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Who brought messages about God and what did they say?

How is new life welcomed?

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Vocabulary



Family



Promises



Parents



Godparents

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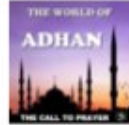
Prayer



Baptism



Aqiqah



Adhan



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Key facts

- It is important to make someone feel welcome
- Some babies names are chosen because of religious reasons
- Gifts are given to welcome a baby
- Christians welcome a baby to the church community at a Baptism
- Christian babies receive symbolic gifts for example a candle, a white garment
- Parents and Godparents promise to look after the baby and help it to know about God
- When a Muslim baby is born the adhan is whispered into the baby's ears
- The baby's name is taken from the Qur'an
- The aqiqah means 'special stone'
- The aqiqah happens on the seventh day and the baby's hair is shaved off