



## Belonging Unit Topics

Unit Title	Content
<b>1. Belonging to God</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what does it mean to be a Christian?</li><li>• what does it mean to have new life in Christ?</li><li>• what is the life-long journey of faith like?</li></ul>
<b>2. Belonging to God's People</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what kind of community is the church?</li><li>• what does it mean to belong to a community?</li><li>• how do we build relationships with others?</li><li>• the church local, national, global/ecumenical</li></ul>
<b>3. Belonging to God's World</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• living in God's Creation</li><li>• what does it mean to see ourselves as stewards?</li><li>• living a Christian lifestyle</li><li>• seeking God's purpose for our lives</li></ul>
<b>4. Believing in God</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what does it mean to 'believe'?</li><li>• where do our beliefs come from?</li><li>• what do we believe about God?</li><li>• how do we deal with doubts?</li></ul>
<b>5. Believing in Jesus Christ</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what do we believe about Jesus Christ?</li><li>• how does believing in Jesus Christ affect our lives?</li></ul>
<b>6. Believing the Good News</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what do Christians believe about sin and salvation?</li><li>• how do our beliefs change over time?</li><li>• how do we deal with differences of belief?</li></ul>
<b>7. Growing in Worship</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• why do Christians worship?</li><li>• what are the elements of worship?</li><li>• how do I participate in worship?</li><li>• why does worship vary from church to church?</li></ul>
<b>8. Growing in the Spirit</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what does it mean to live in relationship with God?</li><li>• how do we pray and grow spiritually?</li><li>• how do we find support for spiritual growth</li></ul>
<b>9. Growing with Scripture</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what is the Bible and where does it come from?</li><li>• how do we read, study and pray the Bible?</li></ul>
<b>10. Sharing our Gifts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what does it mean to serve God?</li><li>• what are my gifts and talents?</li><li>• how can I serve God in my daily life?</li><li>• what do we have to offer to God, the church, the world?</li><li>• how do we use and give our time and money?</li></ul>
<b>11. Sharing our Faith</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• what does it mean to share faith with others?</li><li>• how do we relate to people beyond the church?</li><li>• how do we express our faith in everyday language?</li><li>• how do our words and actions relate to one another?</li></ul>
<b>12. Sharing our World</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• how do Christian beliefs relate to Christian living?</li><li>• what are the needs in my local community and around the world?</li><li>• how do we work for justice, peace and the integrity of creation?</li></ul>