Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The creation story.

Summary

Day One
God created day and night

Day Two
God created the sky

Day Three
God separated the land and water and created grass, trees and flowers

Day Four
God created the sun, moon and stars

Day Five
God created the birds and fish

Day Six
God created the animals, man and woman

Day Seven
God rested

Task:
Make an illustrated storyboard/comic strip showing the Christian story of creation

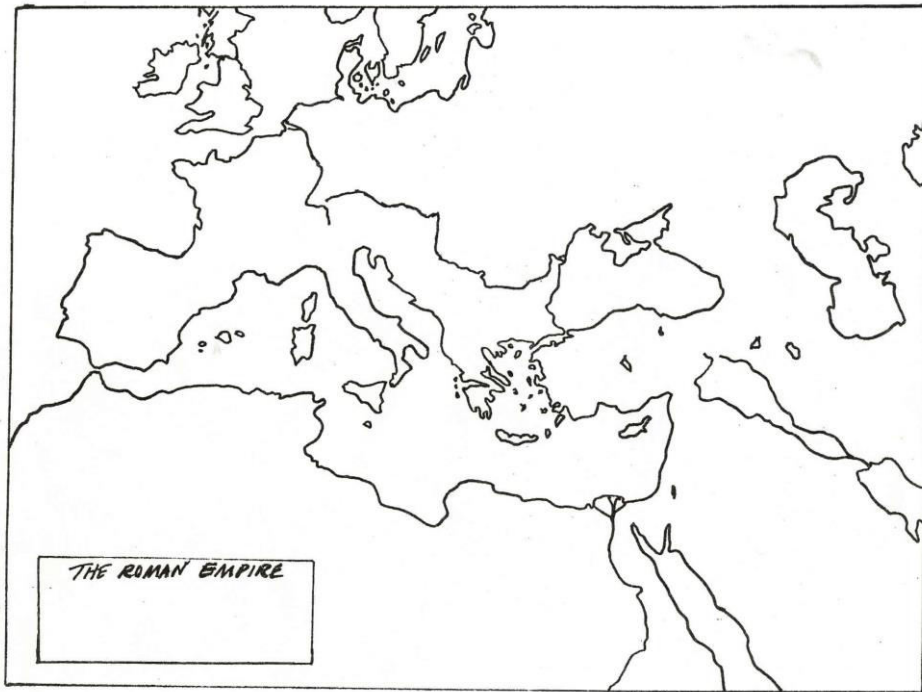| Day one:	Day two:	Day three:	Day four:	Day five:	Day six:	Day seven:

1) What does the creation story teach us about God?
- What might God be like?

2) Do you think all Christians believe that the creation of the world happened the way the Bible states?

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The origins of Christianity.

1Which Disciple was largely responsible for the spread of Christianity after Jesus's death?

2) Why did some Emperors ban Christianity?

3) Why did the early church not have a single leader?

4) Who lifted the ban on Christianity?

5) Using your map, you must shade in the geographical spread of Christianity – Label where in the world Christianity had spread to in the year 500CE, 1000CE and 1500CE.

THE ROMAN EMPIRE

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The Christian calendar.

Advent is...	Christmas celebrates the...	Lent is...	Good Friday is...	Easter is...

Extension – Which Christian events have been missed on the Timeline? (Have a look at your cards!) - _____

Describe what happens during them here – |

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The Trinity.

1) What is the Trinity?

2) What are the three parts of the Trinity?

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3) What does monotheism mean?

4) How is Christianity monotheistic when it believes in the Trinity?

5) Why is the Trinity important to Christians?

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The life of Jesus.

1) Where was Jesus born?

2) Was Jesus born a Jew, why?

3) List three of Jesus' miracles.
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4) Why was Jesus unpopular with many of the Romans?

5) What did Jesus die on the cross for?

6) What does the word 'incarnation' mean?

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – Miracles

1) Write down the definition of a miracle and give an example.

2) Read the example of the miracle performed by Jesus and decide whether you think is a miracle or not. If not, what could the alternative explanation be?

Jesus and his disciples are out on a boat when suddenly a huge storm blows up. The disciples are afraid their boat may sink but Jesus says to the wind, and he waves 'be still' and the storm suddenly stops.

3) Research anther miracle that Jesus performed, what happened and why do you think Jesus performed this miracle?

4) What do miracles tell us about the nature of God? E.g. is he powerful (omnipotent)

5) Do you believe that miracles can really happen and why?

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – parables.

1) What is a parable?

2) Read the parable of the sheep and the goats from Matthew's gospel. What happens in the parable and what do you think is the moral message of the parable?

3) Read the parable of the good Samaritan. What happens in the parable and what do you think is the moral message of the parable?

4) Why do you think parables are important?

5) Why was it vital that Jesus told parables (think about his role- teacher)

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The parable of the lost son.

1) What does it mean to forgive? Can anything be forgiven?

2) Read the parable of the lost son. What is the parable about? What do you think is the message behind this story?
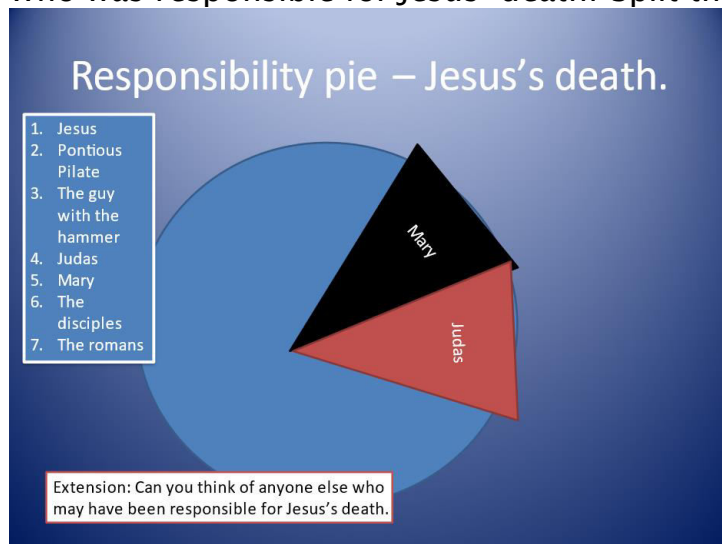
3)

You are going to write a reply to the problem that has been sent to the school newspaper. One response will be that of a Christian, and the other of somebody who is not religious. Think about the teachings of the Lost Son when you write your responses from the Christian Agony Uncle.

King James's Agony Aunt and Uncle Action Station

Johnnie Robertson
(Sixth Form Student, who is a Christian)
Sally Tindall
(Sixth Form Student, without any religious beliefs)

Dear Johnnie and Sally,

On Boxing Day this year I was mugged whilst shopping in Leeds. I was devastated. I lost my wallet, which had all my Christmas money and cards inside it. My new clothes were stolen and I was left shocked and shaken. All I can think about is how I can get revenge on those people who did this to me. As a Christian I know that this isn't a nice thing to do, but I can't get these thoughts out of my head. What do you suggest?   Mattie

Johnnie (Christian)

Sally (Athiest)

Catch up work – LC3 - year 7 – The crucifixion and resurrection.

1) Why was Jesus put on trial?

2) Why was Jesus sentenced to death via crucifixion?

3) Who was responsible for Jesus' death? Split the responsibility pie below into sections.

4) What is the resurrection?

5) Why is the resurrection important to Christians?