Sunday School Grade 11 A.G.A.P.E. Curriculum

[Appreciating God-Given Abilities of Persons with Exceptionalities]



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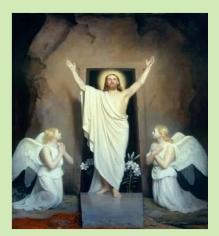
- Inclusion is an important aspect of the social and learning paradigm of individuals with special needs.
- Stewards serving children and youth with special needs should try to integrate the students in the mainstream classes for as much time as can be tolerated by the student with special needs.
- Integration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

Preparation for Resurrection Lessons for the Pentecost

- Lesson Outline: Week 1
 - Jesus rose from the dead and gave us hope and faith.
 - After Jesus rose from the dead He defeated the devil and death.
 - The resurrection of Jesus helped us to become more like the Image of God.
 - In liturgy we can drink the blood and eat the body of Christ because of the resurrection.
 - Jesus rising from the dead brought joy and happiness back to the believers.
 - The resurrection gives the believer meaning in their life,
 because now they can look to eternal life.

Word Bank

Resurrection



Death

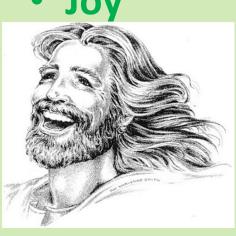


Triumph



Salvation

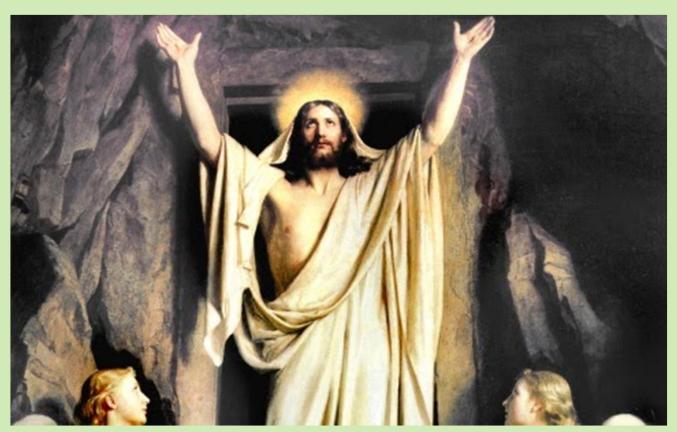




Eternity

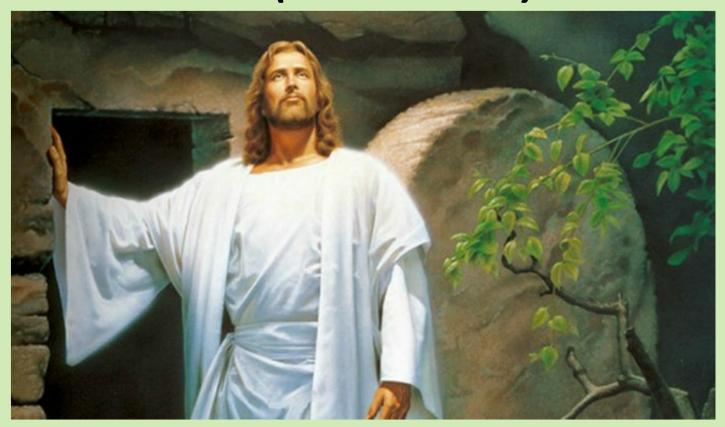


Objective: To deepen the understanding of the relationship between resurrection and triumph over sin and the renewed rejoicing.



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Memory Verse: "For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection" (Romans 6:5).



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Jesus rose from the dead and gave us hope and faith.



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The resurrection gives us meaning in our life, because now we can look to eternal life.



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Resurrection Lessons for the Pentecost

Conclusion

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- Jesus rising from the dead brought joy and happiness back to the believers.
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- To God be the glory, forever, Amen.
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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/Grade11.pdf