

Unit 3.3: Jesus the man who changed lives

Key Questions:

What does 'change' mean?
How can our lives be changed?
Is it easy to change?
How did Jesus change lives?
When did/does Jesus change lives?
What happens when Jesus changes a person's life?

Christian Values:

Forgiveness
Humility Service

*If we really
want to love
we must
learn how
to forgive.*

— Mother Teresa



Christian Concepts:

Gospel (The good news about Jesus - God coming to earth; Jesus taking the punishment for people's sin by dying on the cross; Jesus making it possible for people to be friends with God again and giving them a place in Heaven for ever.)

Kingdom of God: (God's ideal for human life in the world - a vision of life lived in the way God intended for human beings, following Jesus' example, inspired and empowered by God's Spirit.)

Key Vocabulary:

Jesus: the Son of God who died for us.

Mother Teresa: a Roman Catholic nun and missionary who devoted her life to caring for the sick and destitute in India.

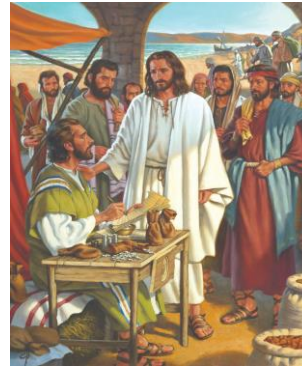
Levi/Matthew: a disciple of Jesus who was a tax collector.

Zacchaeus: a tax collector who changed his life because of an encounter with Jesus.

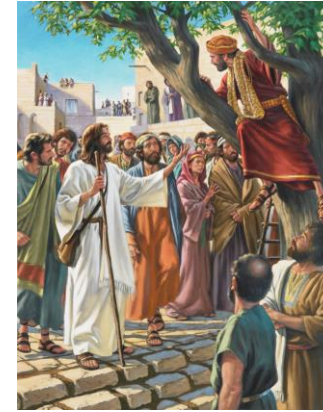
The rich young man: someone who asked Jesus a question about how to get into heaven.

Bartholomew: a disciple of Jesus who died for his faith.

Levi/Matthew:
Matthew 9:9-13,
Mark 2:13-17,
Luke 5:27-32.



Zacchaeus:
Luke 9:1-10.



The rich young man:
Matthew 19:16-30



Key Bible Characters

Christian Charities

Christian Aid
www.christianaid.org.uk

Cafod www.cafod.org.uk
(Kids Zone on this site)

Bible Society
www.biblesociety.org.uk

Church Mission Society
(CMS) www.cms-uk.org

Tearfund
www.tearfund.org

Traidcraft
www.traidcraft.co.uk



Mother Teresa: (1910-1997)



- Born in Macedonia
- At 12, she decided to devote her life to God.
- She was a teacher for 20 years
- In 1952 in Calcutta, India she opened a home for the dying.
- 1955 she opened a home for children who were orphans/lost.

"We see Christ in the slums and in the broken bodies of the forgotten people. Let us always meet each other with a smile, for a smile is the beginning of love."