

SLIDE OVERVIEW – THE LITURGICAL YEAR TE TAU ME ONA RITENGA TAPU

Season: ADVENT

Year 5 Lesson 1

Print off this slide overview to supplement your planning.

Refer to Teacher's Notes for background information related to the lesson content and suggested Teaching and Learning Experiences in the Teacher's book or in the Teacher's material under Lesson Notes on the Lesson Home Page.

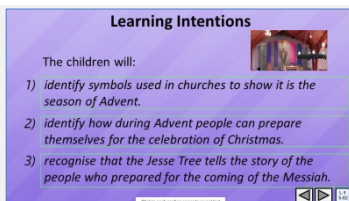
If worksheets are used in this lesson can be printed from PDF files that are available on-line in lesson resources.



Slide 1 The Meaning of Advent

Use this slide as a focussing strategy to introduce the lesson topic. Read the title together and invite children to share something they know about what Advent means.

Teacher's Notes



Slide 2 Learning Outcomes

Read through the Learning Intentions with the class and identify some ideas/questions that might be explored in the lesson.

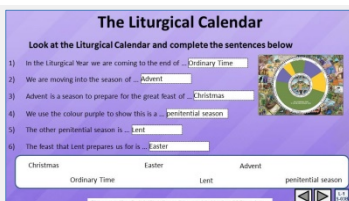
Teacher's Notes



Slide 3A The Liturgical Calendar

Adapt Teaching and Learning Experience 1.
Each child shares one thing they know about the Liturgical Year.

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Slide 3B The Liturgical Calendar

Adapt Teaching and Learning Experience 1
Children name the word to complete the cloze activity and check it out using the floaters.

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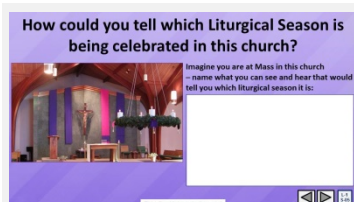


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Slide 4 The colour of the priest's vestments reflect the Liturgical Season

Look closely at the picture and notice the colour of the priests' vestments in the Liturgical Seasons. Read and discuss the flip cards.

Note the symbols for the season also. Can you suggest some other symbols for the seasons? Add these to your Liturgical Calendar.

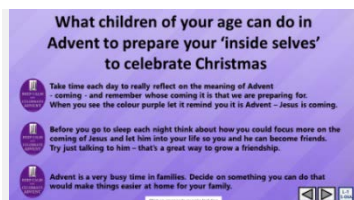


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Slide 5 How could you tell which Liturgical Season is being celebrated in this church?

Record the children's ideas by typing in the white space.

Include banners, Advent wreath, priest's vestments, Advent hymns – O Come O Come Emmanuel - Advent Scripture readings and prayers.

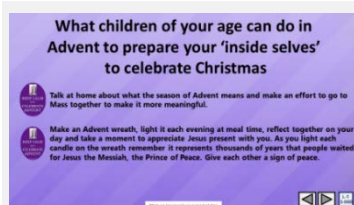


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Slide 6A What children of your age can do in Advent to prepare your 'inside selves' to celebrate Christmas

What do we mean when we talk about our 'inside selves'?

Share ideas about the importance of preparing for events and how it helps in the celebration of them. Read each text reveal and share ideas about them.

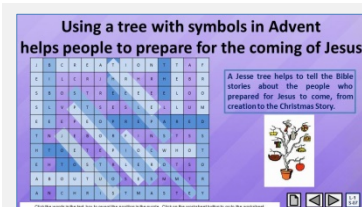


Teacher's Notes

Slide 6B What children of your age can do in Advent to prepare your 'inside selves' to celebrate Christmas

Adapt Teaching and Learning Experience 3. Remind each other that children of your age can initiate things that can help your whole family to celebrate Advent more fully especially when everyone is very busy.

Think of one thing you could do for your family this Advent



Teacher's Notes

Slide 7 Using a tree with symbols in Advent helps people to prepare for the coming of Jesus

Read the sentence and then find each word on the matrix and highlight it in the sentence and in the Word Find.

Note the symbols on the tree and say what they represent. Children can add worksheets to their RE Learning Journals as evidence of their learning.

The Jesse Tree

Write a question for the answer
Q1: _____


A1: The Jesse Tree is a kind of Advent Calendar which is used to mark off the days leading up to Christmas by hanging a symbol of a Bible story to show we are getting closer to Christmas.

Q2: _____

A2: The first Jesse Tree was used long ago when many people could not read or write so each from the stories from the Bible. They were on stained glass windows or banners in churches.

Q3: _____

A3: The name 'Jesse' comes from Jesse, the father of the great King David in the Old Testament.



Slide 8A The Jesse Tree

Explain that the Jesse Tree helps people to learn more about the people who prepared for Jesus the Messiah to come over many thousands of years. Children read and think about each answer and then make up a question that would match it. Watch the clip 'The Jesse Tree' book 4.03 minutes

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GOt5J5xPBL8>

Teacher's Notes


The Jesse Tree

Write a question for the answer
Q1: _____

A1: The prophet Isaiah said, "A shoot will come from the stump of Jesse, from his roots a branch will bear fruit" (Isaiah 11:1).

Q2: _____

A2: A branch is a sign of new life and new beginnings. Jesus was a descendant of King David and Christians believe that Jesus is the new branch. A Jesse Tree helps prepare people for his coming.




Slide 8B The Jesse Tree

Discuss the clip and how it explains the meaning of the Jesse tree. Notice the image and relate it to Answers 4 & 5.

Teacher's Notes

Check Up



- 1) Share 5 facts about the season of Advent including where it comes in the Liturgical Year and what sort of season it is.
- 2) Write 3 tips you could give to a friend about using Advent to prepare your 'inside selves' to let Jesus become your friend and a bigger part of your life.


Slide 9A Check Up

This formative assessment strategy will help teachers to identify how well students have achieved the Learning Intentions of the lesson. Teachers can choose how they use the slide to assess each item. A worksheet of this slide is available as an option for children in Years 5-8 to complete. The last two items are feed forward for the teacher.

Recording the children's responses to these items is recommended as it will enable teachers to adjust their learning strategies for future lessons and target the areas that need further attention.

Teacher's Notes

Check Up



- 3) Explain what the Jesse Tree is and how it is useful during Advent.
- 4) Which activity do you think helped you to learn best in this lesson?
- 5) Questions I would like to ask about the topics in this lesson are ...

Slide 9B Check Up

Make a copy for each child of the WORKSHEET if you plan to use it as part of your assessment.

Teacher's Notes



Slide 10 Time for Reflection

The MP3 is played to help create a reflective atmosphere and bring the children to stillness and silence as the teacher invites them to *reflect on the season of Advent and how it is a good time to let Jesus into your life by just spending time talking to him just as would do with a friend.*

Original Children's Activities available on lesson home page.

Teacher's Notes

Slide 7 Using a tree with symbols in Advent helps people to prepare for the coming of Jesus

Using a tree with symbols in Advent helps people to prepare for the coming of Jesus

Name: _____ Date: _____

A Jesse tree helps to tell the Bible stories about the people who prepared for Jesus to come from creation to the Christmas Story.

Worksheet

WORKSHEET

This worksheet relates to slide 7.

Teacher's Notes

The Jesse Tree

Name: _____ Date: _____

Write a question for the answer.

Q1: The season that begins at Advent Calendar which is used to count off the days leading up to Christmas by lighting a number of a candle every day and getting closer to Christmas.

A1: The first season was counting days when there were people could not read or write to teach them the stories from the Bible. They were on clay tablets and made in pictures.

Q2: The name 'Jesse' comes from Jesse, the father of the great king David in the Old Testament.

A2: The prophet Isaiah said, "A man will come from the house of David, born to rule a branch will bear fruit" Isaiah 11:1.

Q3: It is based on a sign of hope for the end times beginning. Jesus was a descendant of King David and Christmas before that time in the world.

Worksheet

Slide 8 The Jesse Tree WORKSHEET

This worksheet relates to slide 8.

Teacher's Notes

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