

The Romanesque movement in Europe happened around 1000AD – 1200AD. Meaning "Roman-like" the Romanesque architecture was similar to Roman design with columns and arches, however the paintings and sculptures of this time were very different than Roman style art. Romanesque paintings and sculptures mostly depicted stories from the Bible and therefore decorated many churches across Europe.

## Websites/ You Tube videos:

Romanesque art - Wikipedia

Romanesque art | Britannica

Romanesque Art By, Ulrike Laule

Romanesque art - ancientarthistory2 (google.com)

(2) Art History 4 Kids: Romanesque - YouTube

## **Books:**

13 Art Movements Children Should Know By, Brad Finger
History of Art for Young People By, HW Janson
A Journey Through Art; A Global History By, Aaron Rosen
Romanesque Art: The Visual Encyclopedia of Art By, The Scala Group



## **Activities:**

1. Make a Romanesque Pop-up Cathedral - Romanesque pop-up Cathedral (arteascuola.com)



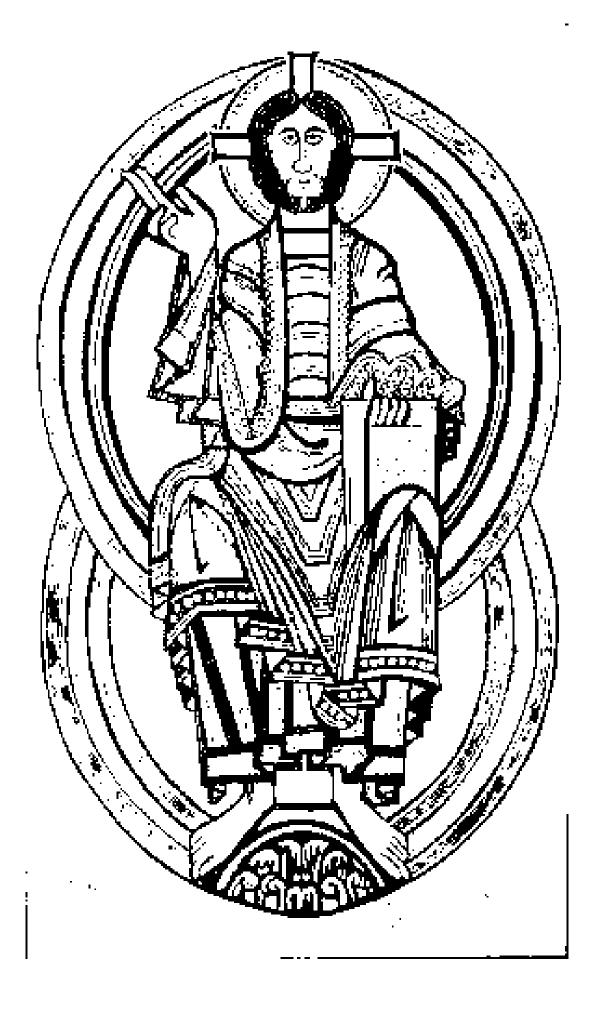
2. The Tower of Pisa was built during the 12<sup>th</sup> century and is considered Romanesque style. Make your own version of this famous leaning tower using cardboard oatmeal boxes, craft foam or even toilet paper rolls





- 3. Romanesque paintings were not realistic looking. They were flat and brightly colored, almost cartoon-ish. Many times they depicted Biblical stories. Below is a comic book template. Use it to draw a Romanesque style comic of a Bible story. David and Goliath, Moses parting the Red Sea, the Nativity...
- 4. Stained-Glass is used in many churches to show Romanesque style art. Try your own stained-glass craft. Use this video for a real stained-glass DIY (2) Stained Glass For Beginners 3 FEATHERS YouTube or try a faux stained glass project with help from this site Faux Stained Glass Window Art Silhouette ~ Practical Whimsy Designs
- 5. Romanesque art color page (below)

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