Kindergarten, Chapter 19 – Lent is a Time of Repentance

Bible story connections:

• Mark 2:18-20

Discussion Questions:

- Why are fasting and making sacrifices important?
- How can Lent help us get ready for Easter?
- Does your family do anything special during Lent?

Memory Work (Baltimore Catechism):

283. Which are the Holy Days of Obligation in the United States? (Note: This question will be the memory focus for four weeks.)

The Holy Days of Obligation in the United States are these six:

- Christmas Day (December 25)
- Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (January 1)
- Ascension Thursday (40 days after Easter)
- The Assumption of Mary (August 15)
- All Saints' Day (November 1)
- The Immaculate Conception (December 8)

Catholic Brain Connections:

Coloring pages

Ash Wednesday

Cross, Thorns, Palms

Easter Triduum

<u>Videos</u>

<u>Adventure Catechism – What is Lent?</u>

Adventure Catechism – What is Holy Week and Easter?

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Review:

Vocabulary

- Lent Forty days before Easter, during which we use prayer and fasting to prepare to celebrate Jesus rising from the dead
- Repent To turn away from sin
- Fasting Going without food as a sacrifice
- 1) The season of Lent comes before what holiday?

Easter

2) How many days does Lent last?

Forty days

Discussion Question:

Why are fasting and making sacrifices important?

Activity:

Think of a simple sacrifice every member of your family can make on every Friday this month.

You are a Child of God!