



## Prep Curriculum Overview

### Term 1

Prep will recognise Jesus' teachings about love, compassion and forgiveness that challenged people about the way they were living. They relate examples of people having the freedom to choose between good and bad, right and wrong. They recognise ways in which believers pray either alone or with others, using word, music, action, silence, images, symbols and nature, and participate with respect in a variety of these prayer experiences, including meditative prayer, the Sign of the Cross, and Amen. They describe ways in which believers pray together during special celebrations and rituals that mark important times in the life of believers and in the Church year. They listen and respond to stories of and about Jesus in the Gospels, stories of Jesus praying and teaching others to pray.

### Term 2

Prep will listen and respond to stories of and about Jesus in the Gospels. They listen and respond to stories of his suffering, death and resurrection. They communicate clearly their ideas, feelings and thoughts about God, the goodness of God's creation and God's plan that people help each other to live safely and happily together, for the good of all. They identify connections between some Old Testament stories and their personal experience, including the experience of the goodness of creation.

### Term 3

Prep listen and respond to stories of and about Jesus in the Gospels that tell of Jesus' life as a Jew, his mother Mary, his friends and family. They listen and respond to stories about Jesus and Jewish traditions.

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