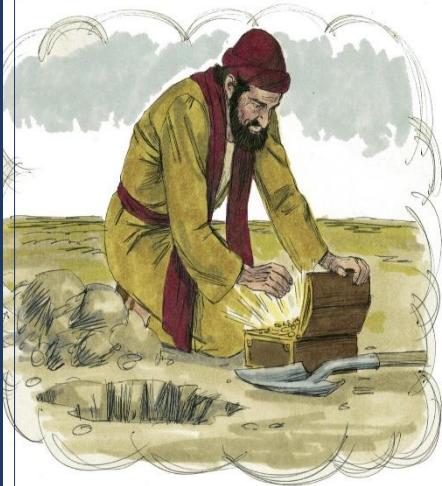


In RE we are learning about...

Signs, Symbols and Parables

Key vocabulary

- **New Testament** - A part of the Christian Bible and the most important religious writing of Christianity.
- **Parables** - A short and simple story that has a moral or spiritual lesson that can be learnt from it.
- **Role-Model** - A person who serves as an example by influencing others.
- **Christian** - A person who believes that Jesus is the son of God and who follow his teachings.
- **Inspiration** - The act or power of arousing the mind or emotions



Sticky knowledge

Year 4

- Use religious vocabulary to describe some Christian symbols and their meanings
- Retell Jesus' parables such as Hidden Treasure, The Banquet and understand the meanings and teachings within them.
- Make links between these and Christian beliefs
- Ask important questions about the meaning of Jesus' parables, linking their own and others' responses.
- Recognise their own values, making links with the commitments they make eg loyalty, friendship, justice.
- Consider thoughtfully pupils' views on 'love is' and be able to discuss and write their own ideas.



Links to previous learning

- You have learnt about Christian symbols found within a church and the meaning of these.
- You have learnt the main parts and some stories from the Bible. (Old Testament.)
- You have talked about values such as caring for and helping others.

Aspirations

- Author
- Theologist
- Teacher
- Vicar/Priest



Characteristics needed for this topic:

- Questioning
- Sensitivity
- Curiosity

