

My Journey with God

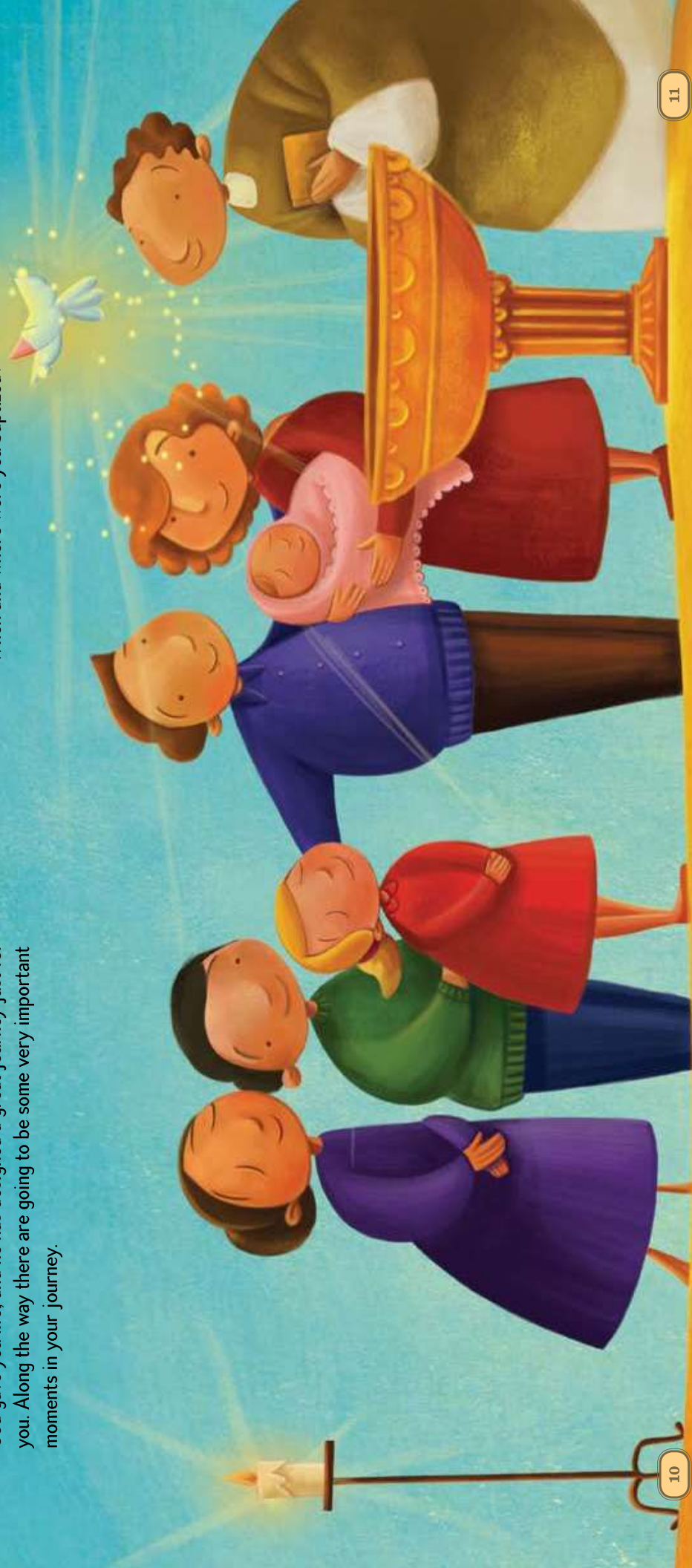
We are all children of God. This makes us all much more alike than we are different. Too often we focus on our differences rather than remembering that we are all brothers and sisters, that we are all children of the same great King.

God gave you life, and he has designed a great journey just for you. Along the way there are going to be some very important moments in your journey.

Baptism

First, there was your Baptism, which was the beginning of your new life in Jesus. This is when you became a member of his Church and joined the largest and most famous family in the world, the Catholic Church.

When and where were you baptized?



First Reconciliation

Now, you are preparing for your First Reconciliation. We all mess up from time to time. We all do things that offend God and place obstacles between him and us. When we get separated from God we become unhappy. Reconciliation removes these obstacles and fills our hearts and souls with joy again.

When will you receive the blessing of your First Reconciliation?
I will receive my First Reconciliation on...

First Communion

Before too long, the blessing of Reconciliation will prepare you for your First Communion. Receiving Jesus in the Eucharist is one of the greatest blessings of our lives.

When will you receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time?
I will receive my First Communion on...

Confirmation

When you are a little older, you will be blessed again when you receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation reminds us that in Baptism, God blessed us with a special mission and filled us with the Holy Spirit. It reminds us of these incredible blessings and gives us the courage and wisdom to live out the mission God has given us.



Marriage

Later in life, God may bless you again with Marriage or Holy Orders. In the Sacrament of Marriage, God brings a man and woman together to cherish each other, to live a holy life together, and to help each other become the-best-version-of-themselves, grow in virtue, and get to heaven.

Holy Orders

God calls some people to become priests, deacons, and bishops through the Sacrament of Holy Orders.

Anointing Of The Sick

If along your journey you get sick and need God's healing for body, mind, or spirit, you will be blessed with the Anointing of the Sick.

You are on a great journey with God. Along the way you will experience these great Catholic Moments, which we call the Seven Sacraments. Each of these Moments is a blessing. They are all connected. These great Moments are designed by God to help you live a good life here on earth, and they prepare you to live with God in heaven forever.

You are blessed.

