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| Key Question |
| Why do Christians believe that Jesus is the Messiah? |

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| Topic Overview |
| * To consider what Christmas means to you and your group before analysing Christian adverts promoting the ‘true’ meaning of Christmas. * To consider ‘The Big Story of the Bible’ in order to gain a further understanding about the various books of the Bible. * To consider the qualities of a saviour in various modern-day contexts before applying this knowledge to the scenario of Jesus being a saviour to the Jewish people. * The read a variety of selected Bible texts in order to determine if Jesus was the hoped for Messiah. * To create a wanted poster, representing the People of God, outlining the qualities a chosen Messiah would need developing on your understanding from the previous lesson. * To write a mini-essay answering the core question of ‘Why do Christians believe that Jesus is the Messiah?’. |

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| Key Vocabulary | |
| saviour | A person who saves someone from danger or harm. |
| anonymous | Made or done by someone whose name is not known. |
| Promised Land | In the Bible, the land of Caanan, promised by God to Abraham and his race. |
| Messiah | A leader who is believed to have the power to solve the world’s problems. |
| Incarnation | A particular life, in religions that believe we have many lives. |

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| Learning Outcomes |
| * To consider the ‘true’ meaning of Christmas and if this is represented in modern-day society. * To develop familiarity with The Big Story of the Bible and the books within. * To consider the qualities of a saviour and apply these to some selected stories of Jesus. |

