

Jesus Died on the Cross for Me

Lesson Themes in Class



Sin

Children discuss the difference between good and sin



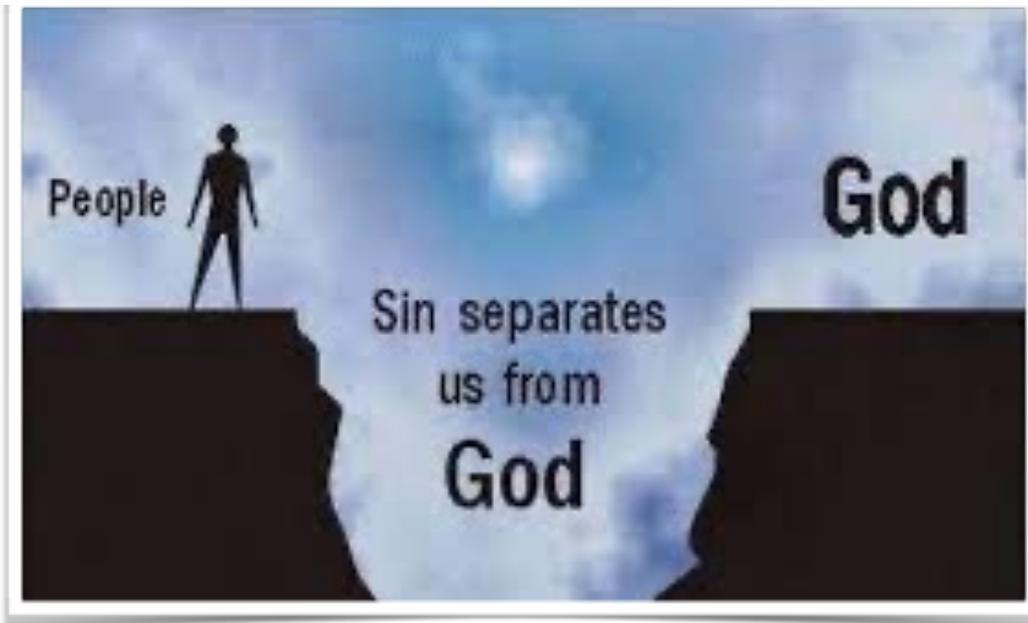
Praise

We praise the Lord for being our Savior



Being a Good Friend

Children learn what it means to be a good friend



Key Theme:

In catechetical texts, sin is generally discussed in the context of preparing for the sacrament of Reconciliation. However, this lesson helps children to better understand the consequences of sin and the reason why they need a Savior. The "bad news" of sin prepares them to appreciate the kerygma or "good news" of Jesus. Children should be led to understand that Jesus' sacrifice on the cross atones for their personal sins

Becoming Disciples at Home:

1

PARENTS

Share with your children that sin separates us from God

2

CHILD

Spend time in silence and talk with Jesus in prayer, thanking Him for being your Savior

3

FAMILY

Talk about the difference between good and sin