



# Religious Education

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In this unit, we will learn that the local church gives thanks for God's blessings in its liturgical celebrations and in the way, it lives its parish life. Christians belong to the local church community – the parish, which celebrates in a variety of ways. They celebrate tradition and story and find their meaning in Jesus.

## Religious Knowledge:

**Prior learning:** children will have experienced celebrations at home.

**This Topic: learning outcomes**

Know and understand:

- what a celebration is – **Explore**
- how the parish family celebrate – **Reveal**

acquire the skills of assimilation celebration and application of the above – **Respond**

## Inspiring Individuals

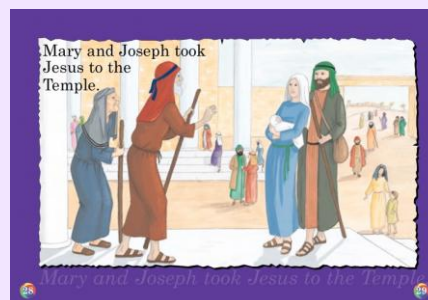


Mary and Joseph

## Skills:

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|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Knowledge and Understanding<br>(learning about) | Stories                | R.1.1  | Listen to and talk about religious stories and respond to what they hear with relevant comments                                                                                                          |
|                                                 |                        | R.1.2  | Use a variety of materials, tools and techniques to express religious stories.                                                                                                                           |
|                                                 |                        | R.1.3  | Represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings about religious stories develop their own narratives and explanations of religious stories by connecting ideas and events to the scripture source used. |
|                                                 |                        | R.1.4  | Read and understand simple sentences from scripture or their own religious stories.                                                                                                                      |
|                                                 | Beliefs                | R.2    | Listen, talk about and role play similarities and differences between themselves and others and families,                                                                                                |
|                                                 |                        | R.3    | Listen, talk about and role play similarities and differences between Church traditions.                                                                                                                 |
|                                                 | Actions                | R.5    | Listen, talk about and role play how people behave in the local, national and universal Church community                                                                                                 |
|                                                 | Key figures in history | R.6    | Listen, talk about key figures in the history of the People of God.                                                                                                                                      |
|                                                 | Church                 | R.8    | Listen, talk about and role play similarities and differences between Church communities and Church traditions.                                                                                          |
|                                                 | Worship                |        | Listen, talk about religious signs and symbols used in worship, including the celebration of the sacraments.                                                                                             |
| Engagement and Response<br>(learning from)      | Vocabulary             | R.9    | Use religious words and phrases                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                 | Thoughts               | R.12.1 | Say what they wonder about.                                                                                                                                                                              |
|                                                 |                        | R.12.2 | Ask wondering questions about the areas of study and recognise that some of them are difficult to answer.                                                                                                |
|                                                 | Feelings               | R.14.1 | Talk about their own feelings, experiences and things that matter to them.                                                                                                                               |
|                                                 |                        | R.14.2 | Ask and respond to questions about their own and others' feelings, experiences and things that matter to them.                                                                                           |
| Spiritual Reflection<br>(opportunities)         | Reflection             |        |                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                 | Points of view         | R.16   | Listening to a different point of view                                                                                                                                                                   |
|                                                 | Religious Sources      | R.17   | To be able to talk about the hymns they sing and the prayers they say.                                                                                                                                   |
|                                                 | Making Judgements      |        |                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

## Images



## Scripture

Luke 2: 22b – God's Story 1 pages 28-29

## Vocabulary

Church, priest, celebrate, celebrating, Parish family, family, community, celebration, party, memory, Father, altar, Temple, parish,

## Prayer

"Share the Light" Bernadette Farrell  
Our Father