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Encounter Lesson 8

What does Luke 24:49 say?

Read Time Period Overview (Pages 114-115)

1. Then, at _____, the Holy Spirit came upon them like tongues of fire, and the church was born.

2. Which are symbols for the Holy Spirit, the third Person of the Trinity:

dove

fire

wind

water

anointing with oil

cross

Read DIVE IN (Pages 116-117)

3. What does John 8:31-32 say?

4. St. Paul was an unlikely _____, a fierce enemy of Jesus who became one of the greatest missionaries in Church history.

5. As he traveled, Paul also wrote _____ of advice to the new communities – letters that are preserved in the New Testament and which are read aloud at Mass.

6. We have the Church to teach us and bring us the _____ (outward signs of inner grace, instituted by God).

7. Grace gives us the power to love as _____ loves and to know (and obey) God's will.

8. Always remember who you are:

an unrepeatable individual

created for greatness

wanted and loved by God

made to be a saint

Read Biblical Character Profile (Page 120-121)

9. When people looked at Paul, he wanted them to _____ Jesus.
10. Instead of criticizing Apollos for what he didn't _____, Priscilla and Aquila taught him gently and encouraged him, and Apollos became a helpful and powerful preacher in the early Church.
11. When people meet us, our lives should make them ask, "What is it about you?" And our lives should also give the answer: "It's _____."
12. Rate the Biblical Character Profile: **Priscilla and Aquila**



Read Living It Out (Page 122)

	YES	MAYBE	NO
Will you look for God's plan in your own life?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will you look for what blessings God has already given you?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will you remember that Jesus is your best friend in life?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Wordplay (Page 123)

Advocate	the Ascension	grace	martyrdom	persecution
_____	From a Greek word meaning "witness." A martyr gives up his or her life in defense of the Faith.			
_____	From a Latin word meaning "to go up." This event occurred forty days after the Resurrection when the Apostles witnessed Jesus go up into heaven.			
_____	From a Latin word meaning "To call to one's aid": another name for the Holy Spirit.			
_____	The intentional harassment or abuse of a person or group by another person or group, often because of religious difference.			
_____	The divine assistance freely given to us by God, which we did not need to earn. It allows us to respond to God's call to become his children.			