

Discover! Finding Faith in Life EVALUATION TOOL for Discover! Families



Date: _____

When and how to use?

At the end of your catechetical year or halfway through the year, tweak what you can in your efforts, according to the feedback and needs you hear.

Evaluating the details of program effectiveness is crucial to growth. CATHECHISTS should use this tool to assess families' satisfaction with *Discover!* FAMILIES in promoting the faithsformation of their children.

ON A SCALE OF 1-10:

1. Overall, how effective was *Discover!* in helping your child/children to retain what they were learning and experiencing to grow deeper in their faith?

(not effective) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (completely effective)

2. How engaging and inviting was Discover! for you and your child/children?

(not at all)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	(completely
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3. Using the Catholic Children's Bible at home has helped us to understand and pray with Scripture.

(not at all) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (completely)

a. _____ We did not use the Catholic Children's Bible very much at home.

- b. _____ The Catholic Children's Bible was not sent home for us to use.
- 4. The *Family Page* on the back of each week's activity booklet (leaflet) helped us to extend the lesson at home to put our faith into action as a family.

(No!) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Yes!) (Somewhat)

How often did you use the Family Page:

_____ After every lesson _____ Some but not all of the time

_____ Rarely _____ We did not use the Family Page.

5. Discover! provided many opportunities for us to engage as parents and partners in the process.

(No!) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Yes!) (Somewhat)

- a. _____ The catechist kept us informed of what happened in the lesson and encouraged us to continue to engage our children in the faith at home.
- b. _____ The catechist invited us to participate in the sessions.
- c. _____ We feel better engaged and like we belong in the process of our child's/children's faith formation.
- d. What more do you feel could be included to better engage parents in the process of their children's faith formation?

- e. One area of need that remains for us is....
- 6. If you used the free, online At Home Guide to either homeschool or "catch up" your child/children after a missed session, rate its ease of use and effectiveness.

(Not at all effective) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Very effective!) (Somewhat effective)

____ We did not use the At Home Guide.

7. The free, online *Parent Video* was helpful in preparing us to embrace the program, to break open the lessons at home and to delve into the Scriptures with our child/children with the help of the *Catholic Children's Bible*.

(not helpful) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (completely helpful)

____ We did not view the Parent Video. ______ The Parent Video was not made available to us.

a. What more might have helped you to build faith at home?

Final Question:

_____ I would recommend using Discover! Finding Faith in Life again next year because . . .

_____ I would not recommend using Discover! Finding Faith in Life again next year because . . .

Thank you for your feedback. We value it and look to tailoring all we do based on your needs, experiences, and insights.

We look forward to strengthening our partnership in working together. Your family is a blessing and it is such a privilege for us to accompany each other in this journey of faith. We are excited about all that is to come!

OPTIONAL:

Name _____ Phone: _____

Email address: _____