



# RCIC PROGRAMME

## Unit 14 - PROGRAMME REVIEW



# Revise and Celebrate

### AIMS

1. To look back and review the main points covered in this RCIC Programme.
2. To make a poster about one of the themes covered.
3. To look ahead at the future as members of the Catholic Church.



### KEY WORDS

- *see main part—all the highlighted words that form part of the programme.*

### INTRODUCTION

- Welcome everyone to this last session of this RCIC programme. Introduce the aim of the session. Explain that today we want to look back and celebrate everything we have done in this programme.
- Ask children to talk about any of the main topics discussed during this programme.

### RESOURCES

- A4 Cards/Sheets
  - Pencils, Pens, Markers
  - Flipchart.
- (There is no Worksheet for this Unit as the focus is that of reviewing the whole programme.)

### MAIN

- Invite children in turns to talk about one of the topics covered.
- Make a list of what they say on flipchart or whiteboard and add to what they say to remind about key points from sessions covered. Allow them to look at worksheets if this helps their memory.
- Following everyone's contributions add any other topics not mentioned by children. Ensure all the main themes are mentioned, including:
  - ⇒ **Belonging to God's Family**
  - ⇒ **The Church** - A community of people who follow Jesus
  - ⇒ **The Seven Sacraments** - Celebrations that move us closer to Jesus
  - ⇒ **The Creed** - What we believe; The Holy Trinity and other articles
  - ⇒ **The Holy Bible** - God's written word and how the Bible is organised
  - ⇒ **The Mass** - Our most important celebrations
  - ⇒ **The Liturgical Year** - special feast days and seasons of the Church
  - ⇒ **Holy Communion** - Receiving the Body of Christ
  - ⇒ **The Ten Commandments** - Following God's Laws
  - ⇒ **Reconciliation** - Asking God's Forgiveness
  - ⇒ **Prayer** - different types of prayer (Refer to *Prayer Book*)
- Explain that children are to pick one of the topics above and make a poster that summarise the key facts about the chosen theme. They can then present them to the group towards the end of the session.

### CONCLUDING PRAYER

- Ask the children to sit quietly and keep a few moments of silence.
- Invite children to say short prayer to thank God or to ask and pray about something for their future.

### NOTES

Encourage children to keep the folder with resources and worksheets from this programme and continue to refer to them and use them especially their PRAYER BOOK.

### ACTIVITY

- Provide A4 cards or sheets as well as markers and pens or pencils for children. Talk about ideas and suggestions how to design a poster - including size of letters, using diagrams etc.
- Allow children to work on their posters for some time.
- Gather the group together again. Allow time for each child to show and talk about poster to the group.