



Christians belong to the local church community – the parish, which celebrates in a variety of ways. They celebrate tradition and story and find their meaning in Jesus.



## CELEBRATING

Reception Topic 4



### OUR BIG QUESTION

What and why do people celebrate?



### REFLECTION

Lord, you fulfilled the hope of Simeon who did not die

until he had been privileged to

welcome the Messiah.

In Sacramental Celebrations we meet the Risen Christ.

May he continue to give us life.

Amen.

### KEY VOCABULARY

Church Priest  
family community  
father altar

### SCRIPTURE

Luke 2: 22