



Module 3 Year 8 Knowledge Organiser

Confirmation

Symbols

-Laying on of hands: This sign is an ancient form of calling down the power and blessing of God upon someone. The laying on of hands sets the person apart for a special calling or task in life.

-Anointing with oil: Chrism oil also used in baptism. The bishop anoints (with Chrism) a sign of the cross on the forehead with the words '.....be sealed with the gifts of the Holy Spirit'.

-Being sealed with the Spirit: The candidate (person being confirmed) is strengthened by the Holy Spirit to meet all the difficulties, dangers and challenges of Christian life.

SOWA - Acts 19:1-7 When Paul placed his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied.

The Gifts Of The Holy Spirit

Courage
Reverence
Knowledge
Understanding
Awe and Wonder
Wisdom
Right Judgement



Why do Catholics get confirmed and why is it important?

In all sacraments, Catholics believe they can experience the presence of God.

Catholics get confirmed to renew the faith given to them in baptism.

Through Confirmation a person becomes a full member of the Catholic Church.

Only those who are confirmed can give out Holy Communion and do other jobs in the Church.

Parables

A Parable is a story with a meaning. Jesus told many Parables to teach people about God and how to do what God wants for example how to treat other people and how to get into Heaven



The Good Samaritan

Our neighbours are everyone in the world, people we know such as friends, family, work colleagues, neighbours in your street but your neighbour could be strangers too i.e people on a bus, people who you've never even met who live in a different country.

The Sower

Seeds that fell onto soil but are burned by the sun - People who listen with happiness, believe God's word for a while, and then forget it when times are hard.

Seeds that fell into the thorns - People who hear God's word, but their beliefs are choked by cares about pleasure and wealth.

Seeds that fall onto the rich soil - People who listen to God's word with honest hearts and always follow it.

Seeds that fall onto the ground and are eaten by birds - People who hear God's words but forget it straight away.

The Parable Of The Sheep And Goats



The Son of Man is **Jesus** this represents **being judged on the Last Day**

The King is **Jesus** this represents **King of Heaven.**

The Sheep are **Good** this represents **helping everyone such as sick, poor and those in prison.**

The Goats are **BAD** this represents **not helping everyone such as sick, poor and those in prison.**

The Kingdom is **heaven** this represents **being with God.**

SOWA - "Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me" Matthew 25:40

Poverty & Social Justice & CAFOD

SOWA - "Love thy neighbour as thyself" Teaching of Jesus

CAFOD

▪ Catholic Agency For Overseas Development



What do they do?

- Help in times of need- emergency and after such events.
- Provide education for children
- Provide healthcare
- Provide means to start up business to be self sufficient.

Oscar Romero

- Catholic Bishop who worked in El Salvador despite being told that they weren't allowed to practice their faith.
- Devoted his life to God and his calling of the Priesthood
- Supported those in lived in EL Salvador explore their faith.
- Ultimately gave up his life to allow people to have the love of God in their lives and to share their faith as a community.

Social Justice

- Working to ensure fairness and equality for all throughout the world.

