

## Grade 5, Chapter 14 – The Holy Eucharist

Bible story connections:

- Matthew 26:26-29
- John 6:51-58
- 1 Corinthians 11:23-26
- 1 Corinthians 11:27-30

Social Justice tie-in:

- Beatitude – Blessed are the Pure of Heart – As a class, participate in Eucharistic Adoration. If that is not possible, make a visit to the tabernacle in a church to worship Jesus.

Discussion Questions:

- How does the Passover foreshadow the Eucharist?
- Why do we adore the Holy Eucharist?

Memory Work (Baltimore Catechism):

343. What is the Holy Eucharist?

*The Holy Eucharist is a sacrament and a sacrifice. In the Holy Eucharist, under the appearances of bread and wine, the Lord Christ is contained, offered, and received.*

351. Is Jesus Christ whole and entire both under the appearances of bread and under the appearances of wine?

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## Catholic Brain Connections:

### Printables

[Eucharist coloring page](#)

[Word Search](#)

[Fill-in-the-blank](#)

### Prayers

[Prayer Before the Eucharist](#)

### Videos

[Adventure Catechism – What is the Eucharist?](#)

[Bible story – Institution of the Eucharist](#)

[St. Ignatius of Antioch](#)

## Family Page: Ch. 14 – The Holy Eucharist

### Review:

#### Vocabulary

- Holy Eucharist – The Body and Blood of Jesus, given to us as food. At Mass, bread and wine become Jesus's Body and Blood.
- Transubstantiation – The changing of the substance of bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ at Mass
- Passover Lamb – The lamb sacrificed by the Jews in Egypt, whose blood, smeared on their doorposts, protected their firstborns from death
- Lamb of God – A title for Jesus because He was sent by God the Father to be sacrificed for our sins

- 1) Where is the Holy Eucharist housed in the church?

*The tabernacle*

- 2) What is the gold case in which the Eucharist is sometimes displayed so we can adore Jesus?

*A monstrance*

### Discussion Question:

How can we show proper honor and respect for the Holy Eucharist?

### Activity:

Find out when your parish will be having Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and go to Adoration as a family. If there is no opportunity for Adoration, just spend some extra time together in church as a family, with Jesus.

*He knows you and He loves you*