

Frequently Asked Questions

Who can work on this activity?

All youth and adults.

Does the youth need to submit proof requirements have been met when they are done with the activity?

No. An adult leader or other responsible adult should verify requirements have been met. The application and patch fee are the only things that need to be submitted.

Is there more than one Activity Patch in this series?

Yes. There are five patches in this series. They are: Joyful Mysteries Patch; Luminous Mysteries Patch; Sorrowful Mysteries Patch; Glorious Mysteries Patch; and the Pray the Rosary Patch.

Is this activity considered a Religious Emblem program and will Scouts receive their religious knot after completing the activity?

No. This activity is considered a Religious Activity not a Religious Emblem program. Scouts will not receive a religious knot after completing this activity.

The Rosary Series



Luminous Mysteries



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THE ROSARY SERIES (Luminous Mysteries)

The Rosary Series focuses on the four Mysteries of the Holy Rosary and How to Pray the Rosary. The goal of each activity in this series is to provide an opportunity for young people and adults to learn more about their faith. All youth and adults are eligible to earn the patch. It is not necessary to submit proof that a person has met the requirements. Adults should verify whether a person has met the requirements before ordering a patch.

Requirements for 1st -5th grade

(Answer 5 of 10 questions)

1. Who baptized Jesus? [Matt 3:13-15](#)
2. What was the name of the river where Jesus was baptized? [Matt 3:13](#)
3. What did God the Father say when Jesus was baptized? [Matt 3:17](#)
4. What was Jesus' first public miracle? [John 2:5-11](#)
5. Where did this first miracle take place? [John 2:11](#)
6. How many disciples went up on the mountain with Jesus? [Luke 9:28](#)
7. At the Transfiguration, who appeared on the mountain with Jesus? [Luke 9:30](#)
8. What did Jesus tell His apostles about entering the Kingdom of God? [Matt 18:1-4](#)
9. At the Last Supper, what words did Jesus say when He blessed the bread? [Matt 26:26; Mark 14:22](#)
10. At the Last Supper, what words did Jesus say when He blessed the cup? [Matt 26:27-28](#)

Requirements for 6th -12th grade

(Answer 5 of 10 questions)

1. What did John the Baptist say about Jesus? [Matt 3:11](#)
2. What miracle occurred at the Wedding at Cana? [John 2:9](#)
3. What did Mary say to the servants? [John 2:5](#)
4. Jesus taught about His Kingdom by telling parables. Read Matthew 13 and discuss the following: [Matt 13:4-9; Matt 13:18-23; Matt 13:31-32; Matt 13:45-46; Matt 13:47-50](#).
5. What did Jesus tell His apostles about entering the Kingdom of God? [Matt 18:3-4](#)
6. Who were the three disciples who accompanied Jesus up on the mountain? [Luke 9:28; Mark 9:2](#)
7. Why did Pewter offer to set up three tents? [Mark 9:5-6](#)
8. Fill in the blanks: "He who feeds on my _____ and drinks my _____ has _____ and I will raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is _____ food and my blood is _____ drink. [John 6:52-55](#)
9. How did some of Jesus' followers respond to this teaching? [John 6:66](#)
10. How did Peter respond to Jesus' question, "Do you want to leave me too?" [John 6:68](#)

1. Who was the "voice" crying out in the desert? [Matt 3:1-3](#)
2. The Trinity manifested itself at the Baptism of Jesus. Explain. [Matt 3:16-17](#)
3. What was the miracle at Cana? [Luke 10:27](#)
4. Name the two greatest commandments. [Matt 12:29-31](#)
5. According to Matthew 18:3-4, what must we do to enter the Kingdom of God? [Matt 18:3-4](#)
6. What are the Eight Beatitudes? [Sermon on the Mount, Matt 5:3-12](#)
7. How did Jesus look when He was transfigured? [Mark 9:2-3](#)
8. Name the three disciples Jesus chose to witness the Transfiguration. [Mark 9:2](#)
9. In addition to the Eucharist, what other sacrament was instituted at the Last Supper? [Mark 14:22-26](#)
10. From whom does St. Paul say he received the teaching on the Lord's Supper? [1 Corinthians 11:23-26](#)
11. Mentor one or more young persons to achieve the Luminous Mysteries Patch.

Requirements for Adults

(Complete 5 of 11 requirements)

Answers for Luminous Mystery Requirements:

1st - 5th grade

1. Who baptized Jesus? (His cousin, John, the Baptizer; or John, the Baptist) [Matt 3:13-15](#)
2. What was the name of the river where Jesus was baptized? (the Jordan River) [Matt 3:13](#)
3. What did God the Father say when Jesus was baptized? ("This is My Beloved Son. My favor rests on Him.") [Matt 3:17](#)
4. What was Jesus' first public miracle? (Turning water into wine.) [John 2:5-11](#)
5. Where did this first miracle take place? (at a wedding feast in Cana) [John 2:11](#)
6. How many disciples went up on the mountain with Jesus? (three) [Luke 9:28](#)
7. At the Transfiguration, who appeared on the mountain with Jesus? (Moses and Elijah) [Luke 9:30](#)
8. What did Jesus tell His apostles about entering the Kingdom of God? ("Unless you change and become like little children you will not enter the Kingdom of God") [Matt 18:1-4](#)
9. At the Last Supper, what words did Jesus say when He blessed the bread? (He said, "Take this, this is my body, to be given up for you.") [Luke 22:19](#)
10. At the Last Supper, what words did Jesus say when He blessed the cup? (He said, "This is my blood, the blood of the covenant to be poured out on behalf of many.") [Matt 26:27-28](#)

Answers for Luminous Mystery

Requirements: 6th - 12th grade

1. What did John the Baptist say about Jesus? ("I baptize you with water, but there is one coming after me who is more powerful. He will baptize you in the Holy Spirit and with fire. I am not fit to untie his sandals.") [Matt 3:11](#)
2. What miracle occurred at the Wedding at Cana? (Jesus turned water into wine.) [John 2:9](#)
3. What did Mary say to the servants? ("Do whatever He tells you.") [John 2:5](#)
4. Jesus taught about His Kingdom by telling parables. Read Matthew 13 and discuss the following: (How is the Kingdom of God like a sower sowing seed? [Matt 13:4-9](#) like a farmer who sowed good seed in his field? [Matt 13:18-23](#) like a mustard seed? [Matt 13:31-32](#) like a merchant in search of fine pearls? [Matt 13:45-46](#) like a dragnet thrown into the sea? [Matt 13:47-50](#))
5. What did Jesus tell His apostles about entering the Kingdom of God? ("Unless you change and become like little children you will not enter the Kingdom of God") [Matt 18:3-4](#)
6. Who were the three disciples who accompanied Jesus up on the mountain? (Peter, James and John) [Luke 9:28](#); [Mark 9:2](#)
7. Why did Peter offer to set up three tents? (He was so happy that Jesus, Moses and Elijah were there, he offered to put up a separate tent for each of them.) [Mark 9:5-6](#) (the reader must draw a conclusion from the text that is not overtly stated.)
8. Fill in the blanks: "He who feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood has life eternal and I will raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. [John 6:52-55](#)
9. How did some of Jesus' followers respond to this teaching? (They broke away and would not remain in His company any longer.) [John 6:66](#)
10. How did Peter respond to Jesus' question, "Do you want to leave me too?" (Peter said, "Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life." [John 6:68](#))

Answers for Luminous Mystery

Requirements: Adults

1. Who was the "voice" crying out in the desert? (John the Baptist) [Matt 3:1-3](#)
2. The Trinity manifested itself at the Baptism of Jesus. Explain. (Jesus was present bodily, the Holy Spirit appeared in the form of a dove, and the Father spoke in a voice from heaven.) [Matt 3:16-17](#)
3. What was the miracle at Cana? (Jesus turned water into wine.) [John 2:1-12](#)
4. Name the two greatest commandments. (Love God with your whole heart and love your neighbor as yourself.) [Luke 10:27](#)
5. According to Matthew 18:3-4, what must we do to enter the Kingdom of God? ("Unless you change and become like little children you will not enter the Kingdom of God") [Matt 18:3-4](#)
6. What are the Eight Beatitudes? (The opening words of Jesus' first public teaching offers eight ways a believer can be "blest" or find happiness: by being poor in spirit; by accepting sorrow; by being poor and lowly; by hungering and thirsting for holiness; by showing mercy; by being single-hearted; by undergoing persecution. These are distinctly Christian values, and as such, were a new teaching for His Jewish listeners.) Declaration of "Blessedness" from the Sermon on the Mount, [Matt 5:3-12](#))
7. How did Jesus look when He was transfigured? (His face became as dazzling as the sun and His clothes became as radiant as light.) [Mark 9:2](#)
8. Name the three disciples Jesus chose to witness the Transfiguration. (Peter, James, John) [Mark 9:2](#)
9. In addition to the Holy Eucharist, what other sacrament was instituted at the Last Supper? (The priesthood) [Mark 14:22-26](#)
10. From whom does St. Paul say he received the teaching on the Lord's Supper? (From the Lord, Jesus.) [1 Corinthians 11:23-26](#)
11. Mentor one or more young persons to achieve the Luminous Mysteries Patch.