

# WORD *of* LIFE

## Parish Catechist Manual

### Kindergarten Lesson Planner: 45-Minute Class

#### Preparation: Let's Prepare Our Hearts 4–6 Minutes

Opening Prayer (1 minute)

Optional: Choose one as time allows. (2–4 minutes)

\_\_\_ *Lectio Divina* (3 minutes)

\_\_\_ Homework

\_\_\_ Sacred Art Reflection (3 minutes)

\_\_\_ Homework

\_\_\_ Prepare Our Hearts Song (2–4 minutes)

\_\_\_ Bible Fun! Activity (3 minutes)

Introduction (1 minute)

*Omit Previous Lesson Review Questions in a 45-minute class period*

#### Proclamation: Let's Proclaim the Good News 1 Minute

#### Explanation: Let's Learn about Our Faith 20–25 Minutes

- Cover material in the focus points. If time is an issue, you may want to highlight areas of the outline you'd like to focus on during your class explanation. (15–25 minutes)
- \_\_\_ Student Text Activity (Optional: You can choose one or more for class and assign the rest for homework. 5 minutes each)
  - In class: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Homework: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Application: Let's Live Our Faith 10 Minutes

Choose one.

- \_\_\_ Option One (10 minutes) \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ Option Two Saint Story (10 minutes)
- \_\_\_ *Small Wonders* Story (10 minutes)

*Omit Remembering our Faith Current Lesson Review Questions in a 45-minute class period.*

#### Celebration: Let's Celebrate Our Faith 2–4 Minutes

Choose one as time allows.

- \_\_\_ Prayer (2 minutes)
- \_\_\_ Prepare Our Hearts Song (2–4 minutes) \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL TIME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Minutes

**Other Notes:** \_\_\_\_\_

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### Kindergarten Lesson Planner: 60- to 90-Minute Class

#### Preparation: Let's Prepare Our Hearts 4–8 Minutes

Opening Prayer (1 minute)

Choose one or two as time allows:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lectio Divina (3 minutes)</i>               | <input type="checkbox"/> Homework |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sacred Art Reflection (3 minutes)              | <input type="checkbox"/> Homework |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prepare Our Hearts Song (2–4 minutes)          |                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bible Fun! Activity (3 minutes)                |                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Previous Lesson Review Questions (2–3 Minutes) |                                   |

Introduction (1 minute)

#### Proclamation: Let's Proclaim the Good News 1 Minute

#### Explanation: Let's Learn about Our Faith 33–45 Minutes

- Cover material in the focus points. If time is an issue, you may want to highlight areas of the outline you'd like to focus on during your class explanation. (33–38 minutes)
- ☐ Student Text Activity (Optional: You can choose one or more for class and assign the rest for homework. 5 minutes each)
  - In class: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Homework: \_\_\_\_\_
- Let's Remember Our Faith—Current Lesson Review Questions (2 minutes)

#### Application: Let's Live Our Faith 20–30 Minutes

Choose one or more as time allows.

- ☐ Option One (10 minutes) \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Option Two Saint Story (10 minutes)
- ☐ Small Wonders Story (10 minutes)
- ☐ Bonus Activity (20–30 minutes) \_\_\_\_\_

#### Celebration: Let's Celebrate Our Faith 2–6 Minutes

Choose one or more as time allows.

- ☐ Prayer (2 minutes)
- ☐ Prepare Our Hearts Song (3–4 minutes) \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL TIME:** \_\_\_\_\_ Minutes

**Other Notes:** \_\_\_\_\_

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