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Celebrating Our Catholic Faith

Name: _____

Sunday, June 7th, 2015
Worksheet for ages 11 to 14 years old

1. What day is it today in the Church's calendar?
2. From which book of the Bible is today's first reading?
3. How many tribes of Israel are mentioned in this reading?
4. From which book of the Bible is today's second reading?
5. Today's second reading says that Jesus came as what?
6. From which Gospel is today's reading taken?

Since the Easter season ended on Pentecost, (two weeks ago on May 24th) we are no longer reading about the Resurrection in the Mass readings. Today we actually go back to *before* Jesus died, when He and His disciples celebrated the Passover. This is when Jesus gave us (the Church) the Sacrament of the Eucharist.

7. This Thursday (June 11th) is the feast day of St. Barnabas the Apostle. He is the patron saint of Cyprus, Antioch, against hailstorms and he is prayed to as a peacemaker. St. Barnabas was the one to stand up for Paul when the other disciples did not believe he had converted and were afraid of him. He was Jewish to begin with but sold all his property and gave the profits to the disciples. Some call him the Son of Encouragement and Consolation.

8. What was Paul's name before he became a disciple?

9. What is sometimes called the 'Bride of Christ'?

10. *Answers to last week's questions: There are 150 Psalms in the Bible. Only 74 of them bear David's name as the author. Thirty-four Psalms are anonymously written. The Rosary is a prayer, recited on a set of beads, to the Blessed Virgin Mary. 'In principio erat verbum' is translated 'In the beginning was the word', taken from John 1:1.*

There are six seasons in the Church's liturgical calendar.