









FOLLOWERS – LESSON PLAN

Age	Term	Mod.	Module Theme	Module Title	Lesson Title and Number
10	1	1	FAITH	NEW COVENANT	36: The Ever-Virgin Mary the Theotokos.

Use the syllabus framework to complete above. Infants: 20 minutes; Juniors: 30 minutes; Middles & Seniors: 45 minutes
(Mod. = Module Number, Module Theme - in the heading, Module Title - uppercase in the cell, Lesson Title - lowercase in the cell)

							
Verbal V <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Logical L <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Spatial S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kinaesthetic K <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Musical M	Intra - personal P1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Inter - personal P2	Natural N

Tick the appropriate box(es) above [copy this:] for the modes of learning being used in this session.

Prayer and Starter: The Lord's Prayer. (2 minutes)

Learning objectives: To know how the good news of the birth of Christ were delivered to Theotokos.

Icebreaker: Ask children if they know the names of any angels and what is their role in God's heavenly army.

(5 minutes)

Core Activities and Learning

Prepare the following visual aids:

- Bring two wings for a child to put on and play the part of an angel.
- Choose a girl to play the part of the Virgin and a boy for the role of the Angel.
- Another child can be the narrator of the following story from the children's Bible, while the other two re-enact the scene of the visit of the Angel Gabriel to Theotokos.

One day the virgin saw a bright light around her. Suddenly, a beautiful Angel called Gabriel appeared to her. He said to her "Hail to you, highly favoured one, the Lord is with you". St. Mary was surprised and was wondering that she is looking at an angel. The angel Gabriel comforted her and told her that he is bringing a great message and good news. Then he told her that she is going to carry the baby Jesus Christ in her belly for nine months. He said that the Holy Spirit is going to fill her and she is going to be the Mother of God because of her simplicity and meekness. The Virgin believed the words of the angel and said: "I am the Lord's handmaid". This means I am the Lord's servant. The Virgin rejoiced, knelt down in worship, and thanked the Lord. The angel also told her that her relative Elizabeth is also pregnant and has been carrying the baby John in her belly for six months. (20 minutes)

Resources / Review / Follow Up

Bible: Luke 1:26-38

Review: Theotokos was happy to hear the news of the baby Jesus and that she is going to be the mother of God. We also are happy that Jesus came to earth and was like us. (2 minutes)

Follow up: Next week ask children to tell you how Ever Virgin Mary accepted the news of the birth of Jesus Christ.