Teachers Resource Guide
1st Edition - Service and Leadership

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A guide to help you integrate The Tablet Jr. to your lesson
“No Matter how big the call, No matter how small. You have no idea of what God is calling you to do. God needs You. He needs Me. He needs All of us.”
- Fr. Mychal Judge

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What characteristics did Fr. Judge demonstrate on 9/11?
- What characteristics do saints have?
- Who can become a saint?
- How can we honor the heroic life Fr. Judge led?
- How did Fr. Judge live by these words?
- Do you know anyone who has been called by God?
- What are some ways you can live by his words?

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

GRADE K-3

- Novel: Can you Find the Saints? Philip D. Gallery
- 4 Steps to Canonization Factsheet
- History of FDNY

GRADE 4-8

- What happened on 9/11 Learn360 Video
- 4 Steps to Canonization Factsheet
- History of FDNY
THE MIRACULOUS MOTHER CABRINI

PHOTO ANALYSIS ACTIVITY

STEP 1: Ask students to look deeply at the picture for a good long time. Have them observe shapes, colors, textures, the position of people and/or objects, etc.

STEP 2: Have students write down what they see without making any interpretation about what the picture is trying to say.

STEP 3: Ask students: What questions do you have about this picture that you would need to have answered before you can begin to interpret it? Ask as many questions as you have.

STEP 4: Have students discuss their questions with two other students in the class to try to find some answers.

STEP 5: Given the historical context and subject of the piece, ask students what they think the photographer is trying to say (what does the piece mean), and who they think is the intended audience?

STEP 6: Discuss your interpretation with the class, and be prepared to support your view by referring to specific elements of the image and what you know about the history of the time.

- Why do you think Mother Cabrini was sent to NYC by Pope Leo XIII?
- What were the two miracles performed by Mother Cabrini in Heaven?
ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

GRADE K-8:

- Saints Alive – St. Francis Cabrini – Learn360 Video
- Printable Education Resources based on the video

VALENTINE ACTIVITY

- St. Valentine’s Day Craft (Catholic Icing)

ASK SR. ELIZABETH

- Create a question box in your classroom to encourage students to inquire about the Catholic Faith.

JOURNALISM RESOURCES

- Visit Learn360 for Tablet Jr. Resources
- Make My Newspaper
- Let’s Write a Newspaper
- How to Write a Newspaper Story
- 5 Handy Google Docs Newspaper Templates
Use the photo analysis in the previous section to examine this photo.

What observations can you make?

**PRAYER FOR CANONIZATION**

Give the students the prayer card for the canonization of Bishop Ford. Click Here to download

Together as a class/school community, pray to Bishop Ford to answer your intentions.

Sadlier Saints Game:

- Catholic Saints Matching Game: A Matching Card Game Activity for Students (Sadlier Religion Blog)
Word Search Answers: Service & Leadership

WORD LIST:

Catholic
Community
Dynamic
Educators
Faith
Family
Guide
Lead
Learn
Mass
Serve
Students
Succeed
Together
Value