

GRADE 2 CHAPTER Nineteen Share a Holy Meal

Objectives

- To understand that the Eucharist unites all of Jesus' followers with each other and with him
- To realize that Holy Communion should be received with reverence
- To identify the symbols of the Eucharist

Step One: Invite: Name your personal experience

- Draw a picture of a family meal that feels special and where all the family gathers in friendship and love.
- Talk about your picture. What makes it so special and happy?

Step Two: Explore: Understand the meaning of God's Word

- Read the scripture on p. 198 and answer the question.
- Read the text pp. 199-201
- Complete the activity on p. 203
- Talk about why reverence at Holy Communion is important
- Complete the activity on p. 204

Step Three: Celebrate: Offer prayers of praise and thanksgiving

- Complete the Review and Apply on p. 203
- Create your own prayer to praise Jesus in the Holy Eucharist

Faith Activities: Tips

- Throughout each chapter, there will be sections marked "Activity."
- Feel free to choose as many activities as you wish to share with your family. At a minimum, choose one activity above and beyond what might be mentioned in Steps 1-3.
- Follow the directions for the activity, share popcorn or a treat, relax and enjoy it.
- Post any artwork until the next lesson and then use the next chapter's activity to take its place.