





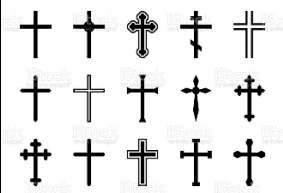













Vocabulary

<p><b>ark</b></p>	 <p>The Aron Hakodesh, often known as the <b>ark</b>, is the most important place inside all <b>synagogues</b>. The Aron Hakodesh is where the Torah scroll is kept.</p>	<p><b>lectern</b></p>	 <p>a stand used to support a book or script in a convenient position for a standing reader from which scripture lessons are read in a church service</p>
<p><b>altar</b></p>	 <p>the table in a Christian church at which the bread and wine are consecrated in communion services</p>	<p><b>minbar</b></p>	 <p>a pulpit in a mosque</p>
<p><b>bimah</b></p>	 <p>the platform in a Jewish synagogue</p>	<p><b>mihrab</b></p>	 <p>prayer niche in a mosque</p>
<p><b>cross</b></p>		<p><b>muezzin</b></p>	 <p>Calls to Prayer. A Muezzin is a mosque (Islamic place of worship) official who recites the call for Muslims to come to prayer five times a day</p>
<p><b>font</b></p>	 <p>Where children are baptised</p>	<p><b>Ner Tamid</b></p>	 <p>The eternal light is continually kept burning and never goes out.</p>
<p><b>crucifix</b></p>		<p><b>scroll</b></p>	 <p>The <b>Torah scroll</b> is a long scroll containing the entire text of the Five Books of Moses, hand-written by a pious scribe in the original Hebrew. It is rolled up around two ornate wooden shafts, attached to either end of the scroll.</p>
<p><b>calligraphy</b></p>		<p><b>tallit</b></p>	 <p>Prayer shawl</p>
<p><b>kippah</b></p>	 <p>A skullcap worn by men who follow the Jewish faith.</p>	<p><b>tefillin</b></p>	<p><b>Tefillin</b>  <small>ten-tillin</small>                  A mitzvah that binds your heart, your mind and your action together into a single wholeness, wrapped up inseparably with the One who spoke and the world came into being.</p>  <p>Tefillin are two small <b>black boxes</b> with <b>black straps</b> attached to them; Jewish men are required to place one box on their head and tie the other one on their arm each weekday morning</p>
<p><b>hannukiah</b></p>		<p><b>tzitzit</b></p>	 <p>specialty knotted ritual fringes or tassels</p>