

# ***Stages for Education in Liturgy***



# Introductory Level

Begin with names:

liturgical vessels, vestments and furniture.

Three period naming lesson...



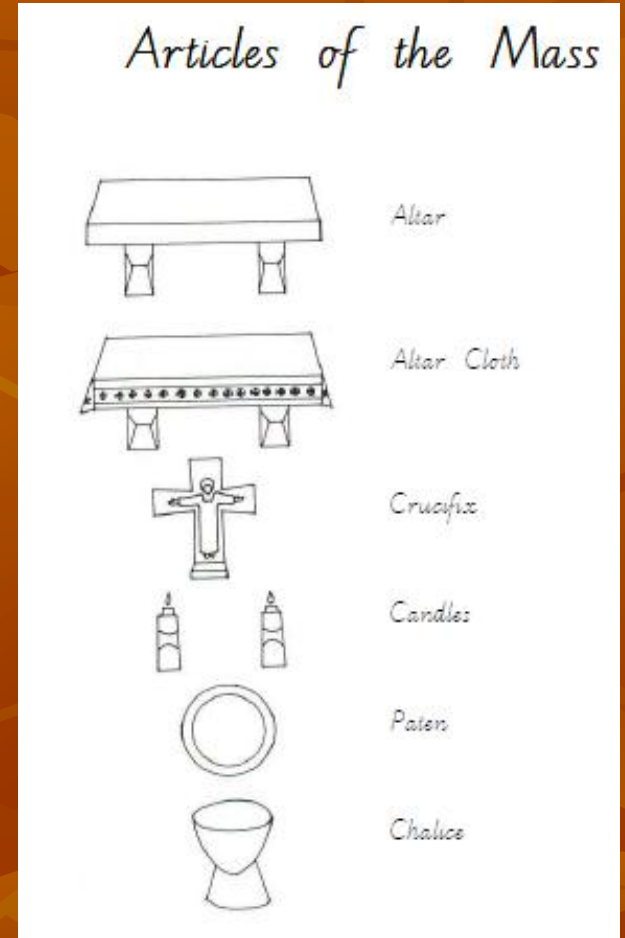
1. Point to item and offer name. (This is a chalice.)
2. Offer a name – find the item? (Where is the chalice?)
3. Point to the item and ask child to name it.

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## Further Activities...

Poster of the major articles  
should be on display

- Liturgical Tracing Packets
- Cards with labels and captions
- Collage of pre-cut materials



# Level 2

Major Activity:

Synthesising... putting things together.



*Make holy, therefore, these gifts, we pray.*

*By sending down your Spirit upon them  
like the dewfall, so that they may become  
for us the Body and Blood of our Lord  
Jesus Christ.*

## The Holy Mass



God the Father calls all His children

to listen to  
His Word

And to participate in the **Eucharist**




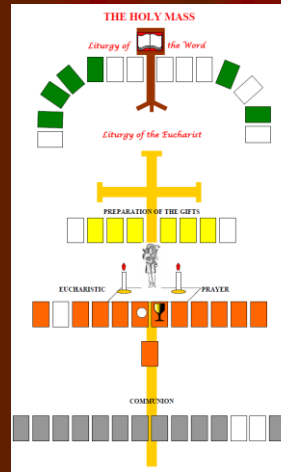
At the beginning, the bread and wine  
are prepared. To the wine are added  
a few drops of water.


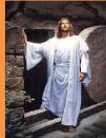

- First Missal (Mass Book)
- Synthesis of the Mass Activities

# Level 3

## Synthesising at a more advanced level...

<p>Prayers of the Faithful</p> 	<p>In response to the reading of the Gospel we pray for the needs of the Church and individuals. All those who are present share in one another's concerns, praying together, "Lord, hear our prayer."</p>
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<p>Jesus dies</p>  <p>Jesus, who said, "The Good Shepherd gives his life for the sheep," gives all of himself to us: his love, his care, his comfort, even to the point of dying for us.</p>			<p>Jesus is risen</p> <p>But the first day after the Sabbath, a young man dressed in white and seated at the right of the tomb said to the women, "You search for Jesus of Nazareth who was crucified. He is risen. He is no longer here."</p>
<p>The Holy Spirit is sent.</p> 			<p>After his resurrection, Jesus ascends to heaven. To God the Father, who, through the risen Christ, sends the Holy Spirit to his followers.</p>

- Liturgy as Memorial
- Structure of the Mass
- Propers of the Mass
- Full study of the prayers of the Mass