

Grade 3 April Lesson Plan

Sunday, April 4th Easter Sunday	 HAPPY EASTER! Read Chapter 27 pg 227 Do page 232 Read Passion Story & Do Activity
Sunday, April 11th	 Read Chapter 21 pg 177 Do Activity on pg 180 & 182
Sunday, April 18th	 Read Chapter 7 pg 65 Do Ordinary Time WS
Sunday, April 25th	 Read Chapter 17 pg 147 Do Chapter Test pg 154

All assignments/work will be due:

- ★ by **Sunday evening, May 2nd** by email (religiousedu.olg@gmail.com) or
- ★ by **Monday, May 3rd** for in-person drop off to the rectory (all work should be submitted in your child's folder with their names on it!)

All assignments for submission will be highlighted!



The Passion Story for Kids

In today's Gospel, we hear the entire story of Jesus' Passion.

The Passion of Christ is what we call it when Jesus suffered and died for our sins. He did this to save us from sin so that we can all go to heaven.

First, one of Jesus' apostles, named Judas, does something very bad. He tells the chief priest that he will help them arrest Jesus if they give him money.

Next, Jesus celebrates the Last Supper with all of His twelve apostles. This is the very first Mass where bread and wine became Jesus' body and blood.

After they eat, they go to a garden where Jesus prays to God the Father. He wants the Father to take away His suffering and death. But each time He asks, He says to the Father, "Your will be done, not Mine".

Next, Jesus is arrested and questioned by the high priest. They tried to find a reason to put Jesus to death as a punishment even though He had done nothing wrong.

They decided to lie and say that Jesus committed blasphemy. Blasphemy is when you tell lies or say bad things about God. And they sentenced Him to death even though He never did that.

Before Jesus died, He suffered very much. People who were once nice to Him changed their minds and decided to be mean to Him instead.

Jesus was forced to carry His cross up a hill, and then He was hung on it until He died. All of these things took place on the holy days that we'll celebrate later this week. Holy Thursday and Good Friday.

This was the only way that Jesus could rise from the dead in victory on Easter Sunday, which we will celebrate next week on Sunday.

After Jesus died and rose from the dead, many people all over the world started to believe in Him. And now we can all be forgiven for our sins and one day go to heaven.

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Activity

What is one good thing that you promise to do during this Easter season? How would Jesus react to your good deeds?



What are some clues that help us know it is Ordinary Time in the Church?

Write a few that you learned in this Chapter.		