

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

April 1, 2007
Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Gospel: Luke 22:14 - 23:56

***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 lessons 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.*

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_55888_ENG_HTM.htm

Lesson Plans for Small Congregations

webelieveweb.com

http://www.webelieveweb.com/home_proclaiming_faith.cfm?reading_id=59&language=eng&book=0

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

textweek.com

http://www.textweek.com/mlk/lk22_23.htm

Lectionary, Scripture Study and Worship Links and Resources

Last Supper/Holy Thursday

Activities and Crafts

catecheticalresources.com

http://www.catecheticalresources.com/Downloads/lofG/Gr2/Chap_16.pdf

Jesus Shares a Special Meal lesson.

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/lastsupper.htm>

The Last Supper lesson with discussions, songs, crafts, games, questions, worksheets, memory work, etc.

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dltk-bible.com

http://www.dltk-kids.com/recipes/last_supper_snack.htm

Last Supper Snack

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

The Last Supper lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

msssbible.com

<http://msssbible.com/newtestament/lastsupper.htm>

The Last Supper with tons of resources for illustrating the story, coloring pages/activity sheets, crafts, and songs.

rotation.infopop.cc

<http://rotation.infopop.cc/eve/ubb.x?a=tpc&s=1206067121&f=3036088121&m=8326072342&r=8326072342#8326072342>

Last Supper lesson plan with scripture, memory verse, purpose, objectives, teacher preparation before class, room set-up, supply list, presentation, craft with application, reflect, resources, etc.

sundayschoolresources.com

<http://www.sundayschoolresources.com/btlastsupper.htm>

Lesson with Bible verses, discussions, activities, etc.

calvarychapel.com

<http://children.calvarychapel.com/site/pdf/New/Curr229.pdf>

The Last Supper lesson listed with memory verses, circle the correct words, true or false, fill in the blanks, puzzles, and color sheets.

dltk-bible.com

http://www.dltk-bible.com/crafts/mlast_supper_keychain.htm

Last Supper Keychain

Coloring

silk.net

<http://www.silk.net/RelEd/holytclipart.htm>

Last Supper clip art that you can color.

apples4thteacher.com

<http://www.apples4thteacher.com/coloring-pages/christian-easter/bread-and-wine.html>

The body and Blood of Jesus coloring page.

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Puzzles

The Last Supper- Color the shapes with letters from the word REMEMBRANCE. What did Jesus share with the disciples? (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 72).

Garden of Gethsemane

Activities and Crafts

calvarychapel.com

<http://children.calvarychapel.com/site/pdf/New/Curr233.pdf>

The Garden of Gethsemane lesson with memory verses, circle the correct words, true or false, fill in the blanks, puzzles, and color sheets.

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/gethsemane.htm>

The Garden of Gethsemane lesson with discussions, songs, crafts, games, questions, worksheets, memory work, etc.

dltk-bible.com

http://www.dltk-bible.com/guides/jesus_prays.htm

Jesus Prays lesson, coloring pages, take home sheet, games, songs, crafts, snacks, etc.

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Garden of Gethsemane lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Kiss of Betrayal lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

msssbible.com

<http://msssbible.com/newtestament/gethsemane.htm>

The Garden of Gethsemane with tons of resources for illustrating the story, coloring pages/activity sheets, crafts, and songs.

Coloring

ilovejesus.com

<http://www.ilovejesus.com/myhome/holt/coloringbk/jesusngarden.gif>

Jesus in the garden.

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sermons4kids.com

<http://sermons4kids.com/jesus-praying-colorpg.htm>

Jesus praying in the garden.

Puzzles

Jesus Prays in a Garden- Listen to the directions and circle the correct answer. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 74).

Judas Betrays Jesus- Color the picture, then cut it into four pieces along the heavy, black lines. Mix up the pieces and put the puzzle back together. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 75).

Judas

calvarychapel.com

<http://children.calvarychapel.com/site/pdf/New/Curr234.pdf>

Judas Betrays Jesus lesson with memory verses, circle the correct words, true or false, fill in the blanks, puzzles, and color sheets.

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Judas Just Reward lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

Judas Betrays Jesus (puzzle)- Color the picture, then cut it into four pieces along the heavy, black lines. Mix up the pieces and put the puzzle back together. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 75).

Peter

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/Acts/PetersDenial.htm>

Peter Denies Christ lesson with discussions, songs, crafts, games, questions, worksheets, memory work, etc.

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Peter Denies Jesus lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's

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msssbible.com

<http://msssbible.com/newtestament/peter.htm>

Apostle Peter with tons of resources for illustrating the story, coloring pages/activity sheets, crafts, and songs.

calvarychapel.com

<http://children.calvarychapel.com/site/pdf/New/Curr235.pdf>

Peter's Denial lesson with memory verses, circle the correct words, true or false, fill in the blanks, puzzles, and color sheets.

first-school.ws

<http://www.first-school.ws/activities/crafts/animals/birds/rooster.htm>

A cute rooster craft with templates available in both black & white and in color versions. Leave off the feet and the rooster can rock back and forth.

Puzzles

Peter Denies Jesus- Peter denied Jesus three times. Hidden in this picture are three number 3s. Can you find them? Color the picture. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons, page 76).

Death on a Cross/Crucifixion/Good Friday

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/pilate.htm>

Pilate lesson with discussions, songs, crafts, games, questions, worksheets, memory work, etc.

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/jdeath.htm>

Jesus' Death lesson with discussions, songs, crafts, games, questions, worksheets, memory work, etc.

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/crucified.htm>

Jesus is Crucified lesson with discussions, songs, crafts, games, questions, worksheets, memory work, etc.

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Pontius Pilot lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

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http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Crown of Thorns lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Carrying the Cross lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Nails for our Sins lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Sour Wine and Gall lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

It Is Finished lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Golgotha lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

kidsclubs4jesus.com

http://www.kidsclubs4jesus.com/download_page.htm

Jesus' Burial lesson with puzzles, coloring sheet, Bible readings, questions, memory verses, key points, object lesson, drama, puppets, etc. (These files are set up and formatted so that they can be easily made into weekly booklets for your children's ministry, youth ministry, etc., with 4 sheets of legal paper and two staples).

msssbible.com

<http://msssbible.com/newtestament/crucifixion.htm>

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The Crucifixion with tons of resources for illustrating the story, coloring pages/activity sheets, crafts, and songs.

paoc.org

http://www.paoc.org/ministries/Children/FKO/FKOArchive/Apr05_2001.html

Jesus Dies and Comes Back to Life lesson with story, craft, and puzzle.

paoc.org

http://www.paoc.org/ministries/Children/FKO/FKOArchive/Mar15_2002.html

Jesus Died and Comes Back to Life lesson with story, craft, discussion, and puzzle.

paoc.org

http://www.paoc.org/ministries/Children/FKO/FKOArchive/March22_2002.html

Jesus Died for Us lesson with discussions, crafts, edible object/snack lesson, and puzzle.

calvarychapel.com

<http://children.calvarychapel.com/site/pdf/New/Curr236.pdf>

The Sanhedrin, Herod, & Pilate lesson with memory verses, circle the correct words, true or false, fill in the blanks, puzzles, and color sheets.

calvarychapel.com

<http://children.calvarychapel.com/site/pdf/New/Curr237.pdf>

Jesus is Crucified lesson with memory verses, circle the correct words, true or false, fill in the blanks, puzzles, and color sheets.

Coloring

sermons4kids.com

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

Take up your cross.

silk.net

<http://www.silk.net/RelEd/clipart2/jh19171.gif>

Carrying his own cross.

silk.net

<http://www.silk.net/RelEd/gfridayclipart.htm>

Clip art that you can color.

apples4theteacher.com

<http://www.apples4theteacher.com/coloring-pages/christian-easter/jesus-with-crown-of-thorns.html>

Crown of thorns.

apples4theteacher.com

<http://www.apples4theteacher.com/coloring-pages/christian-easter/jesus-carrying-cross.html>

Jesus stumbles with the cross.

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coloringbookfun.com

<http://coloringbookfun.com/jesus/imagepages/image25.html>

Soldiers mock Jesus

Crafts

Crosses

kidsdomain.com

<http://www.kidsdomain.com/craft/cross1.html>

Beaded Cross Necklace- A very nice necklace for boys and girls. Be sure to make the string at least 36 inches long to fit over their heads. Craft cord can be used as well.

christian-homemaking.com

<http://www.christian-homemaking.com/bccross.html>

Bottle Cap Cross Ornament- Picture and directions posted.

daniellesplace.com

http://www.daniellesplace.com/html/bible_themes_easter.html#eastercross

Cross Crafts- Several cross crafts listed.

daniellesplace.com

http://www.daniellesplace.com/html/bible_themes_f_.html

Love is Forgiving Cross- Scroll down to this cross craft about 3/4 of the way down.

christiancrafters.com

http://www.christiancrafters.com/craft_mosaic.html

Mosaic Cross- Easy cross necklace/magnet that all kids can make.

kidsdomain.com

<http://www.kidsdomain.com/craft/staingl.html>

Stained Glass Window- I make this craft in the shape of a cross by folding one sheet of black construction paper in half and tracing a cross in the center on the top sheet. I then cut the cross out of both sheets of paper for the students. We then follow the rest of the directions given here.

christiancrafters.com

<http://www.christiancrafters.com/colorsofchrist.html>

Colors of Christ Cross- Neat tip at the bottom for younger students.

Games

Building My Cross (Good Friday)- During this game, children will build a cross for themselves and discover Jesus took their place. (The Encyclopedia of Bible Games, page 147).

Blind Leading the Mob (Jesus Is Tried and Crucified)- This game will help your kids discover

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how a mob convinced Pilate to have Jesus crucified despite the fact that Pilate found Jesus innocent of the charges brought against him. (The Encyclopedia of Bible Games, page 99).

Puzzles

sewhttkr.home.comcast.net

http://sewhttkr.home.comcast.net/bibleWS/bibleWS/63_crucified.htm

The Crucifixion of Jesus crossword.

http://sewhttkr.home.comcast.net/bibleWS/bibleWS/answers/answer_63.htm

Solution to The Crucifixion of Jesus crossword.

Peter Denies Jesus- Peter denied Jesus three times. Hidden in this picture are three numbers 3's. Can you find them? Color the picture. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 76).

Crucify Him! Crucify Him!- Jesus had to go before many people before finally going to the cross. Follow this maze to see where He went. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 77).

Soldiers Make Fun of Jesus- The soldiers mocked Jesus. They dressed Him like a fake king. Draw a line to the things that the soldiers put on Jesus. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 78).

Simon Helps Jesus- Connect the dots to see how Simon helped Jesus. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 79).

Jesus Forgives the People- Write the first letter of each object to fill in the blank in this sentence. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 80).

Jesus Dies on the Cross- Listen to the directions and circle the correct answer. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 81).

A Friend Shares His Tomb- Look at these pictures. They tell the story of Jesus' burial. Number the pictures in the correct order. (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 82).

The Crucifixion- Use the Braille alphabet to fill in the blanks to find out about the remarkable things that happened when Jesus died on the cross for our sins. (Red Hot Bible Puzzles by Nancy I. Sanders, page 45).

Jesus' True Identity- Use the code and fill in the blanks to see if Jesus ever actually told anyone that He was God's Son. (Wa-a-ay Cool Bible Puzzles by Nancy I. Sanders, page 47).