



Standard #4 Trinity

Recognize the Trinity as God.

Performance Indicators

- ~Know the meaning of the term Holy Trinity.
- ~Discuss how God comes into our world to save us.
- ~Identify ways in which Jesus acted as both human and divine.
- ~Recognize Pentecost as a celebration of the coming of the Holy Spirit to the disciples.
- ~Recall that the Holy Spirit is always present and active in the Church.
- ~Study the infancy narratives in the New Testament.

Assessment : How will you know that the young people learned or are able to perform the indicators?

Where in your catechetical materials did you find the performance indicators?

Some Sample Activities



Engage the young people in a discussion that identify ways in which Jesus acted as both human and divine.



Ask the group to recall what they have been taught about the dignity of each person made in the image and likeness of God and how each person shares in God's life.



Challenge the group to find Scripture references which illustrate the mission of Father as Creator, Son as Savior and Spirit as Sanctifier.



Talk together about Jesus as the sacrament, i.e. his humanity as the visible sign of his divinity.



Discuss the meaning of the term "Holy Trinity." Explain the need for faith in the acceptance of the Trinity as the central mystery of our faith.



Invite the young people to give examples of concepts in science, math and technology that we may not fully understand, yet are accepted on the word of another. Relate this to our faith in the Holy Trinity.

Other activities I found useful...