

# Sunday School Grade 12

## A.G.A.P.E. Curriculum

[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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- The A.G.A.P.E. curriculum is for exceptional student education [ESE] for Sunday School. It is designed by the Coptic Orthodox Diocese of the Southern United States.
- This is a modified curriculum designed for individuals with special needs.
- This curriculum is intended to be taught alongside with the general Sunday School program for each grade.

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- Inclusion is an important aspect of the social and learning paradigm of individuals with special needs.
- Stewards serving children and youth with special needs should try to integrate the students in the mainstream classes for as much time as can be tolerated by the student with special needs.
- Integration and inclusion foster friendships among the same age peer group.

# Preparation for My Need for Jesus Christ

## Lessons for the Great Lent

### • Lesson Outline: Week 4

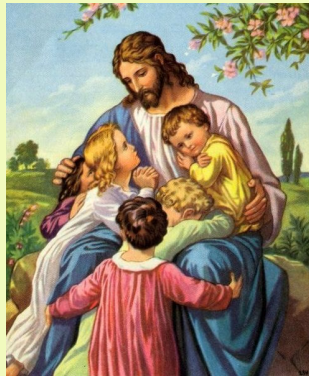
- Man's needs are psychological such as love, success and security.
- Infinite spiritual love that proceeds from the heart of God is satisfying.
- Real success is to *“prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers”* (3 John 1:2)
- Man may feel fear from people and unknown future. It is written *“Fear not for I am with you.”* (Isiah 41:10)
- Another need is Spiritual, such as forgiveness, inner peace and immortality.
- Christ is the only offering that can adequately cover our sins. This gift cannot be granted by anyone else.

# Word Bank

- Life



- Love



- Prosperity



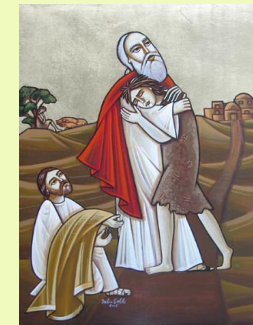
- Inner peace



- Forgiveness



- Security



**Objective: There is no life without Jesus Christ.**



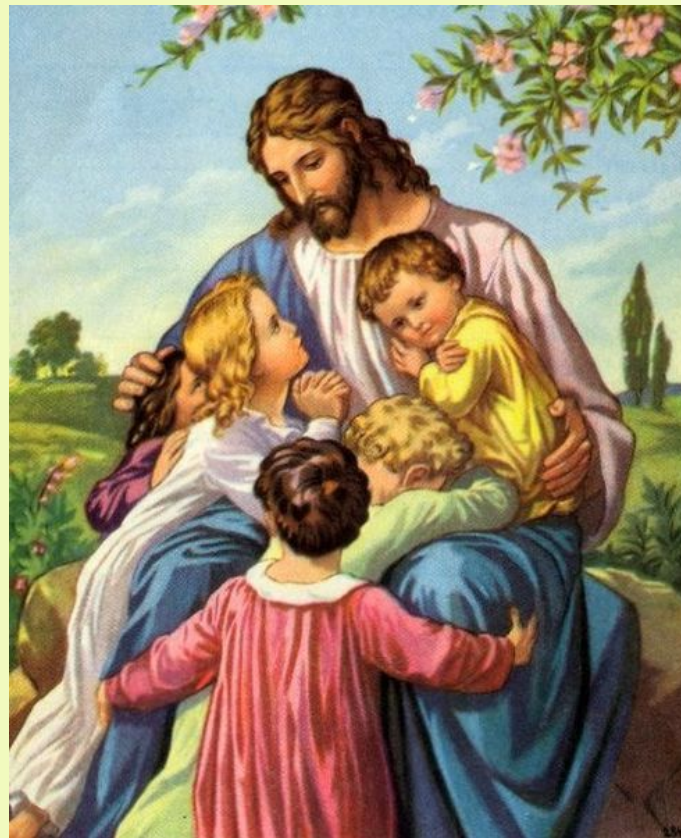
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**Memory Verse: “*Mary has chosen that good part*” (Luke 10:42). “*For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain*” (Philippians 1:21).**



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# My Need for Jesus Christ

## Lessons for the Great Lent

- **Conclusion**

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- To God be the glory, forever, Amen.



# Resources

- Application
  - Coordinate a time for A.G.A.P.E. students to interact with non-A.G.A.P.E. students.
- Activities—Customize according to student abilities, speech, and fine and gross motor skills.
  - Coloring/Painting
  - Cut and Paste
  - Music/Games
- References
  - <http://www.suscopts.org/ssc/Grade12.pdf>