

# STUDY GUIDE

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### BISHOP

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1. According to Bishop Dale J. Melczek, what did those gathered at Holy Angels Cathedral for the Chrism Mass celebrate?
2. What is a prophet? Who fulfilled the prophesy of Isaiah?
3. How does Jesus continue his earthly ministry?
4. What two sacraments were instituted on Holy Thursday by Jesus?
5. What are the names of the two sacred oils blessed by our bishop at the Chrism Mass? What sacraments use these oils?
6. Which oil is consecrated by the bishop? What sacraments use this oil?
7. Where does Chrism get its name and what does it mean?

### EXCESSIVE

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1. What three religious observances of different faiths fell during this past Holy Week?
2. What is the name of the site of Jesus' crucifixion?
3. What marks the spot where the cross of Jesus stood?
4. What is the Stone of Unction? Ask your teachers what "unction" means.
5. What frustrated local Palestinian Christians and why?
6. What is the "Orthodox Holy Fire?"

### STUDENTS

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1. What Jewish and Christian traditions were combined for this Seder Meal?
2. What religion did Jesus observe?
3. What does the word "seder" mean?
4. What did the washing of hands symbolize?
5. Read Exodus 12:21-27 out loud in class. For Christians, who became the Sacrificial Lamb?

### POPE

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1. According to Pope Benedict XVI, what would life be without Christ's sacrifice on the cross and resurrection?
2. What does "urbi et orbi" mean?
3. How does the pope tell us we can be freed from sin?
4. Where did Pope Benedict celebrate his Easter morning Mass?
5. What did the pope say baptism marks?
6. What are the new "garments" we put on after baptism?
7. Talk about the phrase "culture of death." What does it mean and how does it affect society?