

Marvelous Mystery!

The Mass Comes Alive

Day 1: The Mass is a MYSTERY

Bible Verse: [John 6:56](#)

Virtue of the Day: *Patience*

Saint of the Day: *St. Joan of Arc*

Catechist Preparation:

<https://christusregnat.com/holy-mass/mystery-of-the-holy-mass/>

<https://www.wordonfire.org/videos/sermons/the-mystery-of-the-mass/>

<https://stagneschurch.info/unraveling-the-mysteries-of-holy-mass/>

<https://www.massexplained.com/its-a-mystery-to-me/>

<https://aleteia.org/2021/04/16/5-essential-things-used-at-mass-and-their-symbolism/>

<https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/explore/paschal-mystery/>

<https://www.catechist.com/effective-teaching-the-catholic-language-of-mystery-our-native-tongue/>

Lesson Plan Resources:

<https://catholicblogger1.blogspot.com/2011/05/celebrating-mass-lesson-mystery-of-faith.html>

<https://www.catholicmom.com/articles/2011/10/16/celebrating-the-mass-lesson-plans>

https://sophiainstituteforteachers.org/uploads/lessons_approved/Gr6_Unit_7_Lesson_7_The_Paschal_Mystery.pdf

<https://www.pilgrim-info.com/items-used-mass/>

<https://catholicblogger1.blogspot.com/2017/09/liturgical-objects-used-in-mass.html>

<https://onedrive.live.com/?authkey=%21AP1jgx5aeoll8ow&id=47D78E23512A8BBE%219467&cid=47D78E23512A8BBE&parId=root&parQt=sharedby&o=OneUp> (Picture Liturgical BINGO)

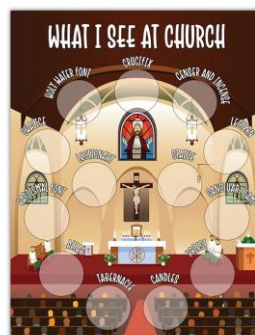
<http://resources.ipsissima-verba.org/documents/church-symbols.pdf>

<https://www.looktohimandberadiant.com/2018/06/teaching-about-mass-activity-sheets.html>

https://www.daniellesplace.com/html/bible_themes-fruit4.html (patience)



(We have multiples of these kits on hand – just ask!)



<https://www.autom.com/product/what-do-i-see-at-church-activity-card-12-pk-l5449> (\$.99 each)

Day 1 Craft Options:



<https://www.sarajcreations.com/2018/09/learning-items-from-catholic-mass.html>

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/diy-magnifying-glasses-12-pc--a2-13649438.fltr?categoryId=550175+1255&rd=vbs%20crafts> (DIY magnifying glasses)

<https://funfamilycrafts.com/homemade-detective-kit/>



<https://24hourcrafts.com/products/unfinished-wooden-magnifying-glass-shape-detective-craft-up-to-24-diy>

<https://www.walmart.com/ip/Unfinished-Wood-Magnifying-Glass-Shape-Detective-Craft-up-to-24-DIY-16-1-4/818927177>

<https://www.thinkingkidsblog.org/christian-church-history-detectives-kids-craft/>

<https://craftingthewordofgod.com/2013/08/02/god-searches-our-hearts/>

<https://www.thecatholickid.com/free-printable-catholic-scavenger-hunt-cnt-a1/?epik=dj0yJnU9MnE0bmtHRXB4YVpqa2NSRVV4bIR2SldPUyZRENpMDImcD0wJm49OTFQczVNSV9ISHV3TmN2TXZkMWtsdyZ0PUFBQUFBR1B1c25B>



<http://flamecreativekids.blogspot.com/2014/06/fruit-of-spirit-patience-weaving.html>

Craft Options in Day 1 Craft Guide:

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/diy-white-cardboard-school-boxes-12-pc---less-than-perfect-a2-14152650.fltr?keyword=diy+boxes>

https://www.orientaltrading.com/diy-unfinished-wood-hinged-boxes-12-pc--a2-48_1949.fltr?keyword=diy%20hinged%20boxes&directSearch=true

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/diy-flowerpots-48-pc--a2-13610901.fltr?keyword=diy+flower+pots>

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/color-your-own-he-lives-flowerpots-12-pc--a2-13820401.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts>

https://www.amazon.com/PURPLE-STAR-1N-Dome-Small-Saucers-Planting/dp/B08TW7VXTM/ref=sr_1_11?crid=2B437JX157CMD&keywords=mini+plastic+flower+pots+for+crafts&qid=1667242303&qu=eyJxc2MiOilzLjMyliwicXNhIjoiMy4xOCIsInFzcCI6IjEuNjYifQ%3D%3D&srefix=mini+plastic+flower+p%2Caps%2C119&sr=8-11

https://www.amazon.com/dp/B08R9QCZTD/ref=sspa_dk_detail_5?psc=1&pd_rd_i=B08R9QCZTD&pd_rd_w=umuJH&content-id=amzn1.sym.88097cb9-5064-44ef-891b-abfacbc1c44b&pf_rd_p=88097cb9-5064-44ef-891b-abfacbc1c44b&pf_rd_r=9QS4KZZA6CEYWP7PTEBV&pd_rd_wg=d7SKF&pd_rd_r=78753fa9-a770-45d4-967a-b8347fd5fc6c&s=kitchen&sp_csd=d2lkZ2V0TmFtZT1zcF9kZXRhaWw

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Day 2: The Mass is a GIFT

Bible Verse: [Luke 22:19](#)

Virtue of the Day: *Peace*

Saint of the Day: *Mary, Queen of all Saints*

Catechist Preparation:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fwd5XtN0XDg> (What is God's Greatest Gift? The Holy Eucharist)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UuktBN_eu3I&t=11s

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jdZ44UStfMk> (What is Holy Mass?)

<https://todayscatholic.org/the-amazing-gift-and-mystery-of-the-eucharist/>

<https://catholic-link.org/gods-infinite-gift/>

<https://www.catholiccompany.com/magazine/sunday-mass-obligation-gift-from-god-5965>

<https://etcatholic.org/2018/12/he-dwells-among-us-holy-exchange-of-gifts/>

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/32462/pope-francis-sundays-are-a-gift-from-god-%E2%80%93-dont-ruin-it>

<https://www.oursundayvisitor.com/why-we-take-up-the-gifts/>

<https://aleteia.org/2018/12/19/give-the-gift-of-a-mass-for-christmas/>

<https://todayscatholic.org/the-amazing-gift-and-mystery-of-the-eucharist/>

<https://www.aboutcatholics.com/beliefs/the-purpose-of-mass/>

<https://uploads.weconnect.com/mce/093f0b067a05c35392acf5a68ae51f414b877d32/FamilyFaithUnit2/9%20Reasons%20to%20go%20to%20Mass%20Catholic%20Update.pdf>

Lesson Plan Resources:

<https://www.catechist.com/activities-for-exploring-the-mass/>

<https://catholicblogger1.blogspot.com/2011/05/celebrating-mass-lesson-our-gifts.html>

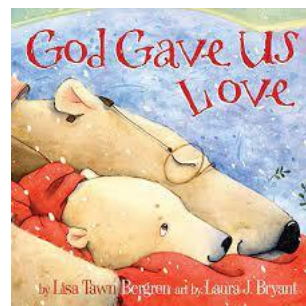
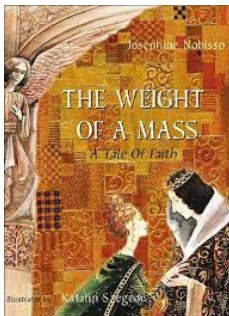
<https://www.catholicmom.com/articles/2011/10/16/celebrating-the-mass-lesson-plans>

<http://allsaintscatholic.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/MotivationForMass.pdf>

<https://beccasbibleclass.com/gift-object-lesson/>

https://sermons4kids.com/measuring_group_activities.htm

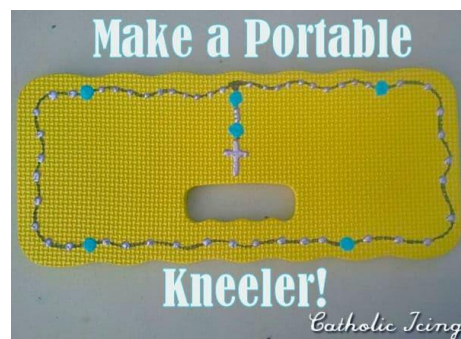
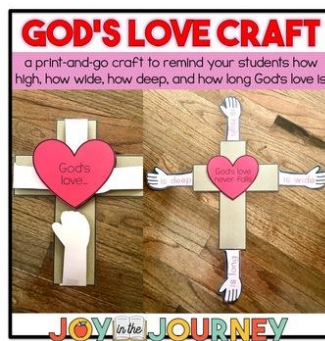
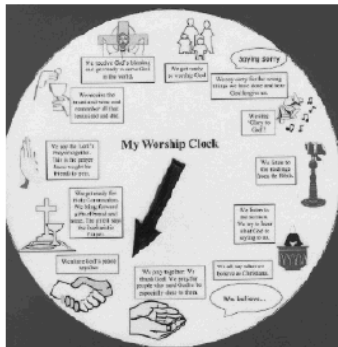
<https://teachingcatholickids.com/eucharist-means-thanksgiving/>



(We have both the book and BF video and can acquire the other book-just ask!)

https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/1400074479/ref=as_li_ss_il?ie=UTF8&linkCode=li3&tag=danielsplaceo-20&linkId=6e07f781d223ec23b53188a4def74e83

Day 2 Craft Options:



http://www.christiancrafters.com/craft_worship_clock.html

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Gods-Love-Craft-5208965> (we can purchase the template for you)

<https://www.thenaturalhomeschool.com/gods-love-and-gift-to-us-the-plan-of-salvation-through-ribbon.html>

<https://members-resource-room.com/2018/06/19/gods-wonderful-gifts/> (we can activate the membership)

<https://www.catholicicing.com/encouraging-kids-to-kneel-how-to-make-an-easy-kneeler/>

<https://www.dollartree.com/garden-collection-foam-kneeling-pads/968489>

Craft Options in Day 2 Craft Guide:

https://www.orientaltrading.com/diy-medium-canvas-banners-12-pc--a2-48_2143.fltr?keyword=diy+banners

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/first-communion-banner-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13755675.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts>

https://www.amazon.com/alfyng-Childrens-Handmade-Decorate-Unfinished/dp/B091F125VN/ref=sr_1_4?keywords=DIY+Piggy+Bank&qid=1667233116&qu=eyJxc2MiOil2LjEwliwicXNhIjojNS4wNyIsInFzcCI6IjMuOTUifQ%3D%3D&sr=8-4

<https://www.walmart.com/ip/Church-Shaped-Donation-Box-Bank-Cardboard-Pkg-of-24/622908390>

https://www.amazon.com/Donation-Fundraising-Cardboard-Removable-Collecting/dp/B09YD1WCSC/ref=sr_1_2_sspa?crid=3HNPE9ZHC4FN6&keywords=small%2Bcardboard%2Bdonation%2Bboxes&qid=1667233466&qu=eyJxc2MiOilwLjAwliwicXNhIjojMC4wMCI6IjAuMDAifQ%3D%3D&spre=x=small%2Bdonation%2Bboxes%2BCaps%2C105&sr=8-2-spons&th=1

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Day 3: The Mass is a CELEBRATION

Bible Verse: [Philippians 4:4](#)

Virtue of the Day: Unity

Saint of the Day: St. Patrick

Catechist Preparation:

<https://www.aboutcatholics.com/beliefs/the-purpose-of-mass/>

<https://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/the-mass/general-instruction-of-the-roman-missal/girm-chapter-1>

<https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/explore/purpose-of-the-mass/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kHyNbot79ZQ>

<https://stpeter.us/holy-mass-explained/>

<https://www.bostoncatholic.org/cardinal-sean-patrick-omalley-ofm-cap/importance-sunday-mass>

Lesson Plan Resources:

<https://cultivatingcatholics.com/parts-of-the-catholic-mass-for-kids-and-printable-activities/>

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLtvjSCg9tNLhgnTY1mPcxPc6Ql8Gawn-G> (Parts of the Catholic Mass Trivia games)

<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Catholic-Mass-BINGO-Game-to-Practice-the-Vocabulary-Order-of-Catholic-Liturgy-4704919> (we can pay for the template)

<https://www.looktohimandberadiant.com/2018/06/teaching-about-mass-activity-sheets.html>

<https://www.catechist.com/activities-for-exploring-the-mass/>

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/roi-r-023-stages-of-the-mass-sequencing-activity-sheet>

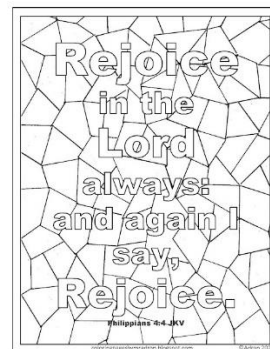
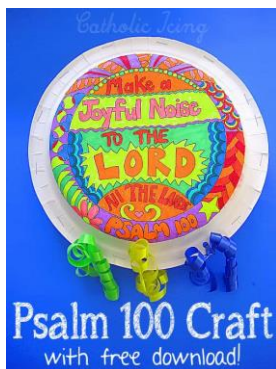
<https://cultivatingcatholics.com/parts-of-the-catholic-mass-for-kids-and-printable-activities/>

<https://www.looktohimandberadiant.com/2017/07/order-of-mass-activity-cards.html>

<https://www.smp.org/resourcecenter/resource/9745/>

<https://www.sadlier.com/religion/blog/teaching-catholic-kids-to-sing-alleluia>

Day 3 Craft Options:

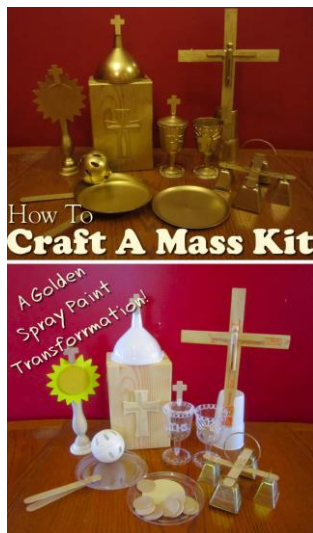


<https://www.catholicicing.com/make-a-joyful-noise-to-the-lord-bible-craft-for-kids/>

<https://www.catechist.com/eucharist-unites-heaven-earth-craft-lesson-eucharist/>

<https://coloringpagesbymradron.blogspot.com/2021/07/free-philippians-44-print-and-color.html>
https://www.orientaltrading.com/i-have-jesus-in-my-heart-friendship-bracelets-12-pc--a2-24_738.fltr?keyword=jesus+in+heart
https://www.orientaltrading.com/i-have-jesus-in-my-heart-sticker-roll-100-pc--a2-32_1100.fltr?keyword=jesus+in+heart
<https://craftthroughthebible.com/make-a-joyful-noise-unto-the-lord-diy-music-instruments-for-kids/> (DIY musical instruments)
<http://www.hem-of-his-garment-bible-study.org/Christian-kids-music.html> (Christian Kids' Music Crafts)

Craft Options in Day 3 Craft Guide:



<https://joyfulcatholicfamilies.com/mass-kit/>
<https://www.catholicicing.com/mass/>
<https://www.orientaltrading.com/color-your-own-mini-communion-canvas-tote-bags-12-pc--a2-13822450.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts>
<https://www.autom.com/product/my-mass-tote-bag-craft-kit-L0391> (10/\$35.99)
<https://www.orientaltrading.com/serve-with-a-heart-like-jesus-mini-buttons-48-pc--a2-13935684.fltr?keyword=jesus+in+heart>

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Day 4: The Mass is a SACRED MEAL

Bible Verse: [John 6:48-51](#) (*The Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist; living Bread of Life*)

Virtue of the Day: Faith

Saint of the Day: St. Michael the Archangel

Catechist Preparation:

<https://www.catholicregister.org/faith/item/19972-the-last-supper-and-the-ritual-of-family-meals>

<https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/explore/the-last-supper-and-the-mass/>

<https://thecatholicspirit.com/faith/focus-on-faith/faith-fundamentals/taste-and-see-the-eucharist-as-a-meal/>

<https://www.catholicculture.org/commentary/holy-thursday-meal/>

<https://catholic-resources.org/Bible/Eucharist.htm>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bJiW3LXuHzo>

Lesson Plan Resources:

<https://teachingcatholickids.com/the-mass-as-a-holy-meal/>

<https://www.catholicicing.com/teach-the-true-presence-in-the-eucharist-to-kids-an-object-lesson/>

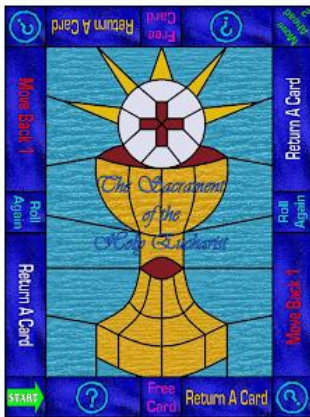
<https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/craft/signs-and-symbols/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JYkvjq6pG1Y>

<https://catholicblogger1.blogspot.com/2011/04/21-holy-communion.html>

<https://catholicblogger1.blogspot.com/2009/04/sacrament-of-holy-eucharist-file-folder.html>

https://www.smp.org/dynamicmedia/files/7135cbacbf2289fe3574889665a4feda/R4500EHG_Euc_HG_07-Chapter7.pdf



<https://onedrive.live.com/?authkey=%21ABSbXOBzsUmNJ3I&id=47D78E23512A8BBE%219536&cid=47D78E23512A8BBE&parId=root&parQt=sharedby&o=OneUp> (Sacrament of Holy Eucharist Game)

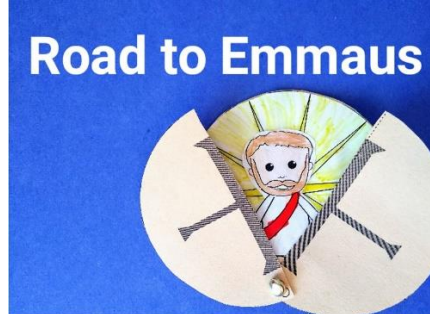
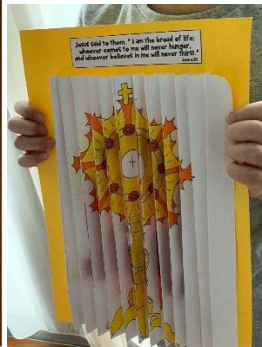
Day 4 Craft Options:



<https://www.guildcraftinc.com/collections/bible-crafts/products/last-supper-scenes> (\$5.99/10)

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/jesus-and-disciples-last-supper-sign-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13685567.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts> (\$21.99/12)

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/last-supper-sign-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13682807.fltr?keyword=last+supper+crafts> (\$21.99/12)



<https://catholicblogger1.blogspot.com/2012/03/crafty-crafters-holy-communion.html>

<https://www.daniellesplace.com/html/bible-crafts-the-last-supper.html>

<https://hellofaithsteps.wordpress.com/2020/06/12/eucharist-crafts/>

<https://catholicinspired.design/2011/07/04/jesus-in-the-eucharist-art-project/>

<https://craftycatholicmoms.com/the-road-to-emmaus-craft-for-catholic-kids/>

<https://www.looktohimandberadiant.com/2015/07/seeing-jesus-in-eucharist-monstrance.html>



<https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/True-Presence-of-Jesus-in-the-Eucharist-Jesus-to-Monstrance-Zig-Zag-Craft-5163326>

Craft Options in Day 4 Craft Guide:



<https://www.catholicicing.com/mass/>

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/woodpeckers-crafts-diy-unfinished-wood-2-angel-peg-dolls-pack-of-50-a2-14122086.fltr?categoryId=550164+1967>

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/diy-childs-apron-12-pc--a2-13632587.fltr?keyword=diy+aprons>

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/color-your-own-food-truck-vbs-aprons-12-pc--a2-14104077.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts>

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/jesus-and-jelly-beans-magnet-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-14097250.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts>

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Day 5: The Mass is a CALL.

Bible Verse: [Matthew 28:19](#) (*The Commissioning of the Disciples; The Great Commission*)

Virtue of the Day: Generosity

Saint of the Day: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

Catechist Preparation:

<https://stpaulcenter.com/the-great-commission-of-matthew-28/>

<https://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/how-we-teach/catechesis/catechetical-sunday/word-of-god/upload/commission-ad-gentes.pdf>

<https://sfatx.org/our-role-in-the-great-commission/>

<http://mother-of-god.org/the-ascension-and-the-great-commission-what-does-it-mean-for-us/>

Lesson Plan Resources:

<https://sundayschool.works/lessons/the-great-commission/>

<https://truewaykids.com/the-great-commission/>

<https://ministryspark.com/wp-content/uploads/What-Do-Disciples-Do-1.pdf>

<https://ministryspark.com/wp-content/uploads/Great-Commission-and-Ascension.pdf>

<https://ministry-to-children.com/discipline-of-evangelism-lesson/>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7CFX5f_t6AE (Dominoes object lesson about sharing Jesus with others)

Day 5 Craft Options:



<https://www.kgmcrafts.com/great-commission-bible-craft.html#suitcase>

<https://ministryark.com/printable/knowning-growing-going-with-god-printable/>

<https://craftingthewordofgod.com/2013/11/13/go-into-all-the-world-and-preach-the-gospel-to-all-creation/>



Go,
therefore,
and make
disciples
of all
nations.
Matthew 28:19



Diversity FINGERPRINT CRAFT

<http://flannelgraf.blogspot.com/2015/05/jesus-gave-great-commission-matthew.html?sref=pi&m=1>

<https://happytoddlerplaytime.com/diversity-fingerprint-mlk-craft-with-free-printable-for-kids/>



<https://i.pinimg.com/originals/22/59/66/22596621b95339e4be7446b8bd076715.jpg>



<https://www.guildcraftinc.com/collections/bible-crafts/products/gideons-trumpets> (\$7.98/12)



<https://www.guildcraftinc.com/collections/bible-crafts/products/share-the-love-boxes> (\$7.49/12)

Craft Options in Day 5 Craft Guide:



<https://www.orientaltrading.com/go-tell-all-sign-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13596683.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts> (\$14.99/12)

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/this-little-light-of-mine-craft-roll-tea-light-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13845407.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts> (\$16.99/12)

https://www.orientaltrading.com/tissue-paper-cross-stained-glass-window-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-48_9220.fltr?keyword=stained+glass+crosses (\$9.99/12)

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/tissue-paper-cross-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13821821.fltr?recommendation=Similar%20Items&searchTarget=&PdpRedirect=REDIRECT&keyword=stained%20glass%20crosses&filter=&categoryId=> (\$11.99/12)



<https://www.guildcraftinc.com/collections/bible-crafts/products/light-of-the-world-lanterns> (\$21.99/12)

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/this-little-lantern-sign-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-13776190.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts> (\$9.99/12)

<https://www.orientaltrading.com/studio-vbs-clothespin-craft-kit-makes-12-a2-14104039.fltr?categoryId=550055+1967&rd=religious%20crafts> (\$5.97/12)



Color My World object lesson

<https://missionbibleclass.org/2013/07/14/the-great-commission-colour-my-world/>