

Faith Summary

The Easter season begins on Holy Saturday when we remember Jesus' Resurrection. The season continues through the feast of the Ascension, when Jesus ascended into Heaven, and then ends on Pentecost, when God sent the Holy Spirit to Jesus' disciples. Filled with joy and praise, our Church celebrates the risen Christ. It is a time for us to think about our mission to serve others.

Words I Learned

Easter mission

Ways of Being Like Jesus

Jesus gave without expecting anything in return.
Do a nice deed for someone without expecting a "thank-you" in return.



Prayer

Dear God, thank you for the gift of your Son, Jesus. Help us to serve others as he did—with love.

With My Family

Activity When you go to Mass during Easter, look around your church for decorations described on page 104. Talk about what you see.

Faith on the Go Ask one another: *What do you think might be your mission of service?*

Family Prayer During the Easter season, invite family members to pray together for the president, congressional representatives, the mayor, and other civic officials. Ask God to be with them and guide their hearts and actions as they serve the people they represent.

