, telling people how they should live their lives correctly. |
| Church of England | A type of Christianity, started in England in 1534. Its leader is the Queen. |