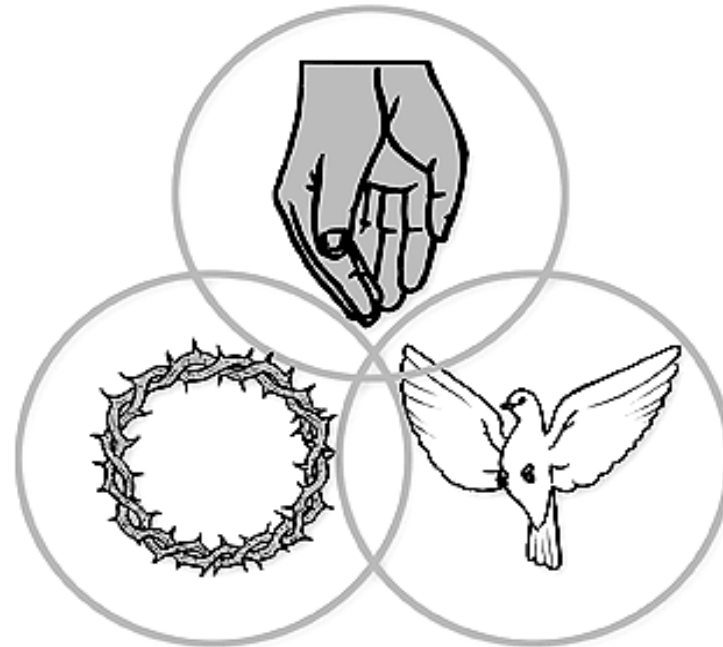


Saint Mary Faith Formation

3rd Grade



Chapter 1:

God Speaks to Us

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Major Points:

God is always revealing himself to us.

God is Trinity-through Scripture, the written Word of God.

Scripture/Bible has two parts Old and New Testament

The Church is called "the people of God."

Christians are people who are baptized and believe that Jesus is the Son of God.

God also speaks to us through the Church.

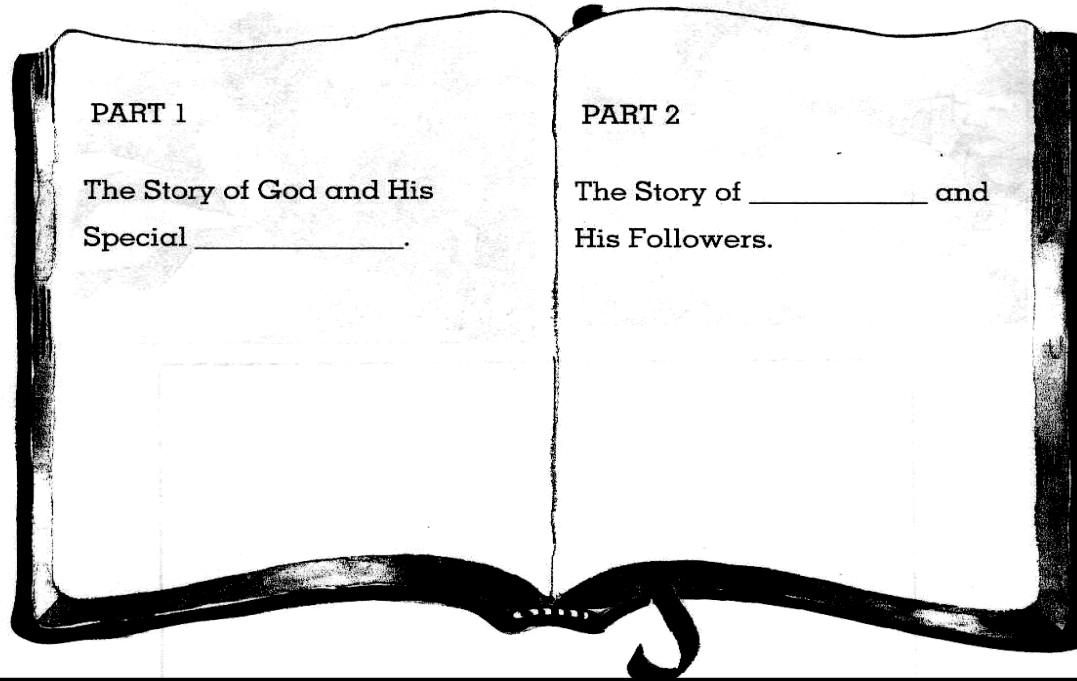
I Know the Bible

The Bible is our holy writings. God speaks to us in these writings.

The Bible has two parts.

1. Color the word "Bible."
2. Look at the name of each part of the Bible.
3. Fill in the missing word in each part.
4. Decorate and color each part.

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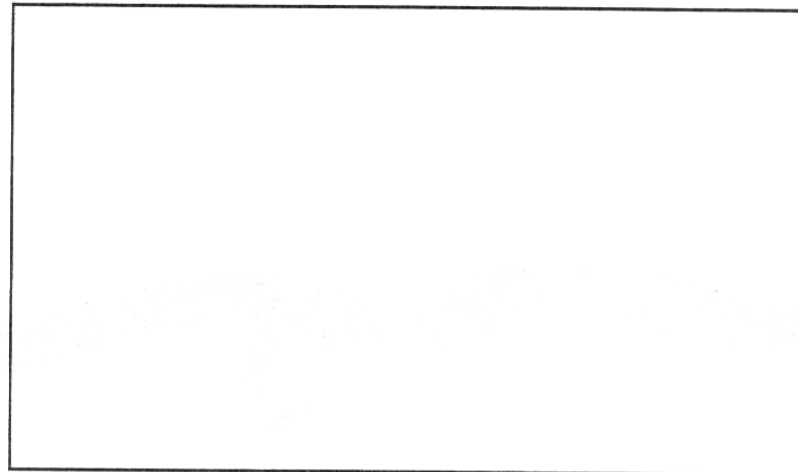


I See How Jesus' Followers Live

The first Christians loved Jesus. They wanted to live good lives. So do we!

Find ways to live a good life.

1. Look at the pictures.
2. Circle the ones that show how a follower of Jesus lives.
3. In the empty box, draw yourself living as a follower of Jesus!



Living Our Faith

Draw or write two ways that show how we can be leaders of the Church like the apostles.

1. I will be a leader of the Church by...

2. I will be a leader of the Church by...

3. I will be a leader of the Church by...

4. I will be a leader of the Church by...

5. I will be a leader of the Church by...

6. I will be a leader of the Church by...

Living Our Faith

Living our faith is not just about what we believe, but how we live. It is about the choices we make every day, the values we hold dear, and the way we treat others. Faith is a journey, not a destination, and it is one that we must walk every day.

Living our faith means being honest with ourselves and others. It means standing up for what is right, even when it is unpopular. It means being kind and compassionate to everyone we meet, and being grateful for the blessings we receive.

Living our faith also means being active in our communities. It means serving others and making a difference in the world. It means being a part of something bigger than ourselves and working together to make the world a better place.

Living our faith is a challenge, but it is also a privilege. It is a chance to live a life of purpose and meaning, and to make a positive impact on the world. Let us strive to live our faith every day, and to be the best version of ourselves that we can be.

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Faith Vocabulary

Write each word or phrase next to its meaning.

Sacred Scriptures	Holy Trinity	creed	People of God	Christians
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1. A name we give to the Church. _____
2. The belief there is one God in three Persons. _____
3. A prayer that tells us what we believe. _____
4. The written word of God, also called the Bible. _____
5. People who are baptized and believe in Jesus Christ. _____

Remembering Our Faith

Draw a line that connects each sentence.

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| 6. The Old Testament is the first part of the Bible | that tells about Jesus and the early Church. |
| 7. The New Testament is the second part of the Bible | that we say each Sunday at Mass. |
| 8. The Nicene Creed is a special prayer | that tells the story about God's people who lived before Jesus was born. |

Understanding Our Faith

Complete the following sentences.

9. The Bible is important because _____
_____.
10. Our parish family helps us to know and love God by _____

Chapter 1 Diocesan Standards

Sacred Scripture:

Children learn about Sacred Scriptures.

The Bible has two parts : Old Testament & New Testament



Doctrine:

Children identify that God is the Trinity—one God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

St. Patrick used a shamrock to teach others about the Trinity.



Notes from your catechist:

