We Worship God

GRADE 4

CHAPTER 7 Study Guide

*Keep these ideas in mind as you study **Chapter 7**.*

When we pray, we adore God as our Creator and Lord. We recognize that God alone saves us, and we are humble in our need for him.

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Our loving response to God is called worship. We worship God by honoring him with prayer and serving him through holy lives.

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The Israelites worshiped God by offering him gifts. A gift given to God to give him thanks is called a sacrifice.

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Our worship is not true unless it comes from our hearts. Worship can only be true when it is offered in love.

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Jesus' whole life was an act of worship. He offered everything he did to his Father. His sacrifice on the Cross was the perfect offering of love, something only God could do.

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Through the Holy Spirit, Jesus' saving work is present each time the Eucharist is celebrated. We are joined to Christ's sacrifice. We offer all that we think, say, and do to our Father through Jesus and the Holy Spirit.

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Even if we do not participate in the Eucharist daily, we can still offer ourselves to God each day. We can offer our prayers, works, joys, and sufferings in a Morning Offering.

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