



Our statement to live by this week is:

I know we are happiest when we are united.

Try and think about how we can show each other we are still united for example creating a poster or drawing to make someone smile.

### Religious Education

Year: Two\_ Teacher: Miss Harker Week Beginning: 25<sup>th</sup> January 2021

The four Gospels are found in the second part of the Bible, the New Testament.

The Gospels tell the story of Jesus' life on earth, his birth, his teaching, the friends he called to help him and his death and Resurrection.



There are four gospels each named after the person who is thought to have written it- Matthew, Mark, Luke and John.

How many Gospels are there?

What are the names of the Gospels?

How do the Gospels help us?

What is your favourite story about Jesus and why?



Can you retell the Gospel of Matthew telling the story of the three wise men?  
Use pictures and sentences to retell the story. Use the Gospel on the next page to help  
you.





## Matthew's story of the wise men

(based on Matthew 2: 1-12)

Jesus was born in Bethlehem, a town in Judea, in the time of King Herod. Some wise men came from the East to Jerusalem asking, "Where is the baby who will be King of the Jews?"

We have seen his star in the sky and have come to worship him."

King Herod was very confused when he heard this question, and so was everyone else in Jerusalem.

He called the priests and teachers to him and asked them what they knew about it.

They said: "A long time ago a prophet said: "A baby will be born in Bethlehem. He will be a great leader. He will look after God's people."

King Herod said to the wise men, "Go to Bethlehem and find the baby.

Then come back and tell me where he is. I will also go and worship him."

So they went on their way.

The star which they had seen led them until it stopped over the place where the baby was.

They were filled with joy.

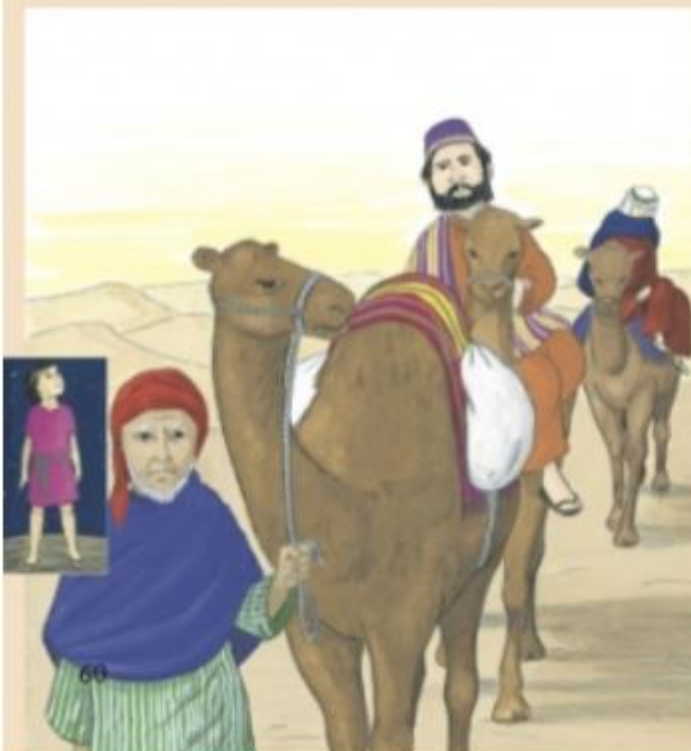
They went into the house and found the baby with his mother Mary.

They knelt down and worshipped him.

They opened their treasures and gave him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

God told them in a dream not to go back to King Herod,

So they went back to their own country by a different way.



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