

Grade 4, Chapter 20 – Knowing Right from Wrong

Bible story connections:

- Matthew 5:17-20
- Matthew 22:35-40

Social Justice tie-in:

- Solidarity – Make a bulletin board for the school about some social issue that violates morality, whether it is abortion, human trafficking, threats to religious freedom, etc. Help make your school community aware.

Discussion Questions:

- Why are the Ten Commandments still so important?
- Why must we be familiar with the Catechism of the Catholic Church?

Memory Work (Baltimore Catechism):

188. Besides believing what God has revealed, what else must we do to be saved?

Besides believing what god has revealed, we must keep His law.

Memorize the Ten Commandments

Catholic Brain Connections:

Printables

[Keys of Peter coloring page](#)

[Ten Commandments activity page](#)

[Ten Commandments word search](#)

Videos

[Adventure Catechism – What are the Ten Commandments?](#)

[Bible story – The Ten Commandments](#)

[Lukas Storyteller – St. Joseph and Obedience](#)

Family Page: Ch. 20 – Knowing Right from Wrong

Review:

Vocabulary

- Ten Commandments – Ten rules for life that God first gave to Moses that teach us how to live good and happy lives
- Catechism – Book containing the teachings of the Catholic faith

1) Jesus said that He came not to abolish the law, but to do what?

Fulfill it

2) Whom did Jesus give authority to judge moral matters?

The Church

3) In what book can we find the teaching of the Catholic Church?

The Catechism of the Catholic Church

Discussion Question:

How can we use the tools that God has given us to know right from wrong?

Activity:

Do you have a copy of the Catechism of the Catholic Church? If not, get one. Make sure everyone in the family knows where it is kept and how to look something up. If you have teens or preteens, consider getting the YouCat, and for younger children, the Baltimore Catechism.

God thinks You are worth Dying for!