GRADE 5: CHAPTER 17

UNIT 6: Sacraments

CHAPTER 17: Liturgy of the Word (pages 233–242)

Key Concept: Sacred Scripture is the Word of God written by humans. The Word of God is proclaimed and preached in the first of two main parts of the Mass: the Liturgy of the Word.

Catholic Faith Words: Book of Gospels, Psalms, Creed

Discover (pages 234-237)

- We understand the importance of the Mass, and the different roles and responsibilities in the celebration.
- We are called to actively participate and listen closely to God's Word.
- The Bible is the written Word of God which we read, reflect on, and use in our prayers.
- God's message will inspire us to change our lives!
- Why is God's message important for us today?
 - Even though the Bible (Sacred Scripture) was written long ago, with the help of the Church's interpretation, it continues to reveal God's Truth to us!
- The Church interprets Scripture in light of her living Tradition.
- The Liturgy of the Word is an integral part of the Mass and all sacramental celebrations.
 - How do you express your gratitude to God during the Liturgy?
 - How many Readings from Scripture are in the Liturgy of the Word?

Live (page 214)

• Print and complete Chapter 17 Handout: Driving the Word Home.

Family + Faith (pages 241-242):

• Print and complete Chapter 17 Review.