



**Future-proofing
our children**

Confirmation 2

Lesson Title: The New Apostolic Christian

A Parent's Guide
Sunday School Home Schooling



Dear Parent

Welcome to the **New Apostolic Christian Confirmation 2** lesson.

This document provides you with a minimum guide on how to present the lesson.

How to prepare and present the lesson

Below are some tips on how to go about preparing and presenting the lesson:

Step	Action
1	Access the New Apostolic Church Website by keying-in or clicking on the following link from WhatsApp: https://bit.ly/3NACSSH5
2	Gather the following tools to ensure that you are ready for the lesson: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible • The lesson in PDF format that is already prepared • Child's workbook and a pen, etc. • The Video Clip which is an additional/ optional resource tool • Catechism and Questions and Answers (especially for Confirmation) <p>Note:</p> <p>2.1: An ideal time preferably to present the lesson is after the Sunday morning service in line with the normal Sunday School time to maintain the routine.</p> <p>2.2: Please keep the lesson as concise (brief) as possible, bearing in mind the attention span (to focus on the lesson) of our children - you know your child best! <i>Sunday School normally does not exceed 45 minutes.</i></p> <p>2.3: The lesson is class specific (Confirmation 2).</p> <p>2.4: Please contact your Confirmation Teacher if you need any assistance or if you need any of the above resources.</p>
3	Pray (see the prayer at the end of this document) and ask God to use you as a tool to present the lesson the way He would want us to present it.



Present a Confirmation Lesson at Home

How to prepare and present the lesson

We continue to share some tips on how to go about preparing and presenting the lesson:

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4	Create a pleasant, disturbance free learning environment where you and the child/ren are at the same level. Example: Sit around a table.
5	Read through the lesson. Re-read the lesson so that you understand it. Watch the video-clip of the lesson to get a better understanding of the lesson.
6	Make notes for yourself on important points that you would like to remember.
7	Understand the objective of the lesson that your child must remember.
8	Present the lesson to your child.
9	Show your child the video and recap on the meaning.
10	Refer your child to the activity in the child's workbook (I Also Want To.....)
11	Pray, or ask your child to pray and close the lesson.

Available tools in terms of Home Schooling

Herewith some tools to enhance the quality of the lesson:

1. WhatsApp chat the lesson with another Sunday school family.
2. Discuss the lesson with other parents to obtain clarity regarding the lesson before it is presented.
3. Feel free to conduct (do) your own research for additional (extra) information.



The Lesson

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The New Apostolic Christian

Lesson Objective

The objective of this lesson is that we profess our New Apostolic faith.

Bible verses: Matthew 26: 33-35 and 69-75;
Matthew 10:32; Romans 1:16

Lesson Summary:

- We must profess our faith at any opportunity that is presented to us.
- Some of the reactions of people to us professing our faith may be positive but some may be negative.
- What is necessary for us to profess our faith?
 - Confidence and conviction.
 - Trust in God.
 - Love for God's work.
 - The courage to profess our faith.
 - The readiness to be misjudged or even laughed at.
- Openly professing our faith is not always an easy task.
- The professing of our faith should not only be lip service.
- Only when we live in a manner that is befitting to our faith do we truly profess our faith.
- We want to become like Jesus.
- We want to have the same approach as Apostle Paul.
- He said, "For, I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ..."
- We, New Apostolic Christians, should tell our fellow human beings about our believe that Jesus Christ will return and that the Apostles of today prepare us for this event.
- We must fulfill the commandment to love our neighbour by also talking to them about our belief in the return of Christ.
- We have the commission and responsibility to talk to our fellow human beings about our faith.



What does this lesson mean for us today?

- We, as New Apostolic Christians, must profess our faith, even when it is not always accepted or appreciated by everyone.
- We must create opportunities to talk about our faith.
- We must tell our fellow human beings about our believe in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
- We must tell them that we believe in the return of our Redeemer, Jesus Christ; that He will fetch us to be with Him in the Kingdom of our Heavenly Father.
- We should profess our faith in word and deed.

Some questions that we can ask:

1. What is necessary for us to profess our faith?

Answer: • *Confidence and conviction; Trust in God; Love for God's work; The courage to profess our faith; The readiness to be misjudged or even laughed at.*

2. When must we profess our faith?

Answer: *At every opportunity we get, even if it is not accepted or appreciated.*

3. What can we tell our fellow human beings about our faith?

Answer: *We believe in the gospel of Jesus Christ. We believe in the return of Jesus Christ. The Apostles prepare us for the return of Jesus. Note to parents: Your child will be able to provide much more examples of what they can profess about their faith. Only a few examples are provided here.*





A Prayer for Daddy and Mommy to pray before the lesson:

Dear God, thank you for this day

Bless all parents and children

May we feel your presence

Bless the lesson we will have

Please teach us how to serve you

And help us to do your will

So that we grow closer to you

Send Jesus to fetch us

And may we be ready to meet Him

Amen

 Notes