

CatholicMom.com Gospel Activity – Celebrating Our Catholic Faith
Religious Education Lesson Plan Helpers by Laura Grace

Please note: Some of our lesson plans contain links to Christian, non-Catholic resources. When preparing your lessons, we urge you to inform yourself on the teachings of the Catholic Church with respect to the Sunday gospel and readings. If you find links in any of the lesson plans which may be counter to the teachings of the Church, please notify lisa@catholicmom.com. These lesson plan helpers are designed to assist you in pulling together creative ideas and activities to supplement your lesson plan, but are not designed to be catechetical in nature. Thank you for your continued prayerful support.

November 18, 2007
Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel - Luke 21:5-19

Activities

catholicmom.com

http://www.catholicmom.com/coloring_pages.htm

Scroll down to Coloring Page, Mass Worksheet, Crossword Puzzle, Word Search

ecusa.anglican.org

http://www.episcopalchurch.org/50534_50581_ENG_HTM.htm

Lesson Plans for Small Congregations

webelieveweb.com

http://www.webelieveweb.com/home_proclaiming_faith.cfm?reading_id=137&language=eng&book=0

Scroll down to Gospel Reflection, Discussion Questions for the Gospel, and Proclaiming Faith Activities

sermons4kids.com

http://www.sermons4kids.com/when_afraid.htm

When I'm Afraid object lesson with coloring page.

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Lessons/1daniel02.php>

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After completing this lesson, the children will learn that God gives them the courage and encouragement they need to remain obedient to him, even during tough times, worldly pressures, and persecution.

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Lessons/1daniel04.php>

After completing this lesson, children will understand that faith is the key to finding courage.

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Objects/1object16.php>

Unseen Faith object lesson- This object talk demonstrates how faith in our Lord can help us from being crushed by fear.

textweek.com

<http://www.textweek.com/mtlk/lk21a.htm>

Lectionary, Scripture Study and Worship Links and Resources

homiliesbyemail.com

http://www.homiliesbyemail.com/leaf/cas/cas_11-14-04.pdf

Activity pages, coloring, puzzles, etc.

humanityquest.com

http://humanityquest.com/topic/art_activities/index.asp?theme1=fear

Fear activities that can be used to explore the theme of fear.

humanityquest.com

http://humanityquest.com/topic/art_activities/index.asp?theme1=courage

Courage activities that can be used to explore the theme of courage.

gpn.unl.edu

<http://gpn.unl.edu/guides/rr/53.pdf>

Knots on Counting Rope- With courage we can face things that frighten us. A story with activities about courage.

http://165.189.174.140/guides/pdf/CE_35_08.pdf

What is Courage? Lesson with activities.

ncc.org

http://www.ncc.org/Guidance/dc16_fear.courage.html

Fear and Courage games and activities.

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wilderdom.com

<http://www.wilderdom.com/games/descriptions/FearInAHat.html>

Fear in a Hat- People write personal fears anonymously on pieces of paper which are collected. Then each person reads someone else's fear to group and explains how the person might feel.

Movies

Where's God When I'm S-Scared? VeggieTales

Two stories are on the tape:

Tales from the Crisper

What happens when 5-year-old Junior Asparagus watches a Frankencelery movie that's a little too scary for him? Bob the Tomato and Larry the Cucumber come to the rescue with a rollicking song, teaching Junior that God is bigger than anything he might be afraid of.

Daniel and the Lion's Den

The second segment takes us to ancient Babylon as the VeggieTales characters stage a musical adaptation of a classic Bible story. Larry the Cucumber, playing the role of Daniel, finds himself in deep trouble thanks to the King's conniving Wise men, played with zest by a trio of slippery scallions. In the end, Daniel learns that even in the lion's den, he is still in God's hands.

Questions:

1. Who told the King what his dream meant? Daniel
2. The Wise men got jealous of Daniel and what did they want to do? Get rid of him
3. How did they do this? They had a law passed that people could only pray to the King.
4. Who would Daniel pray to? Only to God
5. What happened to Daniel? They threw him in the Lion's den.
6. Did the lions eat Daniel? No
7. Why didn't the lion's eat Daniel? God protected him.

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Puzzles

efree.mb.ca

<http://www.efree.mb.ca/lectionarypuzzles/in-cwvx.htm#p33>

Word search puzzles

Skit

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Skits/1skit01.php>

The Hamster's Great Escape- The exodus from Egypt, as told by one family's pets. (Topics: Believing, Courage, Faith, Protection, Trust in God).

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Skits/1skit11.php>

The Fiery Furnace?- A lesson in standing for God no matter what.

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