



# *Our Lady of the Rosary*

FAMILY CATECHISM

## LESSON 4: ON CREATION



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### Activity 1: Verbal repetition

Repeat orally the questions and answers from the Baltimore Catechism.

32. Q. **Who created Heaven and earth, and all things?** A. God created Heaven and earth, and all things.

33. Q. **How did God create Heaven and earth?** A. God created Heaven and earth from nothing, by His word only; that is, by a single act of His all-powerful will.

34. Q. **Which are the chief creatures of God?** A. The chief creatures of God are angels and men.

35. Q. **What are angels?** A. Angels are pure spirits without a body, created to adore and enjoy God in Heaven.

36. Q. **Were the angels created for any other purpose?** A. The angels were also created to assist before the throne of God and to minister unto Him; they have often been sent as messengers from God to man; and are also appointed our guardians.

37. Q. **Were the angels, as God created them, good and happy?** A. The angels as God created them were good and happy.

38. Q. **Did all the angels remain good and happy?** A. All the angels did not remain good and happy; many of them sinned and were cast into Hell; and these are called devils or bad angels.

### Activity 2: Prayer

Memorise and pray the Guardian Angel prayer.

You can pray this prayer each morning as part of your morning prayers.

Angel of God, my guardian dear,  
to whom His love commits me here,  
ever this day be at my side,  
to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen.



### Activity 3: Project

Find a beautiful picture of a guardian angel and frame it, and then place the picture at the head of your bed.

This will help to remind you to pray the Guardian Angel prayer each morning.

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Activity 4: Fill in the gaps to the questions and answers that you have memorised in Activity 1.

Can you do this from memory?

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and earth, and all \_\_\_\_\_.

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#### Activity 5: Artwork

God created Heaven and earth, and all things. Draw, colour or paint a beautiful picture of creation.



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### The Nine Choirs of



#### Activity 6: Word search

##### Words

1. HEAVEN
2. EARTH
3. CREATED
4. CHIEF
5. CREATURES
6. ANGELS
7. MEN
8. PURE
9. SPIRITS
10. DEVILS

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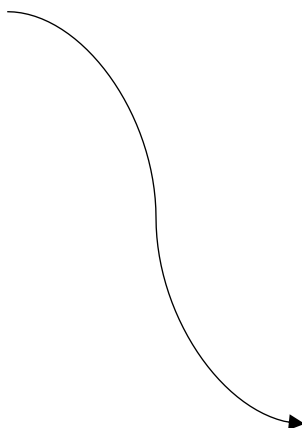
### Activity 7: Match the questions and answers

Use an arrow to join up the questions with their corresponding answer.

Once you have done this, cut out the questions and answers and stick them together to make **FLASH CARDS**.

Alternatively, you may wish to use them to play **MEMORY PAIRS**.

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