

CatholicMom.com Gospel Activity – Celebrating Our Catholic Faith
Religious Education Lesson Plan Helpers by Laura Grace

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Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle
Gospel - Mark 16:15-18

Activities

new.catholicmom.com

<http://new.catholicmom.com/category/sundays-gospel/>

Scroll down to Coloring Page, Mass Worksheet, Crossword Puzzle, Word Search

msssbible.com

<http://msssbible.com/newtestament/greatcommission.htm>

The Great Commission with tons of resources for illustrating the story, coloring pages/activity sheets, crafts, and songs.

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Activities/1activity01.php>

An activity to compare how easily children believe in things they can not see to show how they can believe in an unseen God.

childrensministryvault.com

<http://childrensministryvault.com/ministry-lessons-ideas-training/540/real-faith/>

Real Faith object lesson

ebibleteacher.com

<http://www.ebibleteacher.com/children/lessons/topics/Faith.htm>

Faith lesson with songs, activities, and questions

kidssundayschool.com

<http://www.kidssundayschool.com/Gradeschool/Objects/1object16.php>

Unseen Faith object lesson. This object talk demonstrates how faith in our Lord can help us from being crushed by fear.

sermons4kids.com

<http://www.sermons4kids.com/understand.html>

Things I Don't Understand object lesson

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http://www.sermons4kids.com/can_you_believe_it_group_activities.htm

Interactive Group Activities

sundayschoollessons.com

<http://www.sundayschoollessons.com/trinmles.htm>

Jesus Tells His Disciples What To Do

textweek.com

<http://www.textweek.com/mkjnacts/mark16b.htm>

<http://www.textweek.com/mkjnacts/jn10a.htm> Lectionary, Scripture Study and
Worship Links and Resources

Coloring

lds.org

<http://lds.org/ldsorg/v/index.jsp?vgnextoid=21bc9fbee98db010VgnVCM1000004d82620aRCRD&locale=0&sourceId=cbab735f764bb010VgnVCM1000004d82620a&hideNav=1>

A picture of the Jesus holding a lamb and shepherd's staff

Have the students color or paint an "I Believe" picture.

Crafts

growingsouls.com

<http://www.growingsouls.com/common/snippet.htm#crafts>

Believe Box

makingfirends.com

http://www.makingfriends.com/j_faith.htm

Faith bracelet craft. You can also make this in a simple version by just using one piece of chord and 6 different (black, red, white, blue, green, and yellow) colored beads.

*Make a banner saying "I Believe" out of felt, construction paper or foam sheets.

familyfun.go.com

<http://jas.familyfun.go.com/arts-and-crafts?page=CraftDisplay&craftid=10393>

Buddy Banner

associatedcontent.com

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http://www.associatedcontent.com/article/165706/spring_wall_banner_craft_a_project.html?cat=24

Wall Banner

crayola.com

<http://www.crayola.com/crafts/detail/mosaic-mini-banner-craft/>

Mosaic Mini Banner

Games

<http://books.google.com/books?id=6WGMExsZ9uEC&pg=PT1&dq=The+Encyclopedia+of+Bible+Games+for+Children%E2%80%99s+Ministry#PPA124,M1>

Lifelines (Jesus Is Our Savior)- This game will help kids see Jesus is our rescuer and offers us a lifeline when we're trapped in sin. (The Encyclopedia of Bible Games for Children's Ministry, page 124).

Proclaim the Gospel (like Telephone)

Have the students sit in a circle. Proclaim the Gospel or "The Good News" by using an empty paper towel roll or just cup your hand. The first person whispers a few words or a sentence into the ear of the next person. They would have to repeat it to the person next to them, and so on around the circle. When it gets to the last person, they announce what they heard.

Introduction: If you believe in Jesus and are baptized you will be saved.

Jesus is Our Savior File Folder Game

Sacrament of Baptism File Folder Game

Puzzles

shire.net

<http://www.shire.net/mormon/hiddenword/faith.html>

Faith word search

shire.net

<http://www.shire.net/mormon/hiddenword/faith-a.html>

Faith word search answers

wordsearchfun.com

http://www.wordsearchfun.com/84425_Faith_wordsearch.html

Faith word search

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twopaths.com

http://www.twopaths.com/wj_Baptism_0.htm

Baptism Word Search

twopaths.com

http://www.twopaths.com/ws_JesusIs_0.htm

Jesus Is . . . (word search)

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