

## Child Ministry Children's Video Inventory

**Brother Francis Presents**, Herald Entertainment, Inc.

The Bread of Life, 29 minutes

Contains episodes *The Last Supper*; *The Story of Blessed Imelda Lambertini, Patroness of First Communicants*; and video songs *I am the Bread of Life* and *What More Can He Give*.

Let's Pray!, 21 minutes

For grade 1. Teaches the *Sign of the Cross* and the *Our Father* through animation and song. Also teaches *The Little Way of St Therese*, *Let's Pray* – we can pray anywhere, and *With God's Love* – encouragement to serve others.

Forgiven!, 25 minutes

Contains *The Parable of the Tax Collector*, *How to Make a Good Confession*, *God Is a Loving Father*, and *Praise God, I'm Forgiven!*

**Bugtime Adventures**, Santa Fe Communications, 2005, 25 minutes

Against the Wall (The story of Rahab, Joshua, and the Walls of Jericho)

A Giant Problem (David and Goliath)

Blessing in Disguise (The story of Joseph: sold into slavery, imprisoned in Egypt, eventually given chance for revenge or forgiveness)

**The Greatest Adventure Series**, Turner Home Entertainment, Close Captioned, 30 min.

The Nativity (2 copies)

Starring the voices of Gregory Harrison as Joseph, Helen Hunt as Mary, and Vincent Price as King Herod. Mary and Joseph make the journey from Nazareth. The Three Magi ride their camels out of distant lands to worship the newborn king. Mad King Herod sends his Roman legionnaires to find the Christ Child he fears. Shepherds make their way on foot from their fields.

Samson and Delilah (1 copy)

Starring the voices of Perry King as Samson and Linda Purl as Delilah. Only Samson dares to resist the Philistines' oppression of the Israelites. So the Philistines promise a fortune to Delilah, the woman Samson loves, in return for betraying Samson. She succeeds in removing the source of his strength, but God helps him fight back and defeat the Philistines.

Joshua and the Battle of Jericho (1 copy)

Starring the voices of Ed Asner as Joshua and Mariette Hartley as Rahab. The Hebrews are led to the Promised Land by Joshua. The Canaanites live behind a fortress that prevents Joshua's advance. God sends an angel to tell him the way to overcome this obstacle.

David and Goliath (1 copy)

Starring the voices of Robby Benson as David and Herschel Bernardi as Goliath. The Philistines invade Israel, and their giant warrior Goliath challenges a single Israelite to fight him. If Goliath is beaten, the Philistines will be servants of the Israelites, but if he wins, the Israelites will be enslaved. Only David, a shepherd boy, is brave enough to face him with his sling and his faith in God.

Daniel and the Lion's Den (1 Copy)

Starring the voice of Gavin McCloud as Daniel. God sends a message to the pagan king, Belshazzar. Unable to interpret the message, the king calls on Daniel to translate. Daniel tells Belshazzar that his kingdom is doomed, a prophecy that comes true. Daniel's new fame makes some men jealous. They trick the new king into having Daniel arrested and thrown into a den of lions. Daniel's faith in God is put to the test.

**NEST Animated Stories from the New Testament**, Approx. 30 minutes, includes interactive Adventure quiz, multiple choice at end. There is a reproducible book of worksheets to accompany each video also.

Bread From Heaven (Feeding the 5,000)

Forgive Us Our Debts (To receive forgiveness we must also forgive)

The Good Samaritan (Telling of the parable)

He Is Risen (The joy and love of the disciples at the Resurrection)

John the Baptist (John's birth through the baptism of Jesus)

The King Is Born (From the Annunciation to the flight into Egypt)

The Lord's Prayer (Disciples find their faith and unity strengthened as they turn to prayer in the midst of Peter's arrest and imprisonment)

The Ministry of Paul (Dramatic story of adventure, faith and endurance)

**Quigley's Village Series**, Zondervan Publishing House, 1993, 30 minutes, Ages 2 to 7

Overcoming Fear – Scary Sounds in the Campground

Mr. Quigley takes the group camping. They have a wonderful time eating and telling stories until bedtime when Bubba hears strange noises. Bubba's imagination runs wild until he confronts his fears and discovers the culprit!

Responsibility – The Super Shoot-for-the-Stars Space Ship

The Quigley's Village kids want to buy a Super Shoot-for-the-Stars Space Ship for their treehouse, so they decide to have a lemonade sale to raise money. But when Bubba accidentally breaks Mr. Quigley's glass pitcher, they have to decide on the responsible thing to do.

Truth and Trust – Danny Buys a Blobit

Danny decides to buy a toy with the money Mr. Quigley gives him to buy party decorations. To cover his actions, he has to lie and finally decides to bury the toy. Everything is going great until it rains and Danny's deception is found growing out of the ground!

Teaches Christian Values – Quigley's Village Sing-Along

Includes the following songs:

*I Just Want to Say Thank You* – Thankfulness

*Together We'll Get the Job Done* – Cooperation

*It Isn't Really Fair* – Fairness

*Look Away* – Temptation

*Bedtime Prayer*

... and many more.

Cooperation – The Great Treehouse Disaster

Building a treehouse turns into a disaster when nobody cooperates. Mr. Quigley teaches the kids that "when there is a job to do, when we cooperate it will soon be through" – and working together is a lot more fun, too!

Sharing – Spike's Big Blue Bubble Babble Balloon Machine

Danny, Spike, and Bubba each enter a contest to win the Big Blue Bubble Babble Balloon machine, and all promise to share it – no matter who wins. But when Spike wins, she decides to keep it for herself, balloons and all, and then has a very, very big sneeze!

Courage – The Wonder Kids' Colossal Cash Caper

Learning to be courageous is fun when Danny, Bubba, and Spike imagine themselves as the Wonder Kids looking for adventure. On "assignment" from Mr. Quigley, they find a money purse in the park and are faced with the dilemma of keeping it or giving it back.

Thankfulness – Lemon and the Kite Flying Catastrophe

Lemon learns how to be thankful when her doll is swept away while she is flying a kite with her friends.

**Sacred Heart Kids' Club! Series**, each tape is 30 minutes

Created and produced by Sister Ida Peterfy, SDSH, Ph.D, M.Rel.Ed., together with the Sisters of the Society Devoted to the Sacred Heart. The Sisters are professional catechists and master catechists.

Series I: Faith/Creed

Creation – The Wonder and Generosity of God  
Grace – Our Greatest Treasure: Life With God  
Christmas – God’s Greatest Gift, Jesus  
Sacred Heart – The Love of Jesus  
Eucharist – Celebrating Union with Jesus and Each Other  
Death – A Gift Forever: Everlasting Life  
Saints and Heroes – The Reality of Love Made Visible

Series II: Catholic Morality/Commandments

Listen to the Maker – Commandments in General (2 Copies)  
Love God – Treasure God’s Name (2 Copies)  
Day of Rest and Celebration – Third Commandment (2 Copies)  
Believe, Obey, and Love – Fourth Commandment (2 Copies)  
Sound of Peace and Love – Fifth Commandment (2 Copies)  
Choose Life! – Fifth Commandment (2 Copies)  
Pure Hearts, Joyful Hearts – Sixth Commandment (2 Copies)  
Sacredness, Respectful Love – Sixth and Ninth Commandments (2 Copies)  
Be Generous, Live Honestly – Seventh And Tenth Commandments (2 Copies)  
Choose to Live the Truth – Eighth Commandment (2 Copies)

Series III: Sacraments

Sacraments in General – Jesus Shares His Life With Us  
Baptism – We Belong to God’s Family  
Confirmation – Alive in God’s Spirit  
Eucharist – Gathered as One at the Table of the Lord  
Penance – Keep Love Alive  
Marriage, Holy Orders – Loving Service  
Anointing of the Sick – In Faith We Are Healed

**Veggie Tales** – Some disks contain more than one story, each story is about 15-20 minutes.

God Made You Special

Dave and the Giant Pickle (story of David and Goliath)  
The Gourds Must be Crazy (appreciating differences in others)  
A Snoodle’s Tale (the way God sees us is all that matters)  
Bob’s Vacation (how special we all are)

Heroes of the Bible

Dave and the Giant Pickle (story of David and Goliath)  
Daniel and the Lions’ Den  
Esther. . . The Girl who Became Queen

The Bumblyburg Super-Hero Value Pack

LarryBoy and the Fib from Outer Space (a little fib grows into a giant monster)  
LarryBoy and the Rumor Weed (God doesn’t want us to tell stories that hurt)  
Dave and the Giant Pickle (story of David and Goliath)

Rack, Shack & Benny (the Biblical story of Shadrach, Meshach, Abednego and the Fiery Furnace. Helps children learn how to resist peer pressure and stand up for what they believe in)

A Snoodle’s Tale

Dr Jiggle and Mr Sly (self-worth)  
A Snoodle’s Tale (God sees us as special and beautiful and we should, too)  
Flibber-o-loo (the Good Samaritan)

**ADVENT**

**Advent – a Time to Hope**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1990, 20 minutes

Family activities, such as Christmas shopping and card writing, reveal a spirituality that can teach us about Advent. We live in a hectic world, and Christmas is a busy time, but God calls us from within this world to

witness to the presence of Christ. Family life can provide signs and symbols of hope as we wait for the coming of the Kingdom of God. Narrated by Kathleen Christo.

**Preparing for Christmas, FC Home Video, 1 hour**

Father Anthony Scannelli presents this Advent program through stories, music, and Scripture. This program is for the family and is divided into four themes:

- Waiting (15 minutes)
- Hoping (15 minutes)
- Preparing (15 minutes)
- Giving and Receiving (15 minutes)

**Preparing for Christmas II – An Advent Program for the Family, Franciscan Communications, 56 minutes**

This video contains a series of four separate programs that mark the joy of the Advent season and Christmas:

- Part 1: Everyday life is a constant reminder of what Jesus' becoming human means to each and every one of us. (13 minutes)
- Part 2: A special man spends his time "Santa Clausing" for seniors and children. (14 minutes)
- Part 3: A child shows her deep faith as she prays for a "Christmas Daddy" for one day. (18 minutes)
- Part 4: The events leading to Jesus' birth are seen through the eyes of Aaron, the donkey that belonged to Mary and Joseph. (11 minutes)

## **CHRISTMAS**

**The Story of Christmas, Treehouse Communications, Inc., 6:22 minutes**

**The Three Wise Men, Treehouse Communications, Inc., 6:26 minutes**

(On Same Video)

These stories retain their traditional flavor to show that the coming of Jesus and the journey of the magi are events that embrace each of us every day. The illustrations combine original artwork with live-action videography in ways that reveal Christmas as God's ever-present, eternal desire to take flesh in each of us, to be born in every human heart. This videocassette includes two versions of these stories. In one version, the text appears on screen. In the second version, the text does not appear on screen. The text subtitles are included to aid in developing reading skills and for children whose hearing is impaired.

**The Bed Bug Bible Gang Christmas Show, Morning Light Media, 1999, 27 minutes**

The Bed Bugs have been busy memorizing their lines for the biggest show of the year. The bugs will tell the stories of Christ's birth.

**Jesus: A Kingdom Without Frontiers Series**

The King is Born, Mondo TV/Antoniano di Bologna, 1997, 30 minutes

The ancient prophecies are fulfilled with the birth of Jesus in Bethlehem. Each segment ends with a summary of the episode.

What is Christmas?, Paramount Oxford Films, 1977, 10 minutes

A young child tells the story to his puppy in this animated video.

**Nicholas – The Boy Who Became Santa, Creative Communications Center, 1989, 30 minutes**

(2 copies)

Nicholas was still a young child when he discovered a very special secret that changed his life forever, the gift of giving. But in sharing this gift, Nicholas had to face many dangers.

**I Will Take You to the Christ Child, Family Films, 1988, 33 minutes**

The nationally acclaimed Sylwester Marionettes take children to the town of Bethlehem. See the birth of Jesus through the eyes of the shepherd boy David, an old man, the innkeeper, a Roman soldier, and the shepherds.

**Saints Alive – The Christmas Story**, Sadlier Media Productions, 1988, 15 minutes

**Martin , the Cobbler**, Billy Budd Films, Inc., 1977, 27 minutes

Martin is a sad and lonely man. He is angry with God, because his wife and son have died. A holy man leaves a Bible for him to read. Martin reads a story from the Bible and starts to recognize God in amazing ways.

**The City That Forgot About Christmas**, Family Films, 1987, ages 5-12

Benji’s grandfather decides to share a story with him after Benji makes this statement, “Sometimes I wish there wasn’t a Christmas.” He tells the story of a carpenter, named Matthew, who came to a sad and gloomy town. He taught the children about Jesus, “who became like one of us, a baby soft and warm.” The children in the town spread the joy of Jesus and plan a huge Christmas celebration. The mean mayor doesn’t like the idea and steals the wooden baby Jesus from the town’s manger scene. The celebration goes on as planned, because the people in the town realize the true meaning of Christmas.

**Red Boots for Christmas**, Envoy Productions, 1995, 30 minutes

Hans, the shoemaker, has purposely shut himself in his shop to miss the town’s holiday festivities. He is visited by an angel, who promises him a special gift that teaches the true meaning of Christmas.

**The Beginners’ Bible Series – The Story of the Nativity**, Sony Wonder, 1995, 30 minutes

This video recounts all of the miraculous events leading to the birth of Jesus.

**The First Christmas Crib**, St. Anthony Messenger Press, 12 minutes

On Christmas Eve, in the year 1223, Francis of Assisi and some friends recreated the Nativity scene near Greccio, Italy.

## **EASTER**

**Easter – A Time to Remember**, Twenty-third Publications, 1991, 20 minutes

Parents experience a “letting go” as their children grow into adulthood and begin a new life. But parents also learn that a memory will hold a family together despite moves or transitions. And so, family experience can teach us about the Eucharist, in which we remember Jesus’ passion and death and celebrate his new life in the resurrection. Narrated by Kathleen Chesto.

**The Magic Boy’s Easter**, Family Films, 1989, 25 minutes

Twelve-year-old Josh is facing serious surgery. Through a vivid dream sequence, he realizes that he does not have to be alone. He understands that through Christ’s merciful love, he can face his surgery and anything else he will encounter in his life.

**The Proud Tree**, Liguori Publications

Based on the book by Luane Roche, this video tells the story of the Crucifixion as seen by Rex, the tree that became the cross Jesus carried to Calvary.

**The Story Behind the Cross**, Tommy Nelson, Inc., 1999, 30 minutes, ages 6 and up

A group of at-risk teens is brought together for a service project where they learn the meaning and the price of the cross. This video features Jesus’ entry into Jerusalem and the events leading to the Crucifixion and the Resurrection.

**Celebrating the Church Year for Children – Easter**, Paulist Press, ages 8-12

A number of liturgical signs and family customs about Easter are explained at a child’s level.

**The Easter Caterpillar**, Family Films, 1981, 13 minute video strip (2 copies)

David’s adventure with a caterpillar leads him to witness the events of Jesus’ last days.

**Easter Today, Easter Forever**, Family Films, 1988, 33 minutes

It doesn't seem like it's going to be a happy Easter for Nanny and Isaiah. Nanny's elderly friend dies. Isaiah doesn't get a part in the school play. But they find the "little Easter" in life. Knowing God's love turns their "downs" into "ups."

**The Beginners Bible Series: The Story of Easter**, Sony Music Entertainment, Inc. and Time-Life Video, 1995, 30 minutes

Return to old Jerusalem to witness Jesus' triumphal entrance into the city – and his eventual capture by Pontius Pilate's Roman soldiers. Experience the wonder of the fulfillment of God's promise to his chosen people as Jesus ascends into heaven in the glorious miracle of the resurrection!

### **EUCHARIST**

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**Celebrating Sacraments Series – Eucharist**, Celebrating Community, Twenty-Third Publications, 1990, For parents whose children are preparing to receive the sacrament of the Eucharist. This video provides Scriptural and theological background to help parents with their own understanding of this sacrament.

**Celebrating Sacraments**, 23<sup>rd</sup> Publications, 2011, 14 minutes (for Eucharist segment)

Covers Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Focus is on teaching parents so they can better guide and nurture their children in the faith through the preparation for and celebration of these sacraments. Regarding Eucharist, video shows parents the necessity of the sacrament for their own faith journey and the importance of their role in guiding their children along their own journey of faith.

**Christ in the Eucharist**, GIA Publications/Sesac, 1997, 6 minutes

**Celebrating Our Faith – Eucharist**, Brown ROA, 48 minutes (2 copies)

Part One – Like a loving parent, God wants to take care of us.

Part Two – Father Joe Kempf discusses how important the role of parents is in their child's faith.

Part Three – After First Eucharist, how do we assure that our children will stay close to Jesus throughout their lives?

Part Four – Guided prayer meditation

**The Mystery of Faith: Eucharist with Father Michael Hunes**, Fisher Productions, 20 minutes

Father Michael Hunes explains why "the Eucharist tells us what our destiny is."

**NEST Animated Stories from the New Testament: Bread From Heaven** (Feeding the 5,000) Approx. 30 minutes, includes interactive Adventure quiz, multiple choice at end. There is a reproducible book of worksheets to accompany video also. (Grades 2-5)

**With You Always: First Eucharist**, Sadlier, Inc., 1991, 65 minutes

Gives parents and catechists suggestions for using the *With You Always* textbook.

**A Child's First Communion**, Liguori Publications, 20 minutes

Helps to give children a better appreciation and understanding of Jesus in the Eucharist.

**With Burning Hearts**, Fisher Productions, 195, 25 minutes

Meant to inspire you with a new love for the Eucharist and its power to touch your soul.

**The Sacrament of Eucharist – Past and Present**, Twenty-Third Publications, 26 minutes

Kathleen Chesto provides Catholic adults with a better understanding of the value this sacrament has in their lives today.

**Lord of Love – Eucharist**, Brown ROA Publishing, 26 minutes (2 copies)

The viewer is brought to a better understanding of the Eucharist through Scripture and learns how to pass this appreciation on to children and others.

**Faith & Family Life – Preparing Your Child for First Eucharist**, Fischer Productions, 25 minutes

This video provides a good reflection and discussion on preparing your child for Eucharist. Example: How has Communion brought you “into communion” with others, especially the most needy?

**The Table of the Lord Series**, Ikonographics, Inc.

Program 1 – Celebrating: Children apply what they already know about celebrations to the Eucharist.

Program 2 – Giving: Children apply what they already know about giving to the Eucharist.

Program 3 – Eating: Children apply what they already know about eating to the Eucharist.

Program 4 – Parent Preparation: This video helps parents see the connection between the family table and the Eucharistic table.

### JESUS

**Getting to Know Jesus Video Series**, Tabor Publishing, 1987

Mary Says, “Yes”

Shepherds Visit a King

Jesus Learns About Love

Jesus in His Father’s House

Those Who Follow Jesus

Jesus Teaches About God’s Love

Jesus’ Healing Love

Jesus’ Story About a Good Neighbor

Jesus Loves the Little Children

**Jesus**, Campus Crusade for Christ, Inspirational Films, Inc., 120 minutes

This video on the life of Jesus was shot on location in Israel.

**The Story of Jesus**, The JESUS project, Inspirational Films, 2004

The story of Jesus as seen through the eyes of children who might have lived during his time on earth. They watch him from the crowds and follow him as he works miracles, teaches, is betrayed, suffers, and dies.

### LENT

**Lent – A Time to Forgive**, Twenty-third Publications, 1991, 20 minutes (2 copies)

Lent allows us to realize that we are loved not for what we do but for who we are. Reconciliation offers us the same kind of forgiveness as we show to our children.

**Lent – A Time of Renewal**, Franciscan Communications, 105 minutes

A video program for the family. This video is a 7-part program based on the Sunday Gospels of Lent. They are designed to help you discover your baptismal commitment. Father Anthony Scannelli uses true stories, music, drama, and visual meditations:

Week 1 – Don’t Tempt Me, 19 minutes

Week 2 – Open Your Eyes, 17 minutes

Week 3 – Bubble Up, 16 minutes

Week 4 – Give Me Light, 12 minutes

Week 5 – Loosen Up, 18 minutes

Week 6 – Here’s Hoping, 18 minutes

Easter – Happy Easter, 5 minutes

**The Angel's Lenten Lesson**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1995, ages 7-12, 14 minutes

Danny is upset because not only does he have to attend religion classes, but he also has to do a take-home quiz on Lent. Danny is struggling with the quiz when his guardian angel pays him a visit. The angel helps Danny realize the importance of Lent.

**Celebrating the Church Year for Children – Lent**, Paulist Press, 1989, ages 8-12, 15 minutes

This video answers questions about many of the actions we do during Lent in a way a child can understand – the meaning of ashes, why we make the Stations of the Cross, etc.

**Stations of the Cross for Children**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1997, ages 7-12, 15 minutes

Father Stan, a priest, invites the children to go with him as he makes the Stations of the Cross. Each station is described in a manner children can understand. Father Stan encourages the children to apply the Stations to things that happen to them in daily life.

**The Last Supper**, Merkam Productions, 1993, 60 minutes

Dramatized entirely on location in the Holy Land and the Middle East. A recipe booklet of authentic Biblical foods for the Passover meal is included with the video.

**Journey to Easter – A Lenten Program for the Family**, St. Anthony Messenger Press and Franciscan Communications, 90 minutes

A seven-part program featuring Father Anthony Scannelli as he guides you with music, drama, Scripture, and stories to prepare you for a better understanding of Lent and Easter:

A Journey Apart (18 minutes)

A Change of Heart (10 minutes)

Who Are You? (12 minutes)

Lost and Found (13 minutes)

The Servant Comes (11 minutes)

The Way of the Cross (17 minutes)

The Light of the World (9 minutes)

**The Last Supper**, Brown ORA Publishing, 33 minutes

Filmed entirely on location in the Holy Land and the Middle East, this video dramatizes Passover and the events from Palm Sunday through Holy Thursday.

**Lenny Learns About Lent**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1988, 11 minutes

A story aimed at reminding adult Christians that they have the responsibility of passing on the truths and values of their faith to their children. Many theological points about Lent are touched on in this short video.

## MARY

**Mary, the Mother of Jesus – Television Movie**, Communication Studios, 2/17/2000

**Celebrating the Church Year for Children Series: Days of Mary**, Paulist Press, 1986

Helps children know Mary and her importance in their lives. Marian celebrations and devotions are explained and made meaningful in the experience and language of children.

**The Saints Alive Series: Mary, Mother of God**, Don Bosco Multimedia, 14 minutes

Through colorful pastel drawings and the efforts of an expert storyteller, children learn how Mary, the Mother of Jesus, came to be called “the Mother of God.” An ancient Catholic formula helps to describe the wonderful plan for all people that God has modeled for us in the person of Mary.



## MASS

**My Father's House**, Franciscan Communications, 10 minutes

An introduction to Mass for young children. A young girl, about six or seven, is exploring a Catholic Church. While doing this, she has flashbacks to parts of the Liturgy in which she remembers participating.

**Sunday Morning**, Videos with Values, ages 4-10, 19 minutes

This bright and lively video is filled with children singing, Bible stories, and praying through the child's experience of Sunday morning.

**Amanda Goes to Mass**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1991, 9 minutes

Amanda shares her joy as she participates in the Eucharistic celebration. She explains her understanding of what happens when she and her family worship with their parish family. Each part of the Mass is shown and defined.

**Understanding the Mass for Children**, Paulist Press, 1988, 50 minutes

Children learn what happens at Mass and why. Learn about Jesus of Nazareth and how the love he gave people 2,000 years ago is still given to us today. Scenes from the life of children show them that Eucharist is a reality apart from life, but a living part of their experience.

**Mass Video – Let Us Pray**, Sadlier Media Productions, 1988, five segments, 10-15 minutes each

**Why Nobody Learns Much of Anything at Church: And How to Fix It**, Group Publishing, 1993, 30 minutes

**The Mass for Children – A Middle-Graders Guide to Understanding the Mass**, Redemptorist Pastoral Communications, Liguori Publications, 1993, 33 minutes

Short vignettes show how we can bring problems with our family and peers to Mass and experience forgiveness in the Eucharist.

## PARABLES

**Parables from NATURE Series**, Cathedral Films and Video

Each videotrip contains 3 episodes that link the animal "parable" to Jesus' original parable, using language and images consistent with pre-school and elementary levels of faith development.

**Series 2** (2 copies)

Speedy the Snail (The Parable of the Unforgiving Debtor) (11:30)

Speedy is forgiven a debt but fails to show the same compassion to someone else.

Burso the Beaver (The Parable of the Laborers) (9:04)

When a dam is built, the beavers who worked the longest are upset when Burso pays everyone equally.

Justus the Ant (The parable of the Vineyard) (9:55)

Justus the generous ant must deal with a cruel and selfish ant.

**Series 4** (2 copies):

The Busy Bee (The Parable of the Wise and Foolish Virgins) (9:53)

The bumblebees fail to plan ahead for the winter.

School Days in the Ocean (The Parable of the Talents) (10:30)

Miss Tuna gives each student a pearl to use in the best way they can.

Dr. Retriever's Surprise (The Parable of the Sheep and Goats) (9:53)

The doctor's tireless service to others teaches his community to give care to the needy and help to the stranger.

**Series 5** (2 copies):

Peppy the Pup (The Parable of the Prodigal Son) (11:33)

Tiring of his daily routine, Peppy decides to see the world.

Chuckie the Chipmunk (The Parable of the Good Samaritan) (9:33)

Chuckie gets a chance to help a squirrel and win his friendship.  
Bushy the Squirrel (The Parable of the Foolish Rich Man) (10:14)  
Greedy Bushy tries to hoard every nut he sees.

**The Parables for Children Series**, Brown ROA Publishing Media

Parables of the Rich Man and Lazarus – Greed in the Seaweed, (8 minutes)

Based on Luke 16:19-31. A big fish named Bloat won't share his kelp with hungry Lazy. In fact, Bloat's so busy keeping his kelp from everyone else that he doesn't notice the fisherman's net coming down into the water. Includes suggested activities and related reading and prayer.

Parable of the Prodigal Son – Skippy, the Wasteful Ape, (11 minutes)

Based on Luke 15:11-32. Skippy has decided that now that he is grown, he will take his inheritance, leave his father's banana farm, and seek his fortune out in the world. But instead of finding riches, Skippy finds himself working very, very hard in a coconut factory, wondering how to get back into his father's good graces. Includes suggested activities and related reading and prayer.

Parable of the House Built on a Rock – Billie, the Wise Builder, (8 minutes)

Billie takes time to build a nest in a sheltered part of a tree while Zoot is more interested in a quick construction on the highest limb. When a big storm comes along, which of the two nests will stay intact?

Parable of the Good Samaritan – Sammy, the Good Neighbor, 8 minutes

Blue Fish is attacked by a shark and left on the sand, wounded. Two fish go by and do nothing. The third passerby, a squid, is the only one to stop and take care of the wounded fish.

Parable of the Unforgiving Servant – Puffy, the Unforgiving Bird, 10 minutes

King Bird dismisses an unusually large debt of worms owed by Puffy. Puffy meets Beaky on the way home and demands that Beaky pay back all of the worms that he owes Puffy.

**The Bed Bug Bible Gang – Parables Parade**, Morning Light Media, 1999, 23 minutes

The Bed Bug Bible Gang present three of their favorite parables:

- The Sower
- The Lost Sheep
- The Good Samaritan

**PRAYER**

**Brother Francis Presents: Let's Pray**, Herald Entertainment, Inc., 21 minutes

For grade 1. Teaches the *Sign of the Cross* and the *Our Father* through animation and song. Also teaches *The Little Way of St Therese*, *Let's Pray* – we can pray anywhere, and *With God's Love* – encouragement to serve others.

**Traditional Prayers for Children – The Meaning of the Our Father, Hail Mary, Apostles' Creed, Glory Be to the Father**, Paulist Press, 1988, ages 6-9, 40 minutes (2 copies)

Four ten-minute segments will help children understand these four traditional prayers that are usually learned by rote.

**Let Us Pray – Parts One and Two**, Ikonographics/Avcel, Inc., (2 copies)

A program for introducing prayer to young children.

**Prayertime, Familytime**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1995, 26 minutes

Religious educator and family expert Kathleen Chesto tells viewers that prayer is the way community celebrates all of life, emphasizing that one's first community is the family. She explores the importance of prayer in the context of the family and examines the essential nature of ritual. Chesto encourages families to make prayer a part of their everyday activities so that every action becomes a prayer.

## RECONCILIATION

### **Brother Francis” Forgiven!**, 25 minutes

Contains *The Parable of the Tax Collector*, *How to Make a Good Confession*, *God Is a Loving Father*, and *Praise God, I’m Forgiven!*

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### **Celebrating Sacraments**, 23<sup>rd</sup> Publications, 2011, 14 minutes (for Reconciliation segment)

Covers Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Focus is on teaching parents so they can better guide and nurture their children in the faith through the preparation for and celebration of these sacraments. Regarding Reconciliation, the video covers the history of the sacrament and that the sacrament involves a “change of heart as well as a change of behavior.”

### **Families – Celebrating Our Faith: Reconciliation**, Brown ROA

Father Joe Kempf teaches about the sacrament of reconciliation through four different vignettes:

- Parable of the Prodigal Son
- The Rite of Reconciliation
- The Importance of the Role of Parents
- Guided Prayer Meditation

**NEST Animated Stories from the New Testament**, Approx. 30 minutes, includes interactive Adventure quiz, multiple choice at end. There is a reproducible book of worksheets to accompany video also.

[Forgive Us Our Debts](#) (To receive forgiveness we must also forgive)

### **The God Who Reconciles**, St. Anthony Messenger Press, 33 minutes

Addresses the topic of Reconciliation with a look at God, our source of all forgiveness.

### **The Church Celebrates the Reconciling God**, St. Anthony Messenger Press, 32 minutes

Addresses the theology, history, and practice of Reconciliation.

### **The Sacrament of Reconciliation**, Argus Communications

Offers questions that can be discussed among both youth and adults.

### **The Mystery of Faith: An Introduction to Catholicism – Reconciliation**, Fisher Productions, 20 minutes

Father Himes explains why reconciliation is more about the love of God than it is about our sins.

### **Skateboard – A First Reconciliation Film**, Franciscan Communications, 12 minutes

Eight-year-old Sandy is bored with riding her skateboard on the easy hills. She decides to try the steep hills her parents have told her not to ride and loses control. After barely escaping a serious accident, she decides to run and hide. Her parents find her and tell her that people make rules for those they love and want to keep safe. When you break a rule, you must face the consequences.

### **With You Always: First Reconciliation Video**, Sadlier, Inc., 1991, 57 minutes

This video follows the outline of the text, *With You Always: First Reconciliation*, with suggestions on how to use the text.

### **The Sacrament of Reconciliation**, by Joseph Champlin, Argus

### **Lord Have Mercy – Reconciliation**, Brown ROA Publishing, 19 minutes (2 copies)

Offers a review of how to celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation and how to pass an appreciation for it on to our children. Content includes the history, theology, and Scripture of the sacrament.

**Reconciliation: Closing the Gap**, Brown ROA Publishing, 13 minutes

Children, through role-playing, make the connection between conflicts in their lives and the need to celebrate this sacrament. Also included is a presentation on how the sacrament has changed.

**Understanding the Sacrament of Reconciliation for Children**, Paulist Press, Grades 4-6, 50 minutes

A three-part video that will help children understand the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Story, Scripture, song, and instruction are used in this video.

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation – Past and Present**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1991, 39 minutes

Provides parents with information and an understanding of the sacrament and how it has changed within the history of the Church.

**What Changed Michael?**, Twenty-Third Publications, 8 minutes (2 copies)

Children in the intermediate grades begin to develop standards for themselves. They recognize and make moral judgments about personal failures. They feel the need for, and seek, forgiveness. In this production, Michael is able to arrive at decisions about future ways of acting. He is inclined to evaluate his peers in terms of their belonging to, or exclusion from, his own “group.” Experiencing love through forgiveness through the sacrament of reconciliation, children like Michael can see that the sacrament is not just “to get their sins off their minds.” It is meant to affirm the positive and hopeful direction of a Christian’s life. Children will find recognition of their own worth instead of focusing on the guilt of their actions.

**Reconciliation – Part I**, Ikonographics, Grades 2 & 3

A four-part video:

God Loves You, Choices; Actions, Consequences; Rules, Laws, Commandments; Forgiveness

**Reconciliation – Part II**, Ikonographics

A four-part video:

Sin; God’s Family; Sacrament of Reconciliation; For Parents

## SACRAMENTS

**Celebrating Sacraments**, 23<sup>rd</sup> Publications, 2011, Baptism: 17 minutes, Reconciliation: 14 minutes, Eucharist: 14 minutes, Confirmation: 14 minutes

Covers Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Focus is on teaching parents so they can better guide and nurture their children in the faith through the preparation for and celebration of these sacraments.

**Celebrating Sacraments Series – Welcome to the Christian Community: Baptism**, Twenty-Third Publications, 1989, 15 minutes

Produced for parents whose child will be receiving the sacrament of baptism, this video provides Scriptural and theological background for parents to reflect on their own understanding of the sacrament.

**Will Our Children Have Faith?**, Argus, 1984, each segment is 30 minutes

Segment 1: Baptism – Remembering Who we Are

Segment 2: Made, Not Born – Life in the Church

Segment 3: Pilgrimage – Living into Our Baptism

**Lord of Our Healing – Understanding the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**, Redemptorist Pastoral Communications, Grades 5-12, 20 minutes

Helps answer questions young people may have on sickness and death and the sacrament that concerns these issues.

**Sacraments for Children**, Liguori Publications, 60 minutes

This video is divided into eight vignettes. The first one covers the idea of “sacrament,” while the other seven cover each sacrament individually.

### **Sacrament Series – The Loving Actions of the Church, Ikonographics**

Marriage – A man and a woman are called to be like Jesus in the way in which they love each other.

Anointing of the Sick – We are not alone when facing sickness or old age.

Eucharist – Jesus will always be our strength and food.

Baptism – The Church’s way of telling us we belong to one another through Christ.

Confirmation – A challenge to us to move past our weaknesses and commit to Christ.

Holy Orders – A calling to some people of the Church to total service through sacrament and word.

Reconciliation – A reminder that to let go of sin is a daily task.

### **Boys Town Videos for Parents Series, Father Flanigan’s Boys’ Home, 1989**

Setting Your Child Up for Success – Anticipating and Preventing Problems, 12 minutes

Shows parents how to help their preadolescent and teenage children be more successful in daily situations they may encounter. By helping children anticipate events in their lives, parents who use this method are teaching the importance of planning ahead.

A Change for the Better – Teaching Correct Behavior, 11 minutes

Helps parents deal with the frustrating problem of children’s and teens’ misbehavior. It goes a step further than just stopping children from acting the “wrong” way and shows how to teach them a better way to act.

### **Children’s Heroes of the Bible Series, Vision Video, 23 minutes each**

Animated cartoons based on Biblical accounts for children:

The Story of Joseph

The Story of David

The Story of Elijah

The Story of Jeremiah

The Story of Esther

Jesus’ Birth and Youth

Jesus Teaches and Calls Disciples

Jesus Heals and Works Miracles

Jesus’ Struggles and Opponents

Jesus’ Suffering, Death, and Resurrection

Paul’s Ministry and Trials

### **In the Beginning Series, Nippon Television Network Corporation/RAI TV, 1995, 30 minutes each**

Children of all ages will enjoy the drama and excitement of the greatest stories ever told:

The Tower of Babel

Abraham, the Forefather

Sodom and Gomorrah

Isaac and Ishmael

Abraham’s Sacrifice

Joseph in Bondage

Joseph’s Triumph

Moses, the Egyptian

The Burning Bush

Moses and Pharaoh

The Exodus

The Birth of Jesus

## **SERVICE PROJECTS**

### **Operation Rice Bowl, Catholic Relief Services, 8 minutes**

Operation Rice Bowl is Catholic Relief Services’ Lenten Program of prayer, fasting, education, and almsgiving. Used in conjunction with Operation Rice Bowl materials, this video will help you direct a successful program in your parish or school.

**Heifer Project International – Building Communities of Hope**, Blue Moon Productions, 1998, 31 min

This project helps small family farmers compete creatively in the marketplace. The Heifer Project provides farm animals, training, and technical assistance to help people become self-reliant.

**Central America Close-Up**, Maryknoll World Productions, 28 minutes

Shows children in our country how children live in other parts of the world.

**Get Connected – A Global Village Experience**, UCC, 2000, 17 minutes

Filmed on-site in Arkansas at the Heifer Project Ranch, children learn what it is like to live the life of their global sisters and brothers.

## PARENTING

**Parenting: An Attitude of the Heart Series**, Priority 1 Publishing, 1991, 5-tape series

Improving Your Attitude, 21:50 minutes

Do you ever become overwhelmed with parenting or unable to handle stressful situations in front of your children? While you may be mad at the world, your children may feel you are angry with them. Try to look at your actions through the eyes of your children. Is your behavior causing your children to get the wrong impression? This video will focus on changing your behavior by improving your attitude.

Life as a Missionary: A Son Remembers, 1945 minutes

In 1961, Richard and Jeannine Konnerup left home and family in America to become missionaries in Ethiopia. Over thirty years later, their extraordinary lives are still impacting the people of Africa. Through the eyes of their son, Jon, we'll travel from the primitive living conditions of Ethiopia to the building of churches in exotic Kenya. Richard and Jeannine raised five children against a backdrop of violent revolution, Christian persecution, and personal sacrifice.

How to Love Your Child, 21 minutes

By giving your child unconditional love, you will help with the insecurities and doubts of self-worth that society can make them feel.

Why Values Are Important, 21 minutes

Discusses whether we are giving our children the ethical, spiritual, and moral values that they need to withstand society's pressures from peers and the media.

**No, I Won't, and You Can't Make Me!**, 13 minutes

Offers advice on how to deal with children struggling through the preadolescent and teenage years.

**Negotiating Within the Family – You and Your Child Can Both Get What You Want**, 14 minutes

Shows parents how to use a simple written agreement to realize and achieve personal goals for their children.

**I'm Not Everybody – Helping Your Child Stand Up to Peer Pressure**, 12 minutes

Gives parents suggestions on how to help their children deal with peer pressure.

**God and Your Children**, Franciscan Communications, 23 minutes

Couples share their experiences on how to approach the topic of God with your children.

**Sex and the Young Child**, Franciscan Communications, 108 minutes

Jo Schlehofer provides an introductory talk for parents on the young child and sexuality.

Sexuality and Relationships (35 minutes)

Ages and Stages of Sex (35 minutes)

Developing Sexuality (38 minutes)

**Roots to Grow, Wings to Fly – The Fundamentals of Christian Parenting**, Miller, Maguire, and Ashby Productions, 1992

This is a twelve-part interactive series:

- Mentoring in the Home
- Create Security Through Visible Marital Love
- Laugh and Have Fun With Your Children
- Listen – It’s Amazing What You’ll Learn
- Your Children’s Parents Weren’t Perfect Kids
- Make Great Plans Together
- Encouragement, the Great Motivator
- Little Things Make the Big Difference
- Communicating a Sense of Belonging
- What Are You Teaching Your Children About God?
- Understanding Society’s Pressures on Your Children
- What Your Child Needs From Inside Your Home

### MISCELLANEOUS

**The Promise**, St. Anthony Messenger Press and Franciscan Communications, 17 minutes

A story about responsibility. Amy is a 10-year-old girl who wants a puppy. Her parents tell her that she can have one if she earns half of the money. She gets a job caring for a blind neighbor’s seeing-eye dog while the neighbor is in the hospital. Amy soon gets tired of the responsibility and loses the dog. She learns valuable lessons about responsibility, promises, love, and forgiveness.

**Veggie Tales – Rock, Shock, and Benny**, Big Idea Productions, 1995, 30 minutes

In this video, children are taught to stand up for what they believe in and resist peer pressure. The story is a Biblical parallel of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego and the Fiery Furnace.

**The Ten Commandments**, Paulist Press, 20 minutes, middle-school appropriate

This video by Gaynell Cronin teaches that the Ten Commandments are guides for life. (May be a little advanced for 4<sup>th</sup> grade and below.)

**A Celebration of the Individual – William**, Franciscan Communications, 15 minutes

An out-of-place, six-year-old boy at a community picnic feels he is too young to play with the older children and too old to play with the younger ones. He entertains himself by finding beauty in all the nature around him. When he finds a woman’s lost diamond, he becomes the hero of the picnic. The older boys then accept him and ask him to play football with them. At the same time the ball is kicked to him, he hears a nearby cricket chirping. He looks questioningly at the audience and asks, “Which is the real world?”

**Michael and the Visitor**, Vision Video, 1996, 30 minutes, 2 copies

Clay animation video based on Leo Tolstoy’s story, *Truths We Live By*. Simon, a poor shoemaker, discovers Michael, a young man, by the roadside. After Simon brings the young man home and gives him shelter and food, Michael becomes a very quiet and valuable assistant. When it is time for him to leave, he shares with Simon that he is an angel and shows him God’s faithfulness to those who trust in Him.

**Our Friends on Wooster Square Series**, Fenceposts productions, 1985-89, 15 minutes per program, 1 hour total per video. These videos teach positive behaviors and values.

Volume 1

- God Loves You – Everyone Is Different
- Feelings
- Share

Volume 2 (2 copies)

- Special
- Give
- Honesty
- Love Your Neighbor

Volume 3 (2 copies)

Friends  
Help  
Peace  
Faith

**Mother Teresa – Seeing the Face of Jesus**, Morning Light Media, 1998, 35 minutes

Mother Teresa always remembered the words of Jesus, “Whatever you do unto the least of these, you do unto me.” Children will be happy to see that Mother Teresa was much like them – a person with faith and trust in God.

**Francis – The Knight of Assisi**, Creative Communications Center, 1989, 30 minutes

The animated true story of the founder of the Order of the Minor Friars, the inspiration for three Franciscan orders.

**The Power and Impact of the Media**, Brown ROA Publishing, 21 minutes

A look at the impact of the media from both a social and personal perspective.

**Exploring Media With Today’s Parables**, Brown ROA Publications, 27 minutes

This two-segment video helps viewers develop media discernment skills.

**Maple**, Ikonographics, Inc.

In this short video, Maple, a young girl, sits on some steps, sad and alone. Many adults stop and offer her fun things, shopping trips, etc., but nothing appeals to Maple. Then a young girl stops and asks her to be her friend, exactly what Maple needed.

**Extreme Music Video**, Forefront Records, 1999

A Christian rock video with artists such as Rebecca St. James, Smalltown Poets, D.C. Talk, etc.

**An Evening of Contemporary Prayer, Stories, and Songs for the Busy and Hassled**, by Don Kimball, 1 hour and 6 minutes

**Let the Children Come to Me, The Word of God Alive for Children**, Liguori Publications

(4 copies)

This videotape contains 12 vignettes that cover the liturgical year of the Church. However, for the purpose of use in schools and religious education classes, the video follows a regular school year, and thus, the first segment begins in “Ordinary Time” in September.

Ordinary Time: *Trust... God Takes Our Hand*, 4:38 minutes

Feast Of All Saints: *Me... A Saint?*, 5:06 minutes

Advent: *We Could Miss Jesus*, 5:54 minutes

Christmas: *Perhaps Now They’ll Know How Much I Love Them*, 6:43 minutes

Epiphany: *The Last Night of Christmas*, 5:04 minutes

Ordinary Time: *The Good Shepherd... We Sheep Need Help*, 4:48 minutes

Lent: *We Can Begin Again*, 5:06 minutes

Lent: *Love Our Enemies?* 5:27 minutes

Easter: *Life From the Broken Pieces*, 6:05 minutes

Easter Season: *The Vine and the Branches... Is There Life Without Jesus?*, 4:03 minutes

Pentecost: *Could God Live in Her?*, 6:34 minutes

Ordinary Time: *The Body of Christ... We Are All God’s Precious Children*, 5:26 minutes

**In Our Neighborhood Series**, Franciscan Communications, 1993

Brian Was Adopted, 9 minutes

Eight-year-old Brian was adopted from Korea as an infant. He lives life confident in the love and acceptance of his adoptive family, but occasionally his thoughts turn to his birth mother and the



circumstances surrounding his adoption. His parents wisely and lovingly affirm him as well as give him a sense of his heritage.

David Has AIDS, 6 minutes

David is a hemophiliac, who has contracted AIDS from a blood transfusion. He lives with his grandmother, and although she gives him loving, tender care, David is desperately lonely for a playmate. The children at school avoid him, and there don't seem to be any neighborhood children around either. Then, one day, Washington leaves a note on David's front door and asks to be his friend. Washington's cheerful friendship and the wisdom of David's grandmother enable David to face his approaching death with courage.

Maria's Grandmother Gets Mixed Up, 7 minutes

A child learns to understand and help an Alzheimer's patient – her grandmother.

**The Human Race Club Series: The Unforgettable Pen Pal – A Story of Prejudice and Discrimination**,

Kids Media Group, 1989, 28 minutes

When A.J. and his pen pal, Joey, discover their mutual interest in basketball, they become the best of friends. But the chance to finally meet one another at a professional basketball game leads them to encounter prejudice where they least expect it. This video helps kids learn the negative effects of prejudice and the importance of forming their opinions about others intelligently.

**A Discussion with an Archbishop** (2 copies)

God Enters Human History  
Models of the Church  
Foundations for the Church  
Church in the Modern World  
Challenges Facing Today's Church

**Making Moral Decisions Series**, Twenty-Third Publications

Conscience & Conflict, 1995, 28 minutes

Every day, adults face the difficulty of making decisions. Often the Christian response seems out of sync with the standards of a secularized world. This video helps viewers form the basis for making morally sound decisions by introducing a number of general principles. Viewers meet individuals who are faced with decisions about issues such as sex outside marriage.

A Christian Perspective: Euthanasia... Can We Ever Say Yes?, 1996, 30 minutes

In an age when assisted suicide and both active and passive euthanasia are in the headlines, there is a pressing need for Christians to understand this complex social and moral dilemma. Euthanasia is not a simple subject. Yet there are both moral and ethical positions that Christians can take, and these have to be understood, weighed, and applied in light of medical, social, and financial concerns. This video offers practical help as it explores the Christian perspective on euthanasia. Viewers are offered clear distinctions about important medical decisions. Real-life stories of people coping with such decisions are presented.

Facing Death, 1995, 30 minutes

This video educates the viewer in the understanding of one's own death and that of others. Reverend Mark Miller discusses Christian beliefs with respect to life-prolonging procedures, suffering, and accepting death.

**Current Trends in Catholic Thought Series**, a lecture series from the University of Toledo

Overview with James Bacik  
On Scripture with Donald Senior  
On Faith with Avery Dulles, SJ  
On Spirituality with Lawrence Cunningham  
On Sexuality and Gender with Lisa Cahill  
On the Church with Richard McBrien  
On Morality with Richard A. McCormick, SJ  
On Catholic Social Teaching with Michael Novak  
On Liberation Theology with Arthur McGovern, SJ

**I Say, “Yes, My Lord!”**, Archdiocese of Milwaukee, Priestly and Religious Vocations Office

A reflection on priestly and religious vocations. Contains four segments:

Vocation: What is It?

This opening segment explains what a vocation is and why we are all called by God. It explores how we discover our pluses and minuses and how this combination of pluses and minuses helps make us what we are.

Vocations: What Are They?

This segment examines the three vocations – married life, single life, and religious life. The important thing to remember about a vocation is that it is a way of being, not a way of doing.

Vocation: How God Calls

This segment explores and then lists some of the ways that God has called us such as through other people, prayer, Scripture, events, hopes, and dreams.

Once Upon a Time...

In this segment, Father Jim Kimla and Sister Lucille Flores share with viewers how they answered God’s call to their vocations.

**Sam – Why Am I Different?**, Franciscan Communications, 25 minutes, Grades 4-8

This video about Sam, who has cerebral palsy, teaches sensitivity to other people’s feelings, the potential and dignity of every person, and the unique gifts that every human has to offer. Adapted from the book, *Sam and His Cart*, by Arthur Honeyman, an author born with cerebral palsy.

**God’s Five Gifts**, Franciscan Communications, 6 minutes, ages 4 to 7

Children learn to appreciate the world around them through colorful animated images.

**Family Spirituality**, Twenty-Third Publications, 25 minutes

Dr. Kathleen Chesto sparks a fundamental commitment to the importance of a sound spiritual family life.

**Empowering the Catechist: Skills and Techniques for Effective Teaching**, Twenty-Third Publications, 46 minutes (2 copies)

Session 1 – Meeting the Challenge of Catechetical Ministry, (23 minutes)

Session 2 – Planning and Preparing the Lesson, (23 minutes)

**The Amazing Bible Series: The Amazing Book**, Multnomah and the Bridgestone Group, 1988, 25 minutes, ages 2-10

Children will love the adventures of Doc Dickory, Revver, and Dewey Decimole as they discover the exciting world of the Bible.

**The Effort**, Franciscan Communications, 5 minutes

People gather to watch the performance of two sisters on the balance beam. The older sister has it mastered, but the younger sister fails in both of her attempts. Everyone leaves, and the younger sister is feeling very discouraged until she sees a severely handicapped girl struggling alone to climb the wooden stands from her wheelchair. This gives the young sister courage, and she successfully masters her routine on the beam.

**Commandments for Young People – Part I**, Ikonographics

We Remember

We Honor Parents

We Respect Life

**Commandments for Young People – Part II**, Ikonographics

We Are Faithful

We Speak the Truth

We Respect Property/Others

**Echoes of Faith – Methodology**, Resources for Christian Living, 1997

A four-module set on methodology. Each video is approximately 36 minutes.

Methods for Grades 1 & 2

Methods for Grades 3 & 4

Methods for Grades 5 & 6

Methods for Grades 7 & 8

**Echoes of Faith – The Catholic Faith**, Resources for Christian Living, 1998

A five-module series on the Catholic faith (we have three of the tapes):

Liturgy and Sacraments (75 minutes)

Catholic Morality (73 minutes)

Prayer and Spirituality (48 minutes)

**Faith First Grades 1-6 Parish and Parent In-Service Video**, Resources for Christian Living, 47 minutes

**Successful Teaching with Hands-On Learning**, Group Publishing, 1992, 30 minutes

A training video to be used with the *Hands-On Bible Curriculum*.

**This Is Our Faith Series**, Silver Burdett Ginn, 1994 (2 copies of each grade level, Grades 1-5)

Designed to be used with the *This Is Our Faith* curriculum.