

Unit L2.5 Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?



Enquiry Questions

- How does the concept of Salvation fit into the timeline of the Bible's 'Big Story'?
- What might the texts about the entry into Jerusalem and the death and resurrection of Jesus mean?
- How do the Gospel texts link to how Christians mark the Easter events in their church communities?
- How do Christians show their beliefs about Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday in worship?
- What are some links between some of the stories and teachings in the Bible and life in the world today?

What will I know by the end of the unit?

Christians see Holy Week as the culmination of Jesus' earthly life, leading to his death and resurrection.

The various events of Holy Week, such as the Last Supper, were important in showing the disciples what Jesus came to earth to do.

Christians today trust that Jesus really did rise from the dead, and so is still alive today.

Christians remember and celebrate Jesus' last week, death and resurrection.



Key Vocabulary

Christianity, Christian, belief, God, Jesus, salvation, Easter, death, resurrection, Holy Week, Palm Sunday, Last Supper, Good Friday, Easter Sunday