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|  **St Marys - Religious Education Knowledge Organiser** |
| **Year 1** | **Topic 1.3 FAMILIES AND CELEBRATIONS** |



Key People and places

People: Simeon, Anna, Our parish priest

Place: Our local Parish Church: Our Lady of Grace and St Edwards

Key Scripture

Luke 2: 22-38 (Jesus is presented in the Temple)

Key Prayers

Sign of the Cross Our Father

What will I know at the end of the unit?

* Recognise the stories of Jesus’ early life and that they are in the Bible.
* Begin to retell (sequence) in any form, the story of the Presentation.
* Talk about, ask questions and say what the stories of the Presentation and Finding in the Temple tell us about Jesus.
* Suggest an answer to questions like, ‘Why is my family important?’ and ‘Why is it good to belong?’
* Recognise that Baptism is a sign of belonging to God’s family.
* Talk about their experience of family celebrations and celebrations in a church.
* Name at least two signs used in Baptism.
* Say how at least one sign of Baptism is used.

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|  | What should I already know? |  |
|  | * What a celebration is
* Why we celebrate
* What a church building looks like and may have inside
* That we have celebrations in church
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| Key Vocabulary |
| Baptism | The sacrament that allows us to join the family of the Church |
| Baptismal candle | The candle lit during Baptism which helps us understand thatwhen Baptised we are now “the light of the world” Mt 5 14 |
| belong | Acceptance as a member or part of a group |
| Church | All the people who love and believe in Jesus; the buildingwhere we go to praise God |
| Font | The place in Church used to hold the water where the child isBaptised |
| heaven | Where God lives and where we hope to be with Him one day |
| oil | A scared blessed oil used to bless the baby |
| white garment | The clothes worn by the child being baptised. White is asymbol of purity |
| Sacrament | Sacred signs instituted by God. Meeting points with God. |
| sign | Something that shows meaning |
| Sunday | The “Day of the Lord” for Christians. |
| symbol | Something that represents something else |

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| We will be looking at the signs and symbols of Baptism in this topic. |  |