

Ospreys Class Spring 2 RE

Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?



Key skills

- Order Creation and Fall, Incarnation, Gospel and Salvation within a timeline of the Bible's 'big story'.
- Offer suggestions for what the texts about the entry into Jerusalem, and the death and resurrection of Jesus might mean.
- Give examples of what the texts studied mean to some Christians.
- Make simple links between the Gospel texts and how Christians mark the Easter events in their church communities.
- Describe how Christians show their beliefs about Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday in worship.
- Make links between some of the stories and teachings in the Bible and life in the world today, expressing some ideas of their own clearly.

Key vocabulary	
Palm Sunday	A day which commemorates Jesus' triumphant procession into Jerusalem on a donkey. In many churches the congregation are given palm crosses.
Good Friday	A day commemorating Jesus' death on the cross. Good Friday is so called because the death of Christ, as terrible as it was, led to the resurrection, which brought new life to those who believe.
Easter Sunday	On Easter Sunday, the Church celebrates Jesus' resurrection. Fasts are finished and chocolate Easter eggs consumed