

Week 3: What we really believe!

Core beliefs of the Catholic faith explained.

Salvation, Heaven, Angels

GUIDE:

At the heart of our human condition is the question of salvation and the after life. We know but a little, but what we do know is often misunderstood. Our secular culture often has the same questions we do but, with very different answers.

Salvation:

HOW ARE WE SAVED? (Only by God's grace!)

Faith- Faith, Hope, Charity? Accepting God's Grace? The Cross?

Justification- Being justified by God? God takes the first step. Final?

Salvation- The process of being saved? Response?

Romans 1:17 "The one who is righteous by faith will live."

WHO IS SAVED?

Outside the Church there is no salvation! (Wow) Meaning what?

You, me, other Christians? Non-believers? Other religions?

*(Faith in Christ/Baptism/Cleansed of sin/ Unity of Church)

Note: Catholic Education Resource Center/ catholiceducation.org

Week 3: Homework

Read Chapters 4, 5, 10 (4 salvation/ 5,10 Church, Tradition)