

Correlation

**Love Is Our Mission:
The Family Fully Alive**
World Meeting of Families

with

RCL Benziger's
BLEST ARE WE
FAITH & WORD EDITION

GRADES K-8

Introduction

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- The Kindergarten section of the correlation is based on **Stories of God’s Love** Kindergarten, from RCL Benziger’s Early Childhood curriculum. **Stories of God’s Love** is the foundation for **Blessed Are We Faith & Word**.
- At each grade level, references correlated to **Blessed Are We Faith & Word Edition** Student Books are listed first, and where applicable, followed by references found in the Catechist Guide and Teacher Guide (CG/TG).
- The correlation is organized by grade level using the ten chapter themes found in *Love Is Our Mission: The Family Fully Alive*. An overview of these themes can be found on the World Meeting of Families 2015 web site (<http://www.worldmeeting2015.org>).
- Many of the concepts taught in the lessons of **Blessed Are We Faith & Word Edition** relate specifically to paragraphs in the *Love Is Our Mission* document. In those instances, you will find that the corresponding paragraph numbers are listed in parenthesis in the correlation. **Blessed Are We Faith & Word Edition** lesson concepts that provide a foundation for a *LIOM* theme or address a *LIOM* teaching in general are listed in the appropriate chapter area within the correlation.

The following entry provides an example: Grade 1, Theme 1, Created for Joy: Chapter 5 (#100); CG/TG: Ch. 5, Scripture Background, “The Book of Genesis.”

This indicates that paragraph #100 is explicitly addressed in Ch. 5. The Catechist/Teacher Guide entry, “The Book of Genesis” relates more to the spirit of the chapter or theme in the *LIOM* document than a specific paragraph. The CG/TG activity builds on or lays the foundation for the *LIOM* theme.

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Key

Student Edition Abbreviations:

CG/TG	Catechist/Teacher Guide
F&S	Feasts and Seasons
OCH	Our Catholic Heritage
SOGL	Stories of God’s Love

CG/TG Catechist/Teacher Guide
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Theme 1

Created for Joy

Welcome Ch. (#18), 6 (#18),
25 (#10), Ch. 29 (#10)

Theme 2

The Mission of Love

Ch. 4 (#22), 7 (#24), 27 (#15)

Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

Ch. 11 (#43), 26 (#43)

Theme 4

Two Become One

CG/TG: Ch. 10, "Family,
the Domestic Church" (#62).

Theme 5

Creating the Future

CG/TG: Ch. 10,
Background for the Catechist,
"Family, the Domestic Church"
(#62), 12 (#75), 18 (#81).

Theme 6

All Love Bears Fruit

CG/TG: Ch. 27,
Background for the Catechist,
"No Greater Love" (#111).

Theme 7

Light in a Dark World

Ch. 27 (#136)

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Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

Theme 9

Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

Theme 10

Choosing Life

Ch. 19 (#154), 20 (#158)

CG/TG: Ch. 14,
Background for the Catechist:
"Baptism: The Doorway to the
Christian Life" (#175, 176).

CG/TG: Ch. 10,
Background for the Catechist,
"Family, the Domestic Church"
(#191, 196, 197, 204).

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Theme 1

Created for Joy

Ch. 5 (#10), 8 (#1), 9, 13 (#11);
CG/TG:
Ch. 5, Scripture Background,
"Book of Genesis" (#13).

Theme 2

The Mission of Love

Ch. 7 (#21), 1 (#21),
OCH: About the Sacraments,
"Matrimony" (#26, 32).

Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

CG/TG: Ch. 15,
Catholic Social Teaching,
"Practicing the Fruits of the
Spirit" (#38).

Theme 4

Two Become One

OCH: About the Sacraments,
"Matrimony" (#59).

Theme 5

Creating the Future

OCH: About the Sacraments,
"Matrimony" (#70, 71);
CG: F&S: Holy Family, Background
for the Catechist (#80-83)

Theme 6

All Love Bears Fruit

F&S: Holy People (#95);
CG/TG: OCH: About Vocations
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Theme 7

Light in a Dark World

Ch. 11 (#113),
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CG/TG: F&S, The Holy Family,
"Background for the Catechist"
(#139).

Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

CG/TG: Ch. 2,
Catholic Social Teaching,
"The Church Community"
(#164, 173).

Theme 9

Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

Ch. 6 (#175), 17 (#176, 188)

Theme 10

Choosing Life

CG/TG: F&S, The Holy Family,
"Background for the Catechist"
(#200); CG/TG: OCH:
About the Sacraments,
Catechist Reflection:
"The Sacraments at the Service
of Communion" (#202).

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Theme 1

Created for Joy

Ch. 15 (#7), 18 (#17);
OCH: About the Trinity (#11);
About the Great Commandment
(#15)

Theme 2

The Mission of Love

Ch. 5 (#24), 11 (#31, 35)

Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

Ch. 14 (#37), 11 (#38);
OCH: About Vocations (#47);
"About Religious Sisters" (#49)

Theme 4

Two Become One

Ch. 18 (#59 - 60);
OCH: Catechist Reflection,
"Reconciliation" (#64, 67).

Theme 5

Creating the Future

Ch. 10 (#81);
OCH: About the Sacraments,
"Matrimony" (#73, 75); Ch. 1 (#88).

Theme 6

All Love Bears Fruit

Ch. 18 (#91);
OCH: About Vocations,
"About Religious Sisters"
(#93, 97, 100);
CG/TG: OCH: "The Sacraments at
the Service of Communion" (#91).

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Theme 7

Light in a Dark World

Ch. 18 (#145), 7, 20,
"Faith In Action" (#119).

Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

Ch. 3 (#154), 10 (#158)

Theme 9

Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

CG/TG: Ch. 6,
Catholic Social Teaching,
"Personal and Social
Responsibility" (#184);
OCH: About the Catholic Church,
Catechist Reflection,
"The Catholic Church" (#188).

Theme 10

Choosing Life

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OCH: About the Sacraments,
"Matrimony" (#197, 198).

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Theme 1

Created for Joy

Ch. 3 (#7), 9 (#8),
8: OCH: About the Trinity (#10, 11);
Ch. 3, 7, (#15)

Theme 2

The Mission of Love

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Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

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CG/TG: Ch. 15,
Our Church Teaches,
"Understanding Doctrine" (#46).

Theme 4

Two Become One

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OCH: About the Gifts of Faith,
Hope, and Charity (#62);
Ch. 6, 10, (#67)

Theme 5

Creating the Future

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CG/TG: Ch. 3,
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Theme 6

All Love Bears Fruit

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OCH: About Vocations (#92);
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Theme 7

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Parish Ministry, "Helping Poor
and Homeless People" (#119);
Ch. 19 (#146)

Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

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Ch. 6, 8 (#158);
CG/TG: Ch. 1, Background,
"Living as One Church" (#164);
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Theme 9

Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

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Theme 10

Choosing Life

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Theme 1

Created for Joy

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"The Commandments" (#15, 18).

Theme 2

The Mission of Love

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Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

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Theme 4

Two Become One

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About Faith, Hope, Love (#62);
About the Commandments (#62)

Theme 5

Creating the Future

CG/TG: OCH:
About the Commandments
"Discussing the Text"
(#70-73, 75); Ch. 19, (#86)

Theme 6

All Love Bears Fruit

OCH: About the Sacraments at
the Service of Communion
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(#95); OCH: About the
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Theme 7

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About the Commandments
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Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

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Theme 9

Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

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Theme 10

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(#15)

Theme 2

The Mission of Love

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Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

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Theme 4

Two Become One

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Theme 5

Creating the Future

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Theme 6

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Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

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Theme 9

Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

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Theme 2

The Mission of Love

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Theme 3

The Meaning of Human Sexuality

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Theme 4

Two Become One

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Theme 5

Creating the Future

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Theme 6

All Love Bears Fruit

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Theme 7

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Theme 8

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Mother, Teacher, Family: The Nature and Role of the Church

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Choosing Life

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Two Become One

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Theme 5

Creating the Future

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Theme 6

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Theme 7

Light in a Dark World

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Theme 8

A Home for the Wounded Heart

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Theme 10

Choosing Life

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