



Let's Remember

Each person's **birthday** is **celebrated** once a year to **celebrate** when they were born. We can all **celebrate** our **birthdays** in different ways.



For Christians, Christmas is the **celebration** of Jesus' **birthday**.



It is a **holy** day because Christians **believe** that Jesus is the son of God.

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I Need to Know that...

Christians tell the story of the Nativity. This story tells of the birth of Jesus who they **believe** to be the son of God.

Christians believe that Mary and Joseph started their journey in Nazareth. They could not find a room to stay in over night. Eventually, they then found an **inn** to stay in and the baby Jesus was born. Their journey ended with Jesus coming into the world. The visitors which feature in the story are also very important.



Different parts and people within the story are thought of as **holy** by Christians.

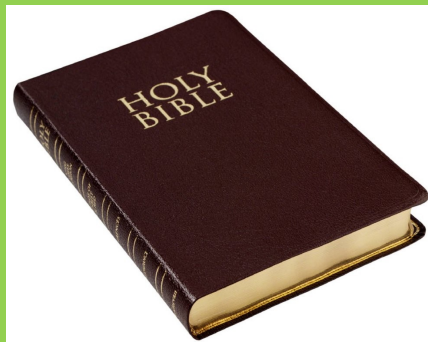
People, such as Mary and Jesus, are thought of as **holy** by Christians.

The place in the Nativity, Nazareth, is also thought of as **holy** by Christians.

Concept

Holy: something which is special and linked with a religion.

Let's Explore



What holy items do you have at home? Draw a picture of them and bring it in to share with us.



What holy places have you been to? Why not visit St Margaret's Church in Fernhurst? Use your senses when you go and consider what you can see, hear and smell. Write a senses poem about your trip.

