

Chapter 6 – Living the Covenant

Grade 6 - Chapter 6 and the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

KEY CONCEPT

The Ten Commandments help you to stay close to God and in right relationship with others. The Ten Commandments are the laws of God's covenant with the Israelites, which was revealed in its fullness in Jesus.

QUICK SESSION

OVERVIEW

STEP 1 - WELCOME

STEP 2 - INVITE

STEP 3 - DISCOVER

STEP 4 - LIVE

STEP 5 - CLOSING

HELPFUL HINT OF THE DAY

Redirect Behavior

-Kids don't always hear what you say but how you say it. A firm, confident voice is different than just a frustrated, angry one.

-Tell them to stop. If you find yourself yelling, you are losing control of the group.

-Being specific about your directions lets them know what is needed. Being prepared and stating this upfront will help you lead effectively.

-Sometimes we all just need to move around, so lead them in an activity that might get them out of their seats or the classroom.

STEP 1 - WELCOME

TIP

Community Activity

STEP 2 - INVITE

TIP

Let Us Pray

Read through the Scripture passage

What Do You Wonder?

- **Discuss these questions and share answers**

Chapter Story: Playing to Win

Use this story after the opening prayer, before explaining the purpose of the Commandments

Playing to Win

“Ha, ha,” Matthew gloated. “I reached the red square, so I get ten extra points.”

“Wait a minute,” Christine said. “I’m confused. I thought you said we couldn’t earn extra points in this game unless we made it to the blue square.”

“I changed my mind.” Matthew said.

“You can’t change the rules in the middle of the game,” Christine replied.

“What can I say? I play to win.” Matthew shrugged.

“You’re crazy!” Christine said, getting up to leave. “No wonder no one likes to play games with you.”

STEP 3 – DISCOVER

TIP

God's Faithfulness

- **Read and discuss the section**
- **Break down the Scripture passages and allow the kids to picture the story being told**

Share Your Faith

- **Discuss and then share answers as a class**

Activity Master 6: Word Scramble

Jesus' New Law

- **Read and discuss the passage**

Connect Your Faith

- **Discuss and then share answers as a class**

Blessed Virgin Mary Insert Pg. 9

TIP

Skip the prayer but read through the scripture passage

Presentation of Mary

- **Read and discuss the section**
- **Use the “activity” on page 11**

Watch: “The Virgin Mary’s Struggles” on YouTube from Fr. Mike Schmitz

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hpph7nwpZN8>

Hail Mary wordsearch (if have extra time)

STEP 5 – CLOSING

TIP

Close in prayer together

- **Memorare and Glory Be**

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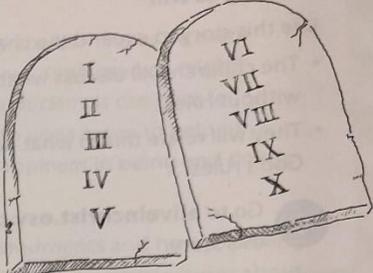
- **Family and Faith sheet**

Name _____

Date _____

Word Scramble

Each term below represents one of the Ten Commandments. Unscramble the terms to find the words representing the Law. Write each answer in the blank provided, followed by the number of the Commandment. Note: Terms are not in the same order as the Commandments.



- a. od ton mcomit ylartude
- b. do nto weras
- c. do otn tesal
- d. peke nusayd orf oGd
- e. od ton eil
- f. do ont eb nevuois
- g. do otn ilkl
- h. od ont riedse tanhor'es upesos
- i. rhoon ryou repstan
- j. elvbeie ni eon oGd

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Which Commandments did Jesus call the greatest? _____

Why do you think Jesus' New Commandment was the greatest? _____

Hail Mary

Y G S L O R I F I E S T H E L
R O T R R D M Y S P I R I T R
A E J H E O R I C F E S I N G
M O D M E N Y U R E A M E N S
A V W I D E N U O O C D R O L
R F H O E E I I H H A A S L O
O U K E M T A J S D U P R O N
B L H I S B S T E E R V A G N
L L M O T H E R H S W O M E N
E T N I N D H E R Y U L O H W
S L I O O N E S S A H S E A N
S C E G W F O R T R H A L I L
E G E N E R A T I P O N S L S
D H G N O M A Y L O H T I W A
L L C A L L M E B L E S S E D

Amen
Among
Blessed
Death
Fruit
Full
God
Grace
Hail
Holy
Hour
Jesus

Lord
Mary
Mother
Now
Pray
Sinners
Thee
With
Womb
Women