

Name _____ Date _____

The Central Sacrament

- A Work with Words** Match each description in Column A with the correct term in Column B.

Column A

- _____ 1. people gathered for worship
- _____ 2. people who have special roles in worship
- _____ 3. writings found in a cave
- _____ 4. holy writings of the Old and New Testaments
- _____ 5. the teaching of the Church that bread and wine are changed to Jesus' Body and Blood
- _____ 6. the high point of Catholic faith life

Column B

- a. Eucharist
- b. Dead Sea Scrolls
- c. liturgical ministers
- d. transubstantiation
- e. Scripture
- f. liturgical assembly

- B Check Understanding** Circle the letter of the choice that best completes the sentence or answers the question.

7. The liturgy is a memorial of _____.
 - a. the founding of the Church
 - b. the flight from Egypt
 - c. the Paschal mystery
 - d. the miracles of Jesus
8. The bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ when they are _____.
 - a. distributed to the community
 - b. carried to the altar by members of the assembly
 - c. consecrated by the power of the Holy Spirit
 - d. stored away in the church building
9. Which of the following is the most important reason to listen to the readings at Mass?
 - a. The readings show how God punishes sinners.
 - b. Jesus is present in his word.
 - c. A special theme is chosen for each set of readings.
 - d. The readings change every day.
10. The most important reason for receiving communion often is to _____.
 - a. stay connected to the Church
 - b. be transformed and joined in the Body of Christ
 - c. participate in worship with others in the faith community
 - d. temporarily forget the troubles of daily life

11. The Church _____ Catholics to participate in Sunday Mass.

13. Your ancestors in faith read the Scriptures and handed down their understanding of God's word. This is called _____

15. When Catholics assemble for the Eucharist, a bishop or priest
_____ over the gathering.

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punishment
Tradition
Liturgy of the
Eucharist
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