



## **P1 – P3 Religious and Moral Lesson Plan**

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# Care & Share

## Curriculum for Excellence

### Religious and Moral Education

#### Christianity Values & Issues

#### Experience and Outcome Second P1-3

Having explored biblical and other Christian stories, I can show my developing understanding of key values of Christianity and how they might be put into action in people's lives and communities.

## Curriculum for Excellence

### Religious Education in Roman Catholic Schools

#### Catholic Christianity - Word of God

#### Experience and Outcome Second P1-P3

I can share some Bible stories and I can explore how God speaks to us through these stories. I have reflected on how these stories can help me to live a Christian life.

## Assessment

### Task 1

Through discussion (LO1 & LO2)

### Task 2

Worksheet (LO2)

### Task 3

Pictures drawn (LO3)

## Time

1 x 40min lesson

## Lessons

### Intro

Explain to the children that they are going to hear stories from the Bible. In doing this by the end of the lesson they will:

- Know some stories from the Bible.(LO1)
- Understand that Christians believe they should share what they have with others.(LO2)
- Name ways in which Christians show this by their actions.(LO3)

### Task 1

Ask them to listen to the Story about John the Baptist (see next page). Then invite them to answer the following questions.

- Who was John the Baptist?
- Where did he go and live?
- Why did he want to spend time in the wilderness?
- What did he tell people to do?
- He was getting people ready for whom to teach them more?
- Do you know anyone who gives clothes that they don't need to others?
- Do you know anyone who gives food to people who don't have so much?

If the children don't mention those who give clothes etc to charity shops explain this to them. Explain that Mary's Meals has shops around Scotland. People who have clothes and other things that they don't need are taken here. They are sold for a small price and this money is used to help others.

### Task 2

Ask the children to complete The Worksheet 'What can I share?'

### Task 3

Ask the children to draw a picture of someone giving to another eg. a jacket, a drink of water, a toy, a sandwich, to someone who does not have these things. Explain that this is something all Christians try to do.

## **John The Baptist Story**

Mary and Joseph lived a long, long time ago in a town called Nazareth. They had a baby called Jesus, who was a very special baby. He is very famous all over the world, even today.

Just before Mary had the baby Jesus her cousin, who was called Elizabeth, also had a baby. Her baby was called John. John grew up and he felt in his heart that he should go into the wilderness and spend time listening to God talk to his heart. In his heart he felt that Jesus was God made man and that Jesus would change many things in the world. He also felt that he had the job of getting people ready for Jesus to teach them.

John started talking to many people, telling them how they could be better. He told them that they should share what they had, as this is what God wanted. He said that if they had two coats they should give one to someone who has none. And, if they have extra food they should also give some to those who have none.

Jesus continued to teach about sharing when he began to teach and still to this day Christian try to share what they have with others.

## What can I share?

Draw a picture in each box.

These are things that the shop will sell.

This will help you if you decide to hand something in.



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|---|---------------------------------|
| <p><u>Shoes</u></p>                         | <p><u>Bags or Jewellery</u></p> |
| <p><u>Book</u></p>                          | <p><u>CD/DVD</u></p>            |
| <p><u>Something used in the kitchen</u></p> | <p><u>Curtain or rug</u></p>    |
| <p><u>Ornament</u></p>                      | <p><u>Picture</u></p>           |