

# Symbols and Religious Expression



## Key Vocabulary

<b>Religion</b>	The belief and worship of a god or gods in a system of belief and worship.
<b>Spiritual</b>	Being able to relate to deep feelings and beliefs.
<b>Pilgrim</b>	A person who makes a journey, often a long and difficult one to a special place for religious reasons.
<b>Pilgrimage</b>	A special journey made by a pilgrim to a place considered special to show respect.
<b>Ritual</b>	A way of doing something in which the same actions are done in the same way every time.
<b>Symbol</b>	A sign, shape or object which represents something.
<b>Community</b>	People being considered as a unit because of their common interests, social group, nationality or religion.
<b>Commitment</b>	A promise or firm decision to do something.
<b>Values</b>	The principles which help you decide what is right and wrong and how we act in different situations.

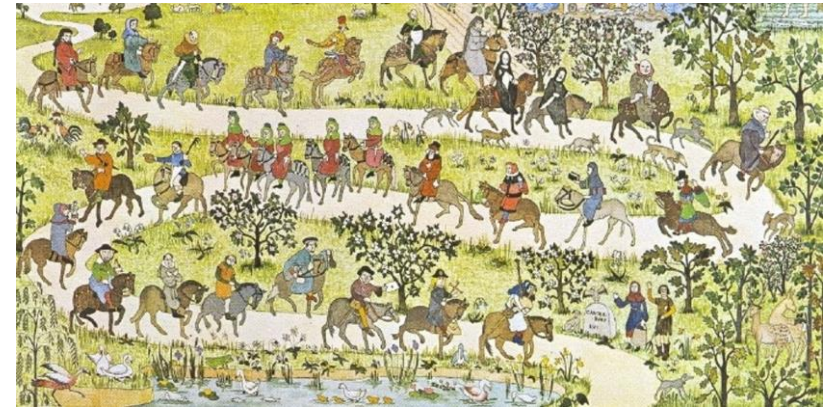
## Sticky Knowledge

Religions can be expressed through pilgrimages.

- Muslims pilgrimage to Makkah
- Hindus pilgrimage to Varanasi
- Christians pilgrimage to Holy land

There are local places of pilgrimage such as the Southwell Minster.

A spiritual journey, similar to a pilgrimage can change peoples lives for good.



## Prior Knowledge

How do some people express their religions?

