

LESSON 14

Sacramentals

I. What children should understand:

1. Convictions

- a. Sacramentals will sanctify us and strengthen us.
- b. Sacramentals are instituted by the authority given to the church.

2. Attitudes

- a. Let us be grateful to the church that instituted the sacramentals for us.
- b. Let us receive the sacramentals with gratitude.

3. Habits

- a. I Will participate with reverence while administering sacramentals.
- b. I Will behave keeping in mind the sanctity of the church.
- c. I Will wear with faith one of the following - blessed medal, rosary, cross or scapula.

II. Teaching aids:

Holy Bible, charts, slips / chits with the names of sacraments and sacramental written on them, pictures related to sacramental.

III. Presentation of the lesson:

Write the names of each sacrament and sacramental in small chits, roll them and place them in a box. Let the children pick them one after another. Then let each one read out the chit they have received. Teacher will write them on the board in tabular form. Names of the sacraments, out of these will be put in brackets. (). The remaining names will be written in another column. Children can be given opportunity to share all that they know about it.

IV. Activities related to the lesson:

Let us do

Let the children do this activity in the note books.

Let us find out the answers

1. Page 70 : Box
2. Page 71
3. Page 71
4. The sacramentals that can make our life a fulfilling experience have to be received with faith and due preparation.

V. Correlated Activities:

1. Find out the date of consecration of your church.
2. Visit a cemetery and pray for the departed souls.
3. Collect the names of those who have become nuns and priests in your parish and dedicate their lives to Jesus.