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Christian worldviews



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The Golden Rule in Christianity is based on Matthew 7v12: So, in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you

Jesus is an important figure for most Christians and is believed to be the 'Son of God'.

Jesus was Jewish and the first Christians were Jewish.

Many Christians believe
Jesus died on the cross but
then he rose again and this
leads to their **salvation**.
They believe that when
Jesus died he took away
their sins and showed them
how to obtain eternal life.
This is what is celebrated at **Easter**.

The **Bible** is an important text for many Christians.

Jesus told many **parables** and often Christians today still use them for guidance in life.

Most people with Christian worldviews believe in God as **Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.** Jesus is the Son of God.

The **incarnation** is a very important belief for most people with Christian worldviews hold that God became a human being in the flesh.

Christianity marks rites of passage such as **baptism**, **marriage and funerals** (**death**) with important ceremonies.

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The Christian festival of the nativity (Christmas) is a fixed date but the date of Easter (Pascha) is based on the lunar (moon) cycle.

Reconciliation and forgiveness are important. Reconciliation reunited humans and God after the Fall.

Christians might do hard things like **fast** before Lent, engage in **charity** work or go on a **pilgrimage**.

Jesus is represented globally in different ways, expressing the **incarnation** with diversity.

Bible stories can be interpreted literally, metaphorically, symbolically, spiritually and mythologically and still have value and meaning.

Christian art and icons can be important for worship individually and communally. Concepts like incarnation, salvation and reconciliation can be represented in art and architecture.

Christians usually understand God as Trinity: Father, Son & Holy Spirit. They might understand God in feminine ways too.

You can be a Christian by going to **church** or not, perhaps even being part of an online Christian community.

Prayer is often important in Christian worldviews.

Christian worldviews usually include beliefs about **heaven** and **eternal life**.

Jesus is 'the way, the truth and the life'- John 14:6

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