

Key

Monotheistic Religions CLOZE Notes

1. Judaism, Christianity, and Islam are major religions practiced in Europe.
2. Followers of each practice monotheism, a belief in one god.
3. All three started in Southwest Asia.
4. Jerusalem is a holy city for all three religions.

JUDAISM

5. It was founded by Abraham around 2000 BCE.
6. The Jewish holy book is the Torah.
7. Jews worship in synagogues and temples.

CHRISTIANITY

8. Christians believe in Jesus, who preached a new religion of love and kindness around 30 CE.
9. The Bible is the main holy book for Christians.
10. Christians worship in churches and chapels.

ISLAM

11. Islam began around 610 CE in Southwest Asia.
12. Followers of Islam are called muslims, and the founder is Muhammad.
13. The Muslim holy book is the Qur'an (Koran).
14. The Five Pillars of Faith:
 1. Prayer,
 2. Giving to charity,
 3. Belief in and submission to one God (Allah),
 4. Fasting during the month of Ramadan,
 5. and a trip (hajj) to Mecca once in a lifetime.