Good day children
History is mainly divided into 3 main periods:
- Ancient history
- Medieval history
- Modern history.

In class 6 you have mainly learnt about ancient history. In class 7 you are going to learn about the Medieval period. We are going to start with the Medieval period in Europe.

**Span of Medieval period in Europe: 5th-15th century C.E**
An important thing that happened in Medieval period was the rise of Christianity. **Christianity was the religion founded by Jesus Christ.** It was a religion based on the life and teachings of Jesus Christ.
The Romans invaded the land of Palestine in 63 B.C.E. They marched into Jerusalem and took control of the entire country. They tortured the Jews. The Jews lived unhappily under their rule. They were waiting that someone would come and save them from the hands of the Romans. In this situation Jesus was born.

- Jesus Christ was born in Bethlehem in Judea.
- The parents of Jesus: Joseph and Mary
- Jesus Christ was brought up in Nazareth in Northern Palestine.
Jesus Christ was baptized in the Jordan river by John, the Baptist when he was 30 years old.

Christians believe that baptism is a symbol of washing away sin and the start of a new life.

The condition of the Jordan river now

The 12 followers of Jesus were called apostles.
I hope you have understood the lesson..Have a good day

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