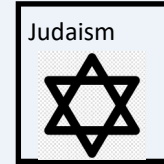
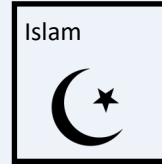
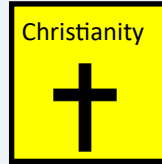


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Year 5 – Sacred places



Key vocabulary to remember and use in your learning

Word	Definition
gargoyle	A grotesque carved human or animal figure on the top of a building.
lectern	A stand in church which holds the Bible.
pulpit	A raised platform in church where sermons are given .
minaret	A tower used in Islam to call people to prayer.
mihrab	A semi-circle gap in a wall which shows Muslims the direction to pray.
yarmulke	A cap worn by Jewish men in prayer and sometimes when out in public.
shrine	A place regarded as holy because of its links to a sacred person or thing.
puja	The act of worship in Hinduism and Buddhism.

Misbaha



A collection of Islamic prayer beads. They are used by Muslims to count and remember Allah. They are usually made of wooden beads but can sometimes be made of ivory, pearls and plastic. They come in a variety of colours, shapes and sizes.

Holy Communion

A religious ceremony performed in church by Catholics when a child reaches 7-8. It celebrates the first time that they accept the bread and the wine (The Eucharist). The bread and wine represent the body and blood of Christ.



Key knowledge to know and use

- For followers of Buddhism there is no single place of worship. They can worship both at home or in the temple to show their devotion.
- The Madina Mosque in Sheffield is the first purpose-built mosque in the city. It was completed in October 2006.
- Meditation takes place inside Buddhist temples to help with mindfulness.
- The Cathedral in Sheffield is a centre for Christian worship, they hold regular services for Christians.