# Monasteries in the Middle Ages





#### Keywords

- Church
- Diocese
- Parish
- Bishop
- Cathedral
- Romanesque
- Gothic

#### Christianity

In The Middle Ages most people were Christian.
The leader was the pope in Rome.

- The bishop ruled an area called a diocese
- Dioceses were divided into parishes
- The bishops church was called a Cathedral

 The Normans gave bishops and Monks money to pray for them.

This made them very rich.

 They used the money to build cathedrals and churches

## Romanesque

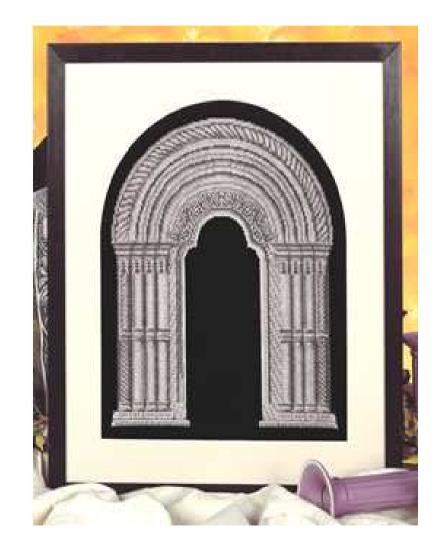


Thick walls

Round Arches

Small Windows

Inside was dark



### Gothic



- Flying Buttresses
- Pointed windows
- Stained Glass
- Statues
- Thin Columns inside

