

Religious Studies

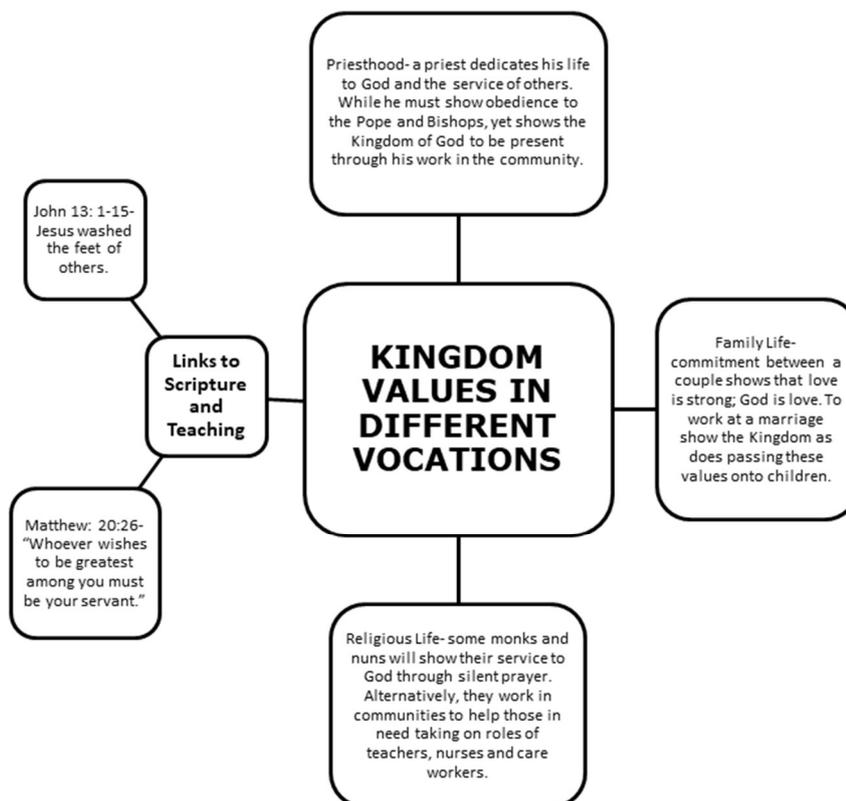
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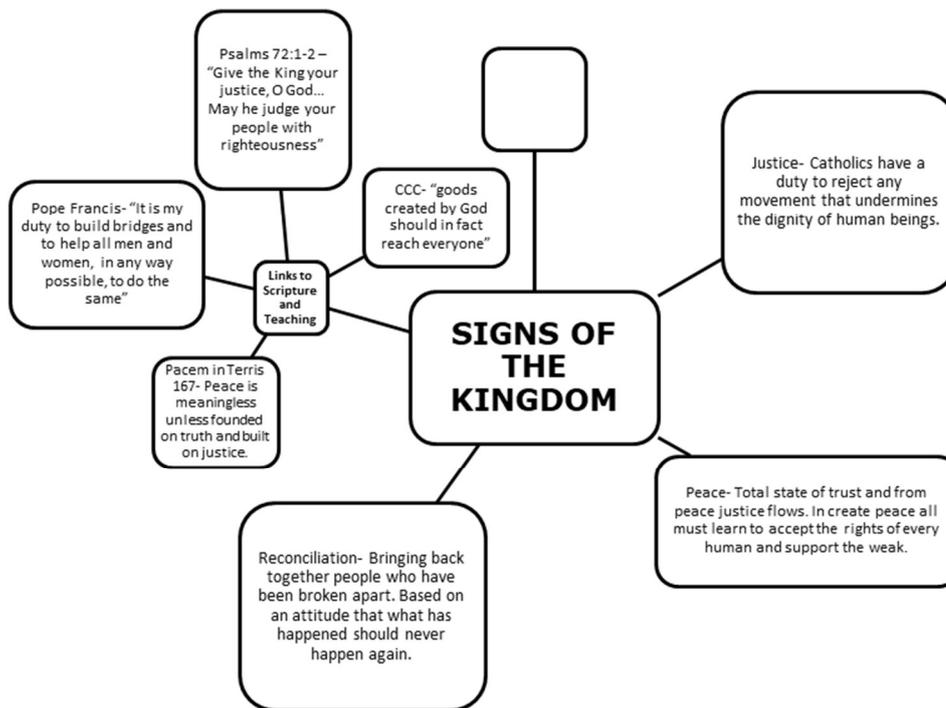
Revision Material from the Department

In recent years, the R.E department have devised a booklet for each of the topics studied at GCSE. These are in the form of mind maps/spider diagrams that students have already started bringing home.

These can be used in a variety of ways – some students find it useful to separate and annotate them further. Or they can form the basis of revision activities, such as using them to make more personal flash cards, using them as a prompt to answer examination style questions or asking family at home to quiz them on the key points in each spider diagram.

Examples of what they look like can be found below:





Examination style questions

One of the most useful and effective activities to undertake, is the completing of examination style questions. We do a lot of this during lessons, but it has proved to be invaluable as an activity to also complete at home. We are not talking about completing whole papers in one go, but selecting a few and incorporating them into a revision timetable is going to be very useful. Examples of examination style questions can be found on the AQA website:

[AQA | GCSE | Religious Studies B | Assessment resources](#)

On this site, there are also mark schemes, although teachers in the department are more than willing to check through and mark any extra questions answered at home.

Useful revision clips on YouTube

A useful channel on YouTube has been created by a teacher of R.E and covers topics from the AQA B Specification that we follow. These are a series of short clips that give a summary of the topics covered:

[MrMcMillanREvis - YouTube](#)

AQA Revision book

The revision book published by AQA (Oxford) offers a clear and concise summary of each topic in the chapters studied. It also offers additional tasks linked with examination practice and further examples of examination style questions to answer:

Revision Guide

GCSE AQA Religious Studies B

Catholic Christianity with Islam and Judaism

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