



Year: 4  
Term: Summer 1

## Gospel 2.4 What kind of world do Christians believe that Jesus wanted?

### Prior Knowledge

Children have previously explored how Christians believe that the world was created (Y1,2,3,4).  
Children will have an understanding of a range of Christian values and how Christians believe that Jesus was a role model for these.

### Key Knowledge

- Gospel means 'Good News' and tells the story of Jesus and his teachings.
- Christians believe that Jesus challenges everyone about how to live – he sets the example for loving God and your neighbour, putting others first. (Matthew 22:37-39). When Christians do this, they have to sacrifice their own wants and needs for the sake of others.
- Jesus shows love and forgiveness to unlikely people and Christians try to be like him as they want to know him better and better. Mark 1:40 – 44 (Jesus healed a leper).
- Christians believe that Jesus challenges them to live differently. They try to put his teaching and example into practise in lots of ways, from Church worship to social justice.
- Christians today try to follow Jesus and be 'fishers of people' (Matthew 4:19). Being fishers of people is an action that Jesus wanted people to do, which is why many Christians today still try to do them.
- Know that stories within the Bible that Jesus told are called 'parables.' Parables are stories with a 'Jesus' message (or Earthly stories with a heavenly message).

### Key Enquiry Lines

- To understand that Christians believe Jesus challenges everyone about how to live — he sets the example for loving God and your neighbour, putting others first.
- To understand that Christians believe that Jesus shows love and forgiveness to unlikely people.
- To understand that Christians try to be like Jesus — they want to know him better and better – so they try and put his teaching into practice.

### Key Question

**What kind of world do Christians believe that Jesus wanted?**

### Key Vocabulary

Gospel. Parables, disciple, neighbour