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Jesus rejected the Devil’s temptations because they would turn him away from God the Father.

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The first three commandments teach us to honor God. The next seven commandments teach us how to live in peace with our neighbor.

PAGE 183
The moral law is made up of rules that help us do good and avoid evil.

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The Ten Commandments teach us how to honor God and live in peace with others.

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The Second Commandment teaches us not to use God’s name in vain.

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The Third Commandment teaches us to keep the Lord’s Day holy.

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Each day, we can say a prayer devoting ourselves to God.

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# Living as God’s Children

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<td>The family is a “domestic church,” a community open to the graces of the Holy Spirit. We obey and respect our parents, as Jesus did. We treat our family and others with justice by treating them fairly.</td>
<td>Saint Paul heard how some of his friends were growing in their faith, so he wrote them letters telling them how much he loved them.</td>
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<td>In peaceful homes, children obey and respect parents, and family members show one another that they care.</td>
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<td>Both Vincent de Paul and Louise de Marillac cared for people who were in need.</td>
<td>When Louise de Marillac’s husband died, she devoted her life to God. She was eventually placed in charge of a new order of women called the Daughters of Charity. Under its new name, <strong>Sisters of Charity</strong>, members of this order still help people today.</td>
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All Life Is Sacred

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To love God means to love all the people he has created, just as God’s Son, Jesus, did.

**PAGE 199**
We make choices that show God’s love for the people we meet.

**PAGE 198**
When he was a 20-year-old student, Frédéric Ozanam and his friends formed the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. When a disease called cholera spread, Frédéric’s group helped people in the poorest part of the city.

**PAGE 199**
Everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.

**PAGE 200**
Big jobs are best accomplished with a team. Working together makes a job feel smaller and more fun.

**PAGES 202 AND 203**
We are called to take care of all of God’s creation. Taking care of our planet and all living things on it is our job.

**PAGE 199**
God makes each person sacred from the first moment of life. Each person is an important member of the human family. Jesus said that whatever we do for the least fortunate, we do for him.

**PAGE 199**
With the words of Dismissal at Mass, we are sent forth to glorify God by our lives. To glorify the Lord means to care for his people—each person he has made.

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Celebrating Easter

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**PAGES 205 AND 208**

Easter is the celebration of life. Easter Sunday is the most important day of the church year. We celebrate Jesus’ Resurrection.

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During the Easter season, we also celebrate Jesus’ Ascension into heaven.

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The Easter season begins with the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday and ends on Pentecost Sunday.

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On the Second Sunday of Easter, we celebrate God’s mercy.

**PAGE 206**

Mercy is made up of compassion and forgiveness.

**PAGE 207**

Before receiving Communion, we call upon Jesus, the Lamb of God, to have mercy on us. The image of the Lamb of God reminds us of Jesus’ great sacrifice.

**PAGE 207**

White is the liturgical color of the Easter season and represents the joy of Christ’s Resurrection.

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White lilies symbolize our new life in the risen Christ.

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We celebrate Easter by committing ourselves to the service of others.

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