Freedom and Responsibility



Sermon on the Mount - Jorge Cocco Santángelo

Gal 5:13-15 For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment; "You shall love your neighbour as yourselves".

Key Knowledge

Ten Commandments The Greatest Commandment Freedom brings responsibility The Beatitudes God is loving and merciful—Sacrament of Reconciliation

Big question First thoughts

How can rules bring freedom?

Key Scripture

Exodus 20: 1-17, + Deuteronomy 6: 4-9 – The Ten Commandments

Isaiah 58: 3-8 – God's People

Mark 12: 28-31 – What does God want?

Matthew 5: 1-17 – A new way of living

Key Vocabulary

Freedom - right to act, speak, or think as one wants

Responsibility - having a duty to something

Beatitudes – the blessings listed by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount

Commandment – a rule given by God

Key Skills

Make links between the Ten Commandments and the Beatitudes and belief in God's rules for living freely and the responsibility this brings. Make links to show beliefs in the laws God has given us affect behaviour Understand living according to God given laws and how when we fail to keep these laws and are contrite we can be reconciled with God and with others. Understand how belief in the freedom and responsibility of living by God's law shapes our lives

Hymns/Songs/Prayers

Act of Contrition My Ten Commandments His Laws Make Us Free The Beatitudes / Walk With Your God