



St Elizabeth's Catholic Voluntary Academy

"Be like Jesus. Be your best. Be safe. Be Caring."

EYFS

Galilee to Jerusalem

Our Big Question

Who might need us to share with them?



Hear



- The **Magi (Wise Men)** visited Jesus and brought gifts of **gold**, **frankincense** and **myrrh** to show how important Jesus was. (Matthew 2: 1-12).
- Jesus **welcomes** and **blesses** the little children even though the **disciples** tried to stop them. (Mark 10: 13-16)
- Jesus fed a crowd of 5,000 people by turning just five loaves and two fish into enough food for everybody. (John 6: 1-14). It was a **miracle**.

Believe



- Jesus is God's Son.
- Jesus came for everyone. God wanted people from very far away to know that Jesus had been born.
- Jesus' birth is celebrated at Christmas.
- Jesus came to show God's love to everyone and welcomes everyone.
- Jesus takes care of everyone.

Celebrate



- The Church uses the 'Glory Be' prayer as a response to the coming of Jesus.

Glory Be

Glory be to the father,
and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end.
Amen.



Live



- We **welcome** and show love to everyone in our words and actions just like Jesus (school mission statement).
- We all need food, water, a house, a school, a good doctor, and a job for the grown-up who takes care of us. Everybody in the world needs these things but many people don't have them. Jesus wants us to take extra of these people. (CST)

Key Vocabulary and Definitions

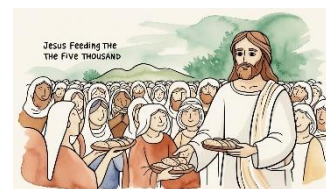
bless	To ask for God's help and protection for someone or something.
disciples	The friends and followers of Jesus.
frankincense	An expensive perfume that is burned by high priests as a symbol of lifting our prayers up to God.
gold	A precious metal and one of the gifts brought to Jesus at Bethlehem as a symbol that he is a king.
Jesus	God's Son who was born in Bethlehem. He welcomed the little children and performed miracles.
magi	The 'wise men from the East' who came to visit and adore Jesus in Bethlehem.
miracle	Something amazing that only God can do.
myrrh	A sweet-smelling gum that was used for anointing.
welcome	A warm and friendly greeting.



The **Magi** visit baby Jesus.



Jesus **welcomes** and **blesses** the little children.



Jesus performed a **miracle** when he fed the five thousand.

"When we are generous in welcoming people and sharing something with them – some food, a place in our homes, our time – not only do we no longer remain poor: we are enriched."



Pope Francis