

# The Paschal Mystery

## Session 6 - Keith & Yvonne Fredlake

### 1st Graders

"I am" statements

St. Joseph First Communion Catechism: Lesson 7,  
pages 30-33

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Jesus rescued us from sin

1. Jesus suffered on the cross for the sins of everyone
2. Jesus opened the gates of heaven
3. Crucifixion is ugly because sin is ugly
4. Paschal Mystery is remember each mass and Lent/Easter

**Sin**—deliberate transgression of a law of God  
**Heaven** — the state of being in complete, eternal union with God  
**Hell** — the state of being eternally separated from God

[Stained Glass Cross](#)

**Hail Mary**  
**Trace Sheet or Pray Chain**

Goal: Mass Participants  
Find the stations of the cross

### 3rd-6th Graders

Creation - Original Sin

The New St. Joseph Baltimore Catechism: Lesson 8, pages 53-55, #90-95

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**Paschal Mystery** is essence of our faith: that Jesus came to die for us, to free us from sin, and so that we might have a new and eternal life.

1. Sin separates us from God—infinite gap
2. God became man to close the gap—only God could do it
3. Death on cross frees us from slavery to sin
4. Each Mass is a celebration of the Paschal Mystery
5. Four events of Paschal Mystery: His Passion; Death; Resurrection, and Ascension.

**crucifixion** — execution of a criminal by nailing or binding to a cross  
**Paschal**— derived from the word pass over  
**Sacrifice**— highest form of adoration  
**Mystery**— A religious truth that one can know only by revelation and cannot fully understand

[Cross Mosaic](#)

**Hail Mary**  
**Fillable Sheet**

Goal: Mass Leaders

Every mass is celebration of Paschal Mystery  
"Save us, Savior of the world, For by your Cross and Resurrection You have set us free."

**Review**

**Read**

**Assessment**

**Learning Objectives**

**Essential Knowledge**

**Vocabulary**

**Activity**

**Prayer Practice**

**Mass Application**