

# Saints Worksheet

Here is some written work about saints:

1. What is a 'saint'?
2. What is a 'martyr'? Does this still happen today?
3. What is a 'Patron Saint'?  
Who is the Patron Saint of the country where you are living?  
Do they have a special symbol?
4. What is a 'Saint's Day'?  
When is St. Valentine's Day?  
Why is it celebrated?
5. Why did people go on pilgrimage to Canterbury Cathedral?
6. Why do Roman Catholics pray 'with' a saint?
7. What is the 'canonization' of a saint?

Use the links to other websites to find out about:

1. The Patron Saint of your favourite hobby, and the job of someone in your family.
2. Write a short biography about the saint of your choice.  
When is their special day?  
What is their symbol?  
Why do people remember them today?

Visit your local Anglican or Roman Catholic church. Find out:

1. Who is the church's Patron Saint?
2. Is there a statue or a picture of them in the church – perhaps in a stained glass window?
3. What can you find out about that saint?