

God Saves, Chapter 8: Living the Paschal Mystery

Textbook Video Supplements

Mike Hopkins' Full Speech at the 2024 National Eucharistic Congress

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tZ1EmAdrhg0>

Ch. 8 › Introduction (The Gift of the Good News) › Introduction

Astronaut Colonel Mike Hopkins delivers a testimony about his conversion and bringing Jesus in the Eucharist to space.

1. *Who does God say that you are?*
2. *How does this compare with what you say to yourself about who you are?*
3. *Do you live according to God's vision of who you are?*
4. *Where does God call you to bring him? What are those places?*

50 Reasons I Love Being Catholic

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lu00w9_-98s

Ch. 8 › Introduction (The Gift of the Good News)

Fr. Casey Cole describes 50 reasons he loves being Catholic.

1. *What does "catholic" actually mean? Why is this so important to our understanding of faith?*
2. *What do you love about being Catholic? Why?*
3. *What are some ways that you think your relationship with the Church can be deepened?*

Thousands gathered for massive Eucharistic Procession on the streets of Indianapolis

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=79UIBRvggyM>

Ch. 8 › Section 1 (Your Participation in the Paschal Mystery) › Foretaste of the Heavenly Liturgy

EWTN recaps Eucharistic procession in Indianapolis.

1. *What struck you most about this huge public Eucharistic procession? Why?*
2. *Why is it important for Catholics to share their faith?*
3. *How is joy important to evangelization?*

Angela Faddis Funeral Homily by Fr John Parks

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XV3rW3n9l9M>

Ch. 8 › Section 2 (The Necessity of Baptism for Salvation) › Buried with Christ

Funeral homily that discusses being baptized, dying, and rising with Christ.

1. *Why do you think the liturgical color for Catholic funerals is white or gold-the same as for Easter?*
2. *How are you living in a way that prepares you for eternal life?*

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Death, and Final Victory

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uddZERZ2EEw>

Ch. 8 › Section 3 (The Last Things: Christian Death and the Resurrection of the Body)

Chris Stefanick discusses death.

1. *How can a holy death be considered a “victory”?*
2. *How is living with an eye on death and eternity different from being sad or depressed?*
3. *Why do you think the early Christians often greeted each other, “Memento mori” (“Remember your death”)?*

4 Lies About Evangelization | SEEK24 Keynote: The Need for the Gospel | Chris Stefanick

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pj0aqSSuuOQ>

Ch. 8 › Section 4 (Our Mission Is Building God’s Kingdom) › 4. Radically Commit to Christ and His Church

Chris Stefanick discusses evangelization.

1. *What do you think are some common obstacles to evangelization?*
2. *How can you live out the call “to make disciples of all nations” in small ways every day?*
3. *Have you ever shared your faith with someone else? How so? What made you want to share, and how did it go?*