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Chosen Session 3 – Due September 21

Opening Prayer

God, I still have so much to learn about you, myself, my world. I know I don't say it enough, but "thank you" for all that you've done in my life so far and for all that I get to have and experience because of you. Even though at times it feels like you are very distant, and I question why you would allow bad things to happen, I'm sure you are working in ways that I do not always see or understand. So, please help me to be more aware of the good things you are doing and how I fit into your eternal "story" here and now. Amen.

- Read page 16
- Watch Lesson 3, Segment 1: Creation and the Fall
 - Answer the following
 1. The Blessed Trinity is one God in three divine persons: God the Father, God the _____ and God the _____.
 2. God created Adam and Eve in his _____ and likeness.
 3. What is your favorite movie?
 4. What makes your favorite movies story good?
 5. Pretend I have never heard of Christianity. How would you explain the story line?
- Watch Lesson 3, Segment 2
 - Answer the following
 6. Unlike Eve, who disobeyed God, _____ said "yes" to God's plan. By her obedience, she became the "New Eve"
 7. Jesus revealed to us the awesome truth that God is _____.
 8. Although Eve and Mary are both pivotal women in salvation history, they are very different in the way the trust in God. Write about those differences and how each woman strikes you.
 9. What does it mean to you to hear the phrase, "God is love"?
 10. Did it mean something different to you when you were younger?

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- Watch Lesson 3, Segment 3
 - Answer the following
 11. The Church is both human and _____.
 12. _____ are men and women the Church recognizes for their heroic virtue. They are witnesses, intercessors, and examples of faith.
 13. What are some things that make salvation history a good story?
 14. What elements of the plot are engaging, redeeming, heroic, inspiring or hopeful?
 15. How does the story of salvation history impact the story of your own life?
 16. Share something about your favorite saint.
- Read pages 18 and 19
 17. In the story, Father Schmitz talks about how interesting and exciting his uncle was and how that made him want to get to know his uncle even better. Has that ever happened to you? Have you ever met someone who seemed particularly interesting, making you want to get to know the person better? Write about it.
 18. How do you think a person can get to know God better?
- Read page 20
 19. What did you learn new about St. Francis deSales?
 20. Complete challenge 3 (Choose a saint to research) on page 21. Write a summary of what you learned about the saint.
- Read page 22-24
- Discuss with your family what you learned this week. Write a summary of the discussion.