

# Timeline: Creation, Adam and Eve, Noah

Materials:

- Timeline template is on the catechist portal; one per student
- Glue
- Scissors
- Crayons or pencils

Pass out one timeline template to each student. Explain that what they are looking at is called a timeline. It helps us remember events and people. It shows us what happens in the order that it happened—just like we wake up before we eat breakfast and eat breakfast before we go to school. ***Can anyone share what happens after school? (Answers may vary.)***

Explain that throughout the year, this timeline will get bigger and have more characters and events as they learn more about God’s amazing plan of love. Today, they are going to add the first three events. Pass out the character templates, one set per student. Have students cut out their characters. If there is time, they can color them in.

Review the event of Creation (God created the world out of nothing in seven days), the creation and Fall of Adam and Eve (God made them in His image with a body and soul; God promised to send a Savior), and the event of Noah and the Flood (God saved Noah from the Flood in an ark; God promised to never flood the earth again). Have students point to each event/character as it is reviewed.

Next, have students point to the correct symbol for each character or event on the timeline. When they have correctly identified each symbol, have them glue the characters above their symbol on the timeline.

Have the students write their names on the timeline. You can either store the timelines in a safe place or post them in a place that is easy to take down again. As new characters are introduced, students will have the opportunity to add them to their timeline.