



## Unit 3.2: Christmas. God with Us.

### Christian Concepts:

**Incarnation:** (When God became a man - Jesus, the God-Man.)

### Key Vocabulary:

**Emmanuel:** A Hebrew word, meaning 'God is with us.'

**Incarnation:** God coming to earth as a person; fully God, fully man; God in the flesh.

### Key Questions:

In what ways is God with us?

How does it feel to be in the presence of God?

How did/does the presence of Jesus have an impact on people's lives?

In what ways are we the presence of Jesus in the world today?

**Christian Value:** Compassion, Faith and Love

The arrival of Jesus changed many lives...



Mark 5  
Jairus' daughter  
is healed.



Matthew 14  
5000 fed.



Matthew 9  
Paralysed man  
healed.



The shepherds were  
**awestruck** by the glory  
of God.

### Key Bible Passages:

#### **Matthew 1:23:**

23 'The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel' (which means 'God with us').

#### **Isaiah 7:14:**

<sup>14</sup> Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel.

How is the incarnation reflected in the lives of people today?

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In what ways  
are we Christ's  
hands and feet?



**Prayer by St Teresa of Avila:**

"Christ has no body now on earth but yours;  
no hands but yours; no feet but yours.  
Yours are the eyes through which the  
compassion of Christ must look out on the  
world.

Yours are the feet with which He is to go  
about doing good.

Yours are the hands with which He is to bless  
His people."