## THE INSPIRED WORD OF GOD

**AIM:** To know that the Bible is the inspired Word of God.

"God is the author of Sacred Scripture. 'The divinely revealed realities, which are contained and presented in the text of Sacred Scripture, have been written down under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit." CCC 105

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| The Bible was written b  | beings, but Christians believe that told |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| the writers what to say. Christians call this idea and say the writers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| of the Bible were by God.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Christians believe that is the word of God. Jesus speaks God's word to |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| In Jesus we God.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| INSPIRATION  | SEE HUMAN US                             |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| GOD INSPIRE  | ED JESUS ANGELS                          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## The Bible may go out of fashion for some people, but it never goes out of date.

In the Scriptures we find writings that our grandparents found very helpful, people find them helpful today and they are certain to help many generations in the future.

- 2. a) Find the following passages in the Bible.
  - b) Choose one you think would be helpful to
  - an elderly person
  - a person in trouble
  - a sick person
  - yourself

| Matt. 5:6 | Matt. 7:12 | Matt. 7.7 | Matt. 11:28 | Deut. 5:12 |
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| Matt. 5:9 | Matt. 9:13 | Lk 12:33  | Lk. 17:4    | Deut. 5:16 |

- c) Write down the Bible reference, say who you think it will help and why.
- d) Do the same for each person.
- 3. What does it mean to say 'The Bible may go out of fashion for some people but it never goes out of date. Give examples to support your views.