

# RE Knowledge Organiser

## Year Four – Tudor Christianity

### Unit Sequence of Sequence of Learning

- To learn about the Roman Catholic Church and its teachings.
- To learn about Martin Luther and how he influenced religion during Tudor times.
- To understand the changes Henry VIII made to religion in England.
- To learn about the Protestant faith.
- To reflect on Christianity today and how beliefs can change.

### Key Vocabulary

Protestant	Follows of Christianity whose views are not the same as Catholics. The word Protestant comes from the fact that they were protesting against the Roman Catholic Church.
Pope	The leader of the Catholic Church.
Monasteries	These were places where Catholic monks lived in England.
Monarch	Ruler of a country.

### Knowledge

- **Catholic Worship** – Part of worshipping as a Roman Catholic is to celebrate Holy Communion. This is a re-enactment of the Last Supper and the sharing of a holy meal. With the blessing of a priest, Catholics believe that the bread and wine they are being fed becomes the body and blood of Christ.
- **Martin Luther** – He was a German Monk who was born in 1483. After visiting Rome, he became angry with the way in which the Church was run and wanted things to change. People started to follow his beliefs and identified themselves as Protestants rather than Catholics.
- **Henry VIII** – He took the throne after Henry VII died in 1509. He wanted to separate from his wife; however, the Catholic faith forbid separation. He asked permission from the Pope but this was denied. He later created the Church of England allowing him to become the Supreme Head of the Church of England. This allowed him to divorce his first wife.
- **Edward VI** – He was the son of Henry VIII and became king in 1547. He was brought up as a strict Protestant and made many changes in the Protestant church. These included priests being allowed to wear simple clothing, priests could now marry, churches would be decorated in a simple way and people could now pray directly to God for forgiveness.

### Key Questions

Who is the head of the Roman Catholic Church?	The Pope
In a Roman Catholic church during the Tudor period, which language was the Bible written in?	Latin
Which food and drink do Christians consume during Holy Communion?	Bread and wine
Which of these was not a reason for Henry VIII separating the Church from Rome?	He was no longer a Christian
Which religious faith was Edward VI?	Protestant
One of the changes Edward VI made was that priests could...	Get married
The current reigning monarch still holds which titles?	Supreme Governor of the Church of England and Defender of the Faith
The 1701 Act of Settlement stated that all British monarchs must be which religion?	Protestant