Year 8 Half Term 6 - Christian Beliefs

1. Christian	A person who believes in Jesus Christ and follows his teachings.	14. Messiah	A saviour promised by God, whom Christians believe is Jesus Christ.
2. Protestant	A Christian who belongs to a group that separated from the Catholic Church during the Reformation.	15. Disciple	A follower of Jesus, especially one of his twelve closest friends and helpers.
3. Catholic	A Christian who follows the teachings and traditions of the Roman Catholic Church, led by the Pope.	16. Parable	A simple story told by Jesus to teach a moral or religious lesson.
4. Purgatory	In Catholic belief, a place where souls are purified before they can go to heaven.	17. Parable of the unforgiving servant	A story Jesus told about a servant who was forgiven a big debt but wouldn't forgive someone who owed him a little, teaching the importance of forgiveness.
5. Reformation	A period in history when people tried to change the Catholic Church, leading to the creation of Protestant churches.	18. Golden Rule	Jesus' teaching that you should treat others the way you want to be treated.
6. Nature of God	The characteristics and qualities that describe what God is like, such as being all-powerful and loving.	19. Forgive 70 x 7	Jesus' teaching that we should forgive others many times, meaning always.
7. Trinity	The Christian belief that God is three persons in one: the Father, the Son (Jesus), and the Holy Spirit.	20. Sin	An action or thought that goes against God's laws and teachings.
8. Father	God the Father is the first person of the Trinity, seen as the creator and protector.	21. John 3:16	A Bible verse that says God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so anyone who believes in him will have eternal life.
9. Son	Jesus Christ is the Son of God and the second person of the Trinity.	22. Crucifixion	The method of execution where Jesus was nailed to a cross and died, an important event in Christianity.
10. Holy Spirit	The third person of the Trinity, who Christians believe helps and guides them.	23. Atonement	The belief that Jesus' death on the cross made up for the sins of people, allowing them to be forgiven by God.
11. Jesus	The Son of God in Christianity, who Christians believe came to earth to teach, heal, and save people.	24. Omnipotent	All-powerful
12. Incarnation	The Christian belief that God became human in the person of Jesus Christ.	25. Omnibenevolent	All-loving
13. Healing of the paralysed man	A miracle story where Jesus heals a man who couldn't walk, showing his power and compassion.	26. Omniscient	All-knowing