

TASK OF CATECHESIS 1: KNOWLEDGE OF THE FAITH: *Students explore, profess and reflect on our Catholic faith, which is the content of God's revelation found in Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition and lived out in the Creed and Church doctrine.*



1.2 KF-T-TRINITY

Essential Concepts	Pre-Kindergarten Creation, Child of God	Kindergarten Focus: Creation, Jesus and God's Family	First Grade Creation, Jesus and the Church	Second Grade Students Sacraments; Mass	Third Grade Students The Catholic Church	Fourth Grade Morality / Catholic Doctrine	Fifth Grade: Sacraments	Sixth Grade: Old Testament	Seventh Grade: New Testament	Eighth Grade: Church History and Morality
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<p>KF-T TRINITY: God the Creator Jesus the Redeemer, and Holy Spirit Sanctifier [249-324]</p>	<p>PK-KF-T Repeat the <u>Sign of the Cross</u>.</p> <p>PK-KF-T Become familiar with and show reverence for the names of the three <u>Divine Persons</u>: God the Father, God the Son (Jesus Christ) and God the Holy Spirit.</p>	<p>K-KF-T Demonstrate ability and respect for the <u>Sign of the Cross</u> and the names of the three <u>divine Persons</u>: God the Father, God the Son (Jesus Christ) and God the Holy Spirit.</p> <p>K-KF-T Recognize <u>God the Father</u> is the first person of the <u>Trinity</u> in the Sign of the Cross and that He created the world, human beings, and all that is good.</p> <p>K-KF-T Know that Jesus called God, "<u>Abba</u>" which means Daddy.</p> <p>K-KF-T Recognize that God the Son, <u>Jesus Christ</u>, is the second person of the Trinity.</p> <p>K-KF-T Recognize that God the <u>Holy Spirit</u> is the third person of the Trinity.</p> <p>K-KF-T Know that the Holy Spirit lives within us and gives us the gift of <u>grace</u>.</p> <p>K-KF-T Recognize images of the Holy Spirit, e.g. dove, wind.</p>	<p>1-KF-T Identify God the Father as the First Person of the <u>Trinity</u> in the <u>Sign of the Cross</u>.</p> <p>1-KF-T Identify Jesus, God the Son, as the Second Person of the <u>Trinity</u>.</p> <p>1-KF-T State that Jesus came to save us.</p> <p>1-KF-T Show understanding that Jesus was filled with God's <u>Holy Spirit</u> and had a <u>mission</u> to announce the Good News through teaching and healing.</p> <p>1-KF-T State that God the <u>Holy Spirit</u> is the Third Person of the <u>Trinity</u>.</p> <p>1-KF-T Identify the <u>Holy Spirit</u> as the helper, guide, one who dwells within</p>	<p>2-KF-T Name and explain three persons of the <u>Trinity</u>: three persons in one God.</p> <p>2-KF-T Name the Trinity as the central Mystery of our faith.</p> <p>2-KF-T Articulate an understanding that Jesus is God's Son, the promised <u>Savior</u>.</p> <p>2-KF-T Recognize God the <u>Holy Spirit</u> lives within us, gives us the gift of grace, and helps us make right choices.</p>	<p>3-KF-T Identify the Holy Trinity in the <u>Apostles Creed</u>.</p> <p>3-KF-T Identify some characteristics of God: e.g., almighty, all knowing, all merciful, all just, all present.</p> <p>3-KF-T Know the Holy Spirit is the <u>Paraclete</u> (advocate or counselor) promised by Jesus.</p> <p>3-KF-T Know the Holy Spirit came upon the apostles at <u>Pentecost</u>.</p> <p>3-KF-T Identify Christian symbols of the Holy Spirit: fire; dove, and wind.</p> <p>3-KF-T Identify liturgical moments when we reverence the Trinity (i.e. Holy Spirit called down upon the gifts of bread and wine.</p>	<p>4-KF-T Name God as <u>Trinity</u>: Father, Son and Holy Spirit and distinguish the roles of the <u>Holy Trinity</u> as <u>Creator</u>, <u>Redeemer</u> and <u>Sanctifier</u>.</p> <p>4-KF-T Identify Christian faith as <u>Trinitarian</u>, and that this is unique to Christian faith.</p> <p>4-KF-T Know that Trinity is a model of relationship with God and for us.</p>	<p>5-KF-T Recognize that all three persons of the Trinity are present in all of the Sacraments.</p> <p>5-KF-T Identify <u>Trinity</u> in the <u>Nicene</u> and <u>Apostles Creed</u>.</p> <p>5-KF-T Name Jesus as God the Son and Savior who is both human and divine.</p> <p>5-KF-T Pray for guidance to God the Holy Spirit.</p> <p>5-KF-T Articulate how the Church calls upon the Holy Spirit in each of the Sacraments.</p> <p>5-KF-T Identify liturgical moments when they <u>reverence</u> the Trinity (i.e. Holy Spirit called down upon the gifts of bread and wine.)</p>	<p>6-KF-T Identify the <u>Three Persons of the Trinity</u> in the creation story of the Old Testament, Genesis 1: 1-5.</p> <p>6-KF-T Describe how Jesus fulfills the promises made in the Old Testament.</p> <p>6-KF-T Describe how Jesus is always present with the Father.</p> <p>6-KF-T Articulate how the Holy Spirit helps us understand God's presence within each person.</p>	<p>7-KF-T Articulate that the central mystery of the Christian faith is the <u>Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit</u>.</p> <p>7-KF-T Begin to recognize we can know characteristics of God, but our understanding of God will always be limited as our human words can never explain the mystery of God.</p> <p>7-KF-T Recall that although God is named Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, each is wholly and entirely God.</p> <p>7-KF-T Describe how through the love and life of Jesus Christ we have been <u>redeemed</u> by God's mercy and love of the Holy Spirit.</p> <p>7-KF-T Name and define the characteristics of God: eternal, omniscient, omnipotent, and omnipresent.</p> <p>7-KF-T Describe the resurrection of the dead as essential to Christianity: We have risen with Christ in Baptism and participate in the life of the Risen Christ.</p> <p>7-KF-T Identify the actions of the Holy Spirit in the prayer of the Early Church.</p> <p>7-KF-T Locate and cite passages in the New Testament that include all the person(s) of the Holy Trinity, e.g. Baptism of Christ; sending of the Paraclete.</p>	<p>8-KF-T Describe the <u>Trinity</u> as a complete unity without confusing the persons or dividing the substance of God.</p> <p>8-KF-T Recall that the divine persons are relative to one another, and that each is wholly and entirely God.</p> <p>8-KF-T Describe how God the Father sent the Son, Jesus, to <u>redeem</u> us and how the grace of the Holy Spirit continues to give us new life.</p> <p>8-KF-T Describe how God is both <u>transcendent</u> (beyond our understanding) and <u>immanent</u> (existing within) illustrated by the Old Testament passage of Moses and the Burning Bush.</p> <p>8-KF-T Explore how the Holy Spirit continues to strengthen and animate the Church.</p> <p>8-KF-T List the Gifts of the Holy Spirit, the purpose of each gift, and identify outward expressions of those gifts.</p> <p>8-KF-T Identify the special <u>charisms</u> of the Church she receives from the Holy Spirit to accomplish its work.</p>
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