

EUCHARIST-Who, How, When Where the Mass is Celebrated

P= (Primary Grades K-3) I= (Intermediate Grades 4-6) J= (Junior High Grades 7-8) S= (Secondary Grades 9-12) A=Adult

TASK 2-LITURGICAL EDUCATION	GRADE LEVEL	RESOURCE
<i>Eucharist</i>	P	The Eucharist for Little Children (DVD) Children will begin to understand the real presence of our Lord in the Eucharist. They will encounter Jesus in the solemnity of the Mass, the quiet of adoration and the splendor of a Corpus Christi Procession. Children will also experience the Lord through the traditional beauty of the Church. This DVD is an excellent way to give them a better understanding of the Mass.
		Don't Drink the Holy Water! Big Al and Annie Go to Mass (Kempf, Fr. Joe) Don't Drink the Holy Water! explains the Mass with creative, full-color illustrations and simple descriptions that resonate with kids. A special section at the back of the book helps adults answer kids' questions about the Mass. Included is a 50-minute DVD—broken into 20 small segments, for engaging kids and offering opportunities for questions and reflection.
	P	Child's Guide to First Holy Communion (Ficocelli, Elizabeth) A Catholic boy describes preparations for his First Holy Communion, the ceremony itself, and how it feels to be with Jesus in a special new way.
	P,I	What You will See Inside a Catholic Church (Keane, Michael) Names and explains the various objects found in a Catholic Church, how they are used in the celebration of the Mass and other events, the clergy and lay people who use them, and the meaning behind them.
	P,I	Understanding Sunday Mass: A Kid's Point of View (DVD) Follow Father Jerry as he gives Amanda and AJ a unique tour of Sunday Mass. Designed to help teach grade school children the meaning of Sunday Mass. Easy to understand and fun to follow along. This DVD text book will help answer questions that many children have when they attend Church.
	J	Feeding Hungry Hearts: Celebrating the Eucharist (DVD) Father Joe Kempf invites each of us to look at the sacrament of the Eucharist--and how, together when we celebrate as a community of faith at Mass, we are receiving this phenomenal gift of the meal called Eucharist. This DVD walks us through the celebration of the Mass--and explains why we do what we do.
	J	Discovering the Treasures of the Mass : 28 Puzzles that Teach Its Rites and Rituals (Sterritt, Lynne J) This is a fun and informative resource for junior high and high school classes, for retreats and workshops with young teens, and for confirmation preparation sessions.
	S	The Mass: The Glory, The Mystery, The Tradition (Cardinal Donald Wuerl) Describes the Catholic Mass, covering the entrance procession to the blessing and dismissal, explaining the meaning behind the bread and wine, water and candles, altar cloths, and ceremonial books, and providing information about the historical and spiritual background of the rituals.
	S	The Mass: Four Encounters with Jesus that Will Change Your Life (Curran, Tom) Shows how the Mass is not only a ritual, but an event where you meet the Living Lord in four, life changing ways. He walks the reader through the Mass from beginning to end using examples and stories from everyday life that will move you deeply and at times make you laugh. Corresponding DVD set also available.
	S	The Eucharist: 50 Questions from the Pews (Fragomeni, Richard N.) Fr Fragomeni uses pastoral experience, Church documents, and common sense to answer questions posed by men and women already active in their faith and eager to deepen their relationship with God and the Church.
<i>VIDEO LINKS</i>	J,S,A	Sophia SketchPad: The Eucharist This video focuses on the Eucharist, explaining the connection between Original Sin, Christ's death and Resurrection, and the Holy Mass.
	J,S,A	Sacraments 101: Eucharist (how we receive) BustedHalo.com's fantastic introduction to the Sacraments series. Join Fr. Dave Dwyer, CSP, as he explains the do's and don'ts and rights and wrongs of receiving Communion...
	J,S,A	Sacraments 201: Eucharist (what we believe) -BustedHalo.com's introduction to the Sacraments series continues as Fr. Steven Bell, CSP, answers more questions about what Catholics believe about the Eucharist and receiving Communion: How does the bread and wine become the body and blood of Christ? Is Communion a reenactment of the last supper? Should you not receive Communion if you have sinned? Why can't non-Catholics receive Communion in the Church?
	J,S,A	Mass -Catholics have risked their lives for thousands of years to be at Mass. For mere ritual? Nostalgia? Obligation? No. For the most intimate encounter we get with our Maker on this side of eternity, and to tap into the power we need to live the life we were made for.
	J,S,A	3 Reasons Catholics Genuflect -By genuflecting before the tabernacle at church, we're saying at least one of three things with our bodies. Those three things have to do with humility, service, and love. In this video, Fr. Mike Schmitz explains how a simple kneel before we enter the pew can express so much.
	S,A	The Sacrament of the Eucharist as Meal -Bishop Barron speaks of the Eucharist in three rubrics-Eucharist as a meal, Eucharist as a sacrifice and Eucharist as real presence of Jesus Christ.