

## Shrines and Offerings

Many religions use shrines as places of worship. They are a place to contemplate, give thanks and give offerings to gods or important religious figures.



## Key Vocabulary

### Sacrifice

The act of giving up something for a religious purpose or as a good deed

### Offering

Something given as a gift or a contribution

### Shrine

A sacred or important space or place

### Charity

The act of giving

### Altruism

Selfless concern for others

### Ultimate Sacrifice

Giving ones life for something

## Sacrifice in Christianity and Islam

Sacrifice plays an important role in both Christianity and Islam. In Christianity god paid the ultimate sacrifice in Jesus dying for our sins. In Islam Charity (Zakat) and Fasting (Sawm) form two of the five pillars of Islam



## Review previous learning

Year 2 Why do people have different views about god?

Year 3 What is philosophy?

## Altruism and Charity

Many people commit selfless acts- some for religious reasons , some for other reasons. These can be very different but are all forms of sacrifice.

