

Vocabulary for Paschal Mystery

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Term, Phrase, or Expression	Simple Definition	Comprehension Support
Christ	Anointed One, Messiah	Chi Rho (on all Cotter stuff)
Circle of Grace	Respect of personal space	Hula Hoop of personal space
temptation	Remember Adam and Eve. The desire to want what is inherently not good for us.	
Grace	The free and undeserved gift of God's loving and active presence in our lives, empowering us to respond to his call and to live as his adopted sons and daughters.	
Image and Likeness of God	This is why humans deserve respect and grace, because only humans are created in the image and likeness of God	
concupiscence	The tendency of all human beings toward sin, as a result of Original Sin. The human tendency to WANT to sin. Lean toward that bias.	
Epiphany	Magi's realization of Jesus as the Great King (also a sudden awareness or insight).	
epistle	Greek for letter. Think of the New Testament letters.	

foreshadow	To represent or prefigure a person before his or her life or an event before it occurs.	“Behold, the Lamb of God.” (John the Baptist about Jesus)
gospel	The “Good News” of Jesus Christ - his life, death and resurrection. 4 accounts (Mt Mk Lk Jn) 1 gospel of Jesus	
Parousia	The second coming of Christ at the end of time, fully realizing God’s plan and the glorification of humanity. Christ the King coming in glory to judge	
Saint (in art depicted by a halo)	A person recognized as living a life of virtue to be emulated by the Roman Catholic Church.	
saint	All of us as a part of the Communion of saints.	
Canonized St Teresa of Calcutta (Mother Teresa) was canonized in 2016	Process of becoming a saint. 3 miracles needed, as well as living an exemplary life.	
Incarnation	From the Latin, meaning “to become flesh,” referring to the biblical Revelation that Jesus is both true God and true man.	
Apostle	one who is “sent forth” to preach and spread the good news. One of the original 12 chosen by Jesus.	

disciple	Follower (in Christianity, a follower of Jesus the Christ).	
Last Supper	The night before Jesus died (sets up the Eucharist or Mass)	
Paschal Mystery	The work of salvation accomplished by Jesus Christ mainly through his Passion, death, Resurrection, and Ascension.	