Christianity

*Digital Resources and Children’s Books*

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**Kid-Friendly YouTube Clips:**

- Introduction to Christianity in 2 minutes: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ut-UOhY0s8E](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ut-UOhY0s8E)
- The Birth of Jesus Christ and the Story of Christmas: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8gUJWKMMgtQ](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8gUJWKMMgtQ)
- What is the Bible? [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ak06MSETeo4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ak06MSETeo4)
- History of Orthodox Christianity, Part 1 of 3: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkJ0n_dkx-8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkJ0n_dkx-8)
- The Great Schism, the Bitter Rivalry between Greek and Latin Christianity: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q_s9Rcsg5UI](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q_s9Rcsg5UI)
- The Crusades in 5 minutes: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CcGzQ3qa5R8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CcGzQ3qa5R8)
- 5 Difference between the Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox Churches: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qdr7u6IIP6sg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qdr7u6IIP6sg)
- The Protestant Reformation: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IATyzSAjC1w](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IATyzSAjC1w)
- Martin Luther and the 95 Theses: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fJIITsWCua1M](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fJIITsWCua1M)
- Who is Pope Francis: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A85UP-0QJg4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A85UP-0QJg4)
- 9 Things you might not know about the Holy Cross: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkZHsMIO2js](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RkZHsMIO2js)
- The 14 Most Beautiful Cathedrals in the World: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OhnydLHX_u4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OhnydLHX_u4)
- Tour a Catholic Church: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bdj9CK7-gj4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bdj9CK7-gj4)
Websites:

Overview of Christianity: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Christianity


The Virgin Mary, Religion Facts: http://www.religionfacts.com/mary

Who were the Apostles? The Complete Guide: https://overviewbible.com/12-apostles/


What is a Minister? https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Minister_(Christianity)


Holy Communion, the Eucharist: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Eucharist

Christian Prayer Beads, What they are and How to use them: https://justdisciple.com/christian-prayer-beads/

Christianity, Celebrations and Festivals: https://www.uri.org/kids/world-religions/christian-celebrations

All about Christmas: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Christmas

All about Easter: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Easter

Church Architecture: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Church_architecture#:~:text=Church%20architecture%

Labyrinth History and Walking: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLIrqJlJmd6ne25iMcxnnkPZHU7s6Fd6WO

Lesson Plans:

Christianity, Lesson Plans and Resources: https://study.com/academy/topic/judaism-christianity-lesson-plans.html

Birth of Christianity, 6th Grade: https://nsms6thgradesocialstudies.weebly.com/birth-of-christianity.html


Roman Empire and Christianity: https://sheg.stanford.edu/history-lessons/roman-empire-and-christianity

Jesus for Middle Schoolers PBS: http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/shows/religion/teach/
### Children’s Books:

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