



The church is a special place where Christians meet to worship and pray. It is also the body of people and not just the building.

For Christians, the church is a holy blessed space.

The story of Moses and the people of God building the tabernacle (tent of meeting) to house the Ark of the Covenant.

People of other faiths have special holy places of worship, what these buildings are called, their key features, and the worship that takes place there.



Torah



Jewish place of worship is the synagogue.



The Qur'an



The Mosque is a place where Muslims gather to pray and learn about Islam.

Church-the church community as a whole, not just the building.

Vicar- a Parish priest.

Pews- a long bench with a back, placed in rows in the main part of some churches to seat the congregation.

Font- used in church for the water used in baptism.

Altar- the table in church at which the bread and wine are consecrated in communion services.

Holy- dedicated or consecrated to God or a religious purpose; sacred.

Mosque-a Muslim place of worship.

Minaret tower- tower from which Muslims are called to prayer five times each day.

Gurdwara- a Sikh place of worship.