



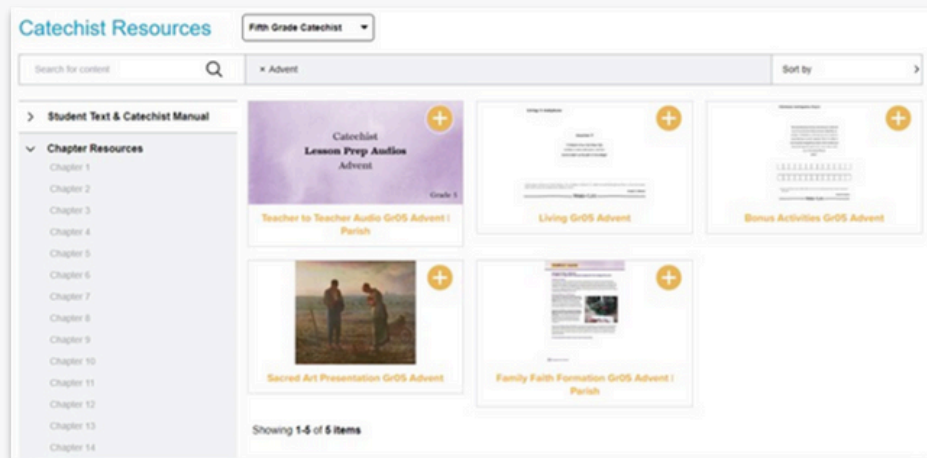
ADVENT 2024

Make the season of Advent one of joyful preparation and expectation with Word of Life and Formed.

Word of Life Curriculum

Upcoming Advent Workshop! Join us on Wednesday, November 20 at 1:00 P.M. EST and take a deep dive into Formed and Word of Life’s liturgical season resources: [Click Here to Register](#)

Lesson Planning: Each Word of Life student textbook in grades K-6 features an Advent chapter with accompanying lesson ideas in the teacher’s manual. **More Advent learning activities can be found on the Word of Life portal under Chapter Resources.** Here you’ll find a mix of Family Faith pages, Optional Activities, and Sacred Art lessons designed to bring the Advent season to life for children and families.



NEW & UPDATED Word of Life Grade Level Workshops:

In less than 15 minutes, your teachers and catechists can discover the best practices to implement Word of Life curriculum. Find grade-specific workshop recordings that dive into the curriculum and offer simple tips on utilizing digital resources below.

Grade Level Workshops		
<u>Kindergarten</u>	<u>3rd Grade</u>	<u>6th Grade</u>
<u>1st Grade</u>	<u>4th Grade</u>	<u>7th Grade</u>
<u>2nd Grade</u>	<u>5th Grade</u>	<u>8th Grade</u>

Have a few students signed up late for formation? Here is an easy way to purchase additional books: [Word of Life Reorder Form 2024-2025](#)

Formed

Explore a season's worth of amazing content for all ages on the [Formed Advent](#) page.

Sign up [here](#) to receive inspiring daily reflections with Dr. Tim Gray, President of the Augustine Institute. Dive into the Advent season and discover the power of the Jesse Tree with our series *Rooted* [here](#).



An advertisement for the 'Rooted' book and app. On the left, a smartphone displays the app interface, next to the book 'rooted: Rediscover the Jesse Tree' by Scott Hershbarger. Below the book are coloring sheets and pencils. The right side of the ad has a dark purple background with the text: 'Deepen your roots in Christ this Advent.', 'Embark on a powerful journey with Rooted: Rediscover the Jesse Tree. In just 7 minutes a day, explore Scripture, uncover the stories of Christ's ancestors, and experience meaningful Advent reflections that connect faith to your daily life.', 'Plus! Bring this rich Catholic tradition into your home with FREE Jesse Tree ornament coloring sheets.', 'Available only on FORMED.org', and 'SCAN QR CODE' with a QR code. At the bottom, it says 'An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE' with the institute's logo.

For daily reflections in Spanish, explore [Reflexiones de Adviento](#).

Brother Francis Advent videos are a fantastic resource for students to enter into the season. Available on Formed in English and Spanish, you can watch every episode in the classroom daily.

[Brother Francis: The Days of Advent - Formed](#)



This Advent, help your students prepare their hearts for the coming of Christ with Formed's [Drawing Closer to God](#). Designed to teach young children about the Advent season through creative storytelling and art, each episode can draw your students deeper into this season of joy.



For more children's Advent content, see [The Littlest Saints: Our Lady of Guadalupe](#) and the [Story of Saint Nicholas](#) from the Saints and Heroes Collection.

Discount Book Bundles

Looking for books on Advent? *The Adventures of Nick and Sam: The Best Advent Ever* is a great option for First Readers (ages 7+) to discover the joy of this liturgical season. Purchase a bundle today on [Catholic Market](#) for \$2.50 each plus free shipping.

Check out even more [Advent and Christmas discount book bundles](#). Enjoy volume discounts —the more you order, the more you save!



“The Lord is coming, always coming. When you have ears to hear and eyes to see, you will recognize him at any moment of your life. Life is Advent; life is recognizing the coming of the Lord.”

– Henri Nouwen

Please let us know if we can assist you in any way.

Blessings upon your Advent Season,

The Ministry Success Coaching Team



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