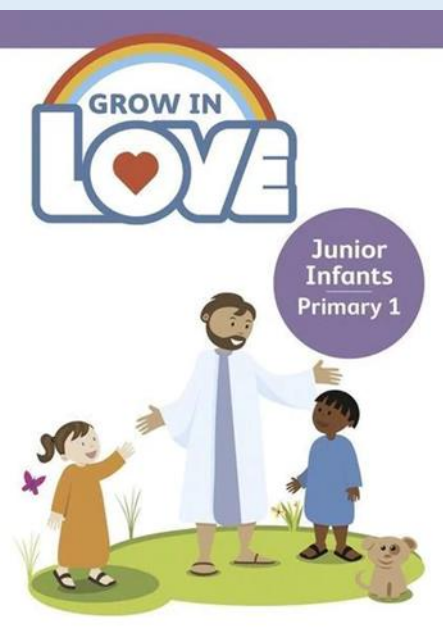


‘May is the month of Mary’



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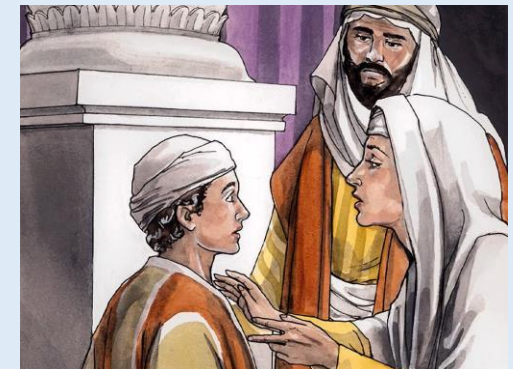
This PowerPoint will show how Mary, Mother of God is introduced from Junior Infants through to Sixth Class in the *Grow in Love* programme.

- Please use this resource with the *Grow in Love* Teacher Manual appropriate for each class standard
- It can be used with the Monthly Memo sent to all primary schools
- Please use the *Grow in Love* poster and follow directions in the Teacher Manual for the class prayer space
- While the resource has a focus on Mary, we remember Mary always leads us to her Son Jesus.



Junior Infants /P1

- Song: 'When Creation was begun'
- Prayer: Sign of the Cross
- Prayer Service: page 262
- Prayer Service page 119-20
- Scripture The Annunciation (Luke 1:26-32)
- The Holy Family lived in Nazareth (Theme 4: Lesson 1)
- The Holy Family visited Jerusalem (Theme 4: Lesson 2)
- Scripture: 'The Boy Jesus in the Temple Lk 2:41-50)



Junior Infants /P1

PRAYER TO THE HOLY FAMILY

Jesus , Mary and Joseph,
I give you my heart and my soul.
Jesus, Mary and Joseph, assist me
now and in my last agony.
Jesus, Mary and Joseph, may I
breathe forth my soul in peace
with you Amen.



Junior Infants /P1

- God gives us Good News (Theme 3 Lesson 1)
- Scripture: The Annunciation(Lk 1:26-32, 38)
- We get ready to welcome Jesus (Theme 3 Lesson 2)
- Song: 'Come Lord Jesus'
- The Good News. Jesus is born. (Theme 3 Lesson 3)
- Scripture: Luke 2: 1,3-7
- Visitors to the Stable (Theme 3 Lesson 1)
- Scripture: Lk 2:8-20, Matthew 2:1-2, 9-11)
- Prayer Service page 100



Junior Infants /P1

- Jesus dies on the Cross (Theme 6, Lesson 2)
- Scripture: Mk 15: 25-37, 42-47, Jn 19:18, 25, 30
- Prayer Service: page,171-172



Prayers to the Guardian Angel

Prayer to the Guardian Angel (traditional)

Angel of God, my Guardian dear,
To whom God's love commits me
here.

Ever this day, be at my side,
To light and guard to rule and
guide.

Amen

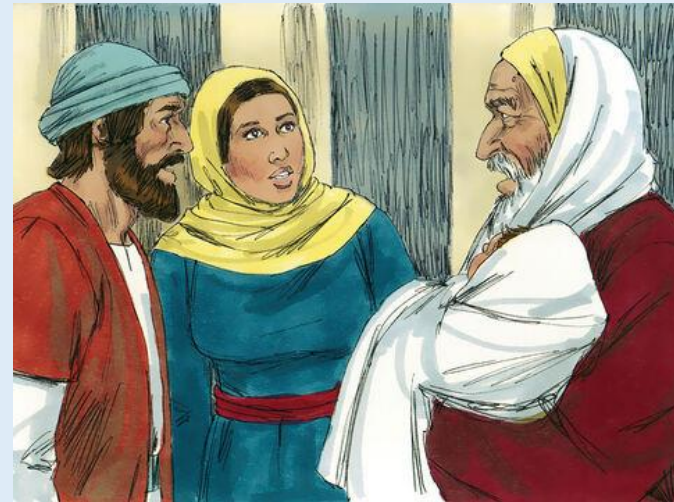
Prayer to the Guardian Angel (*Grow in Love*)

Angel sent by God to guide me,
Be my light and walk beside me;
Be my guardian and protect me;
on the paths of life direct me.



Senior Infants/P2

- Prayer : 'Hail Mary' Seasonal Lesson: p.278
- Prayer Service: p.284
- Song: 'When Creation was begun'
- Scripture: Anna and Simeon Lk 2:22-38



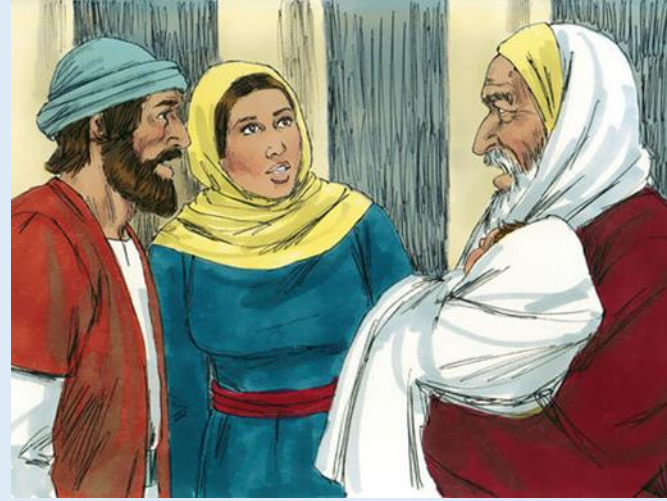
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- Mary says 'yes'. (Theme 3, Lesson 2)
- Scripture: The Annunciation, Lk 1:26-32, 38
- Prayer 'Hail Mary'
- Jesus is born. (Theme 3, Lesson 3)
- Scripture: Lk 2:1, 3-7.
- Gifts for the baby. (Theme 3, Lesson 4)
- Scripture: Lk 2:8-18, 20. Matthew 2:1-2, 9-11.
- Prayer Service: page 111-112



Senior Infants/P2

- Simeon and Anna meet Jesus (Theme 4, Lesson 1)
- Scripture: Lk 2:22, 25-40
- Jesus grew up in Nazareth (Theme 4, Lesson 1)
- Poem: 'Jesus lived in Nazareth'
- Prayer Service: page 131

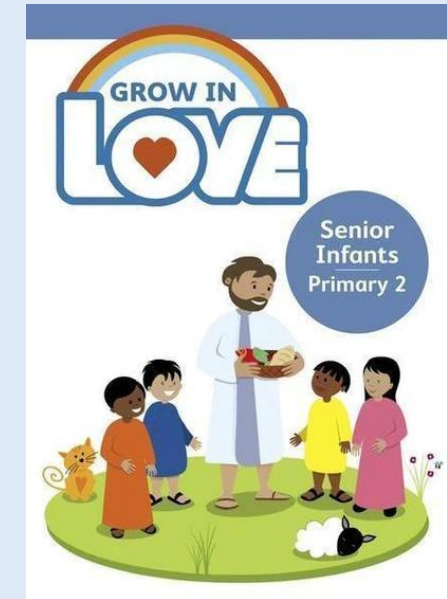
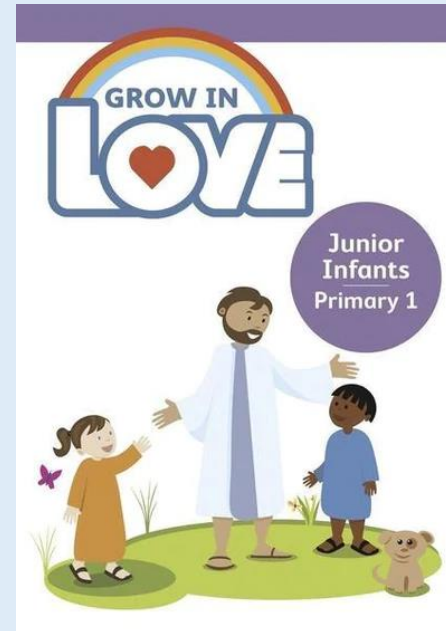


Please invite teachers from First Class to Sixth Class to revise these lessons in keeping with the Spiral curriculum

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Thank
you!

A vibrant, hand-drawn style illustration of the words "Thank you!". The word "Thank" is in the top row, with "T" in orange, "h" in orange, "a" in green, "n" in purple, and "k" in orange. The word "you!" is in the bottom row, with "y" in green, "o" in red, and "u!" in blue. The exclamation point is large and blue. There are several flowers: a large pink flower with a yellow center and white outlines is positioned between the two words. To its left is a small blue flower. To the right of "Thank" are two more blue flowers, one above the "k" and one below it. The entire graphic is set against a plain white background.