Christianity: Core Beliefs and Practices

Learning objective: To understand the foundational beliefs, traditions, and significance of Christianity within the context of the Year 6 Religious Education curriculum.

Read each question carefully and try to recall the key term or definition before flipping the card to check your answer.

What is the Christian belief in the 'Trinity'?

The belief that God is one being who exists as three persons: God the Father, God the Son (Jesus), and God the Holy Spirit.

What term describes the Christian belief that Jesus was God in human form?

The Incarnation.

What are the first four books of the New Testament, which tell the life and teachings of Jesus, called?

The Gospels (Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John).

What is the 'Eucharist' (also known as Holy Communion)?

A central act of worship where Christians share bread and wine to remember the Last Supper and the sacrifice of Jesus.

What does 'Resurrection' refer to in Christian theology?

The belief that Jesus rose from the dead three days after his crucifixion, proving his victory over sin and death.

What is the 'Atonement'?

The belief that Jesus' death reconciled the relationship between humanity and God, paying the price for human sin.

What is a 'Baptism'?

A ceremony involving water that signifies a person being welcomed into the Christian faith and the washing away of sin.

What is the 'Kingdom of God' in Jesus' teachings?

The vision of a world where God's love, justice, and peace are present in the hearts and actions of people.

Who is the central figure that all Christian faith is based upon?

Jesus Christ.

What is the 'Ascension'?

The belief that 40 days after his resurrection, Jesus returned to heaven to be with God the Father.