

Religion 6 Lesson Plan

In the Baltimore Catechism, read Lesson 10: The Virtues and Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Day 4

In *Religion 6 for Young Catholics*, read and study "The Virtues and Gifts of the Holy Spirit." Notice that the lesson continues on the next page. The Gospel tells us that the Holy Spirit came as tongues of fire.

In the *Baltimore Catechism*, Lesson 10, read, study, and memorize the questions and answers for Nos. 119, 121, 122, 123, 124, and 125.

Day 5

Review the lessons for the week. Take the weekly test on the memorized questions and answers. Record this quiz grade in Section A on the Religion 6 First Quarter Report Form or enter the grade online at www. setonhome.org.

WEEK SEVEN

This week, read about St. Margaret Mary and the promises made to her by Jesus regarding devotion to His Sacred Heart.

Day 1

In Religion 6 for Young Catholics, read and study "The Catholic Church."

Be sure you know the three parts of the chapter. Do the Matching exercise. Notice the painting of the Descent of the Holy Spirit. This is called the feast of Pentecost, the birthday of the Church. Again, you see the dove representing the Holy Spirit. Notice the light focusing on all the faces. Do you see the tongues of fire? Can you count twelve Apostles? Do you see one without a beard? Who would he be?

In the Baltimore Catechism, read and study Lesson 11: "The Catholic Church."

Day 2

In Religion 6 for Young Catholics, read and study "The Catholic Church."

The painting shows St. Peter, the first pope. Notice the large key at the bottom of the painting. This key means St. Peter was given the authority by Jesus to be the visible head of the Church on earth. You can read the words of Jesus to Peter in the Gospel of St. Matthew, Chapter 16, verses 18 and 19: And I say to thee: That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. And I will give to thee the keys of the kingdom of Heaven. And whatsoever you shall bind upon earth, it shall be bound also in Heaven; and whatsoever you shall loose on earth, it shall be loosed also in Heaven.

Do the Fill in the Blanks exercise.

Bible History: Read Chapter 7; answer the questions.

In the *Baltimore Catechism*, Lesson 11, study and memorize the following questions and answers: Nos. 136, 138, 142, 143, 146, and 147.

Day 3

In Religion 6 for Young Catholics, read and study "The Marks of the Catholic Church."

The painting is of Jesus handing the keys of the Church to St. Peter. Jesus has the wound in His side that He was given by a soldier after He died on the Cross, so this painting is of Jesus handing the keys to Peter after His resurrection. Jesus had given Peter authority as head of the Church before He died, but this painting emphasizes that even though Peter had denied Jesus three times [as Jesus was being questioned by the authorities], Jesus still wanted Peter to be the head of His ChurChapter



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Jesus was teaching His Apostles that their job is to serve the people and to be humble as leaders of the ChurChapter Look at the faces of the Apostles. One face does not have a beard, likely to be that of St. John the Beloved. Notice the rich red and gold colors.

Do the True or False exercise.

In the Baltimore Catechism, read Lesson 12: The Marks and Attributes of the ChurChapter

Day 4

In Religion 6 for Young Catholics, read and study "The Attributes of the Catholic Church."

The first painting shows Jesus handing a huge key to St. Peter, in front of a huge Temple representing the Church Jesus established. Can you think who all the people might be? Look at their faces. Who else is in the painting? Do you think Jesus might be elsewhere in the painting, a second time?

The second painting also shows Jesus giving the keys of the Church to St. Peter. Notice the church building in the distant background. How is this painting similar to the previous painting? How is it different? How do the colors compare? Which do you like best? Why?

Look at the third painting, the fourth painting in a row showing the handing of the keys of the Church to St. Peter. Do you see again the beardless face? This is very different from the previous two. What do you think about this painting? Notice the animals in this painting. What are they? Why are they in this painting? Do you see them in the previous two paintings? Look at the Gospel of John, Chapter 21, verse 15 and following: Jesus asked Simon Peter: "Simon, son of John, lovest thou Me more than these?" Simon answered Him: "Yes, Lord, You know that I love Thee." Jesus said to him: "Feed my lambs." Then Jesus asked him again: "Simon, son of John, lovest thou Me?" Peter answered Him: "Yes, Lord, thou knowest that I love Thee." Jesus said to him: "Feed my lambs." Jesus answered him the third time: Simon, son of John, lovest thou Me? Peter was grieved because He had asked him the third time "Lovest thou Me?" And Peter said to Him: Lord, Thou knowest all things; Thou knowest that I love Thee!" Jesus said to him: "Feed my sheep."

It has been stated by some theologians that Jesus asked Peter three times if he loved Him to refute or undo the three times that Peter had denied knowing Jesus while Jesus was being questioned by the authorities. The reference to the lambs and the sheep is the way that Jesus often referred to the Church members, as He had referred to His people as a flock of sheep and lambs in the parable of the Good Shepherd. That is why the little lambs or sheep are shown in the painting, as St. Peter receives the keys of the kingdom of Heaven, that is, the authority as the head of the Church founded by Jesus. In fact, the painting is titled "Feed My Sheep."

Do the crossword puzzle.

In the *Baltimore Catechism*, Lesson 12, study and memorize the following questions and answers: Nos. 153 - 159.

Day 5

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WEEK EIGHT

This week read about St. Teresa of Avila, a Doctor of the Church Chapter