

THE BIBLE and the CHURCH FATHERS

Lesson 12: Living the Mysteries

Profiles of the Early Church: St. Justin Martyr

Themes Covered

- White Martyrdom
- Sons and Daughters of the Father
- Temples of Sacrifice
- Heirs with Christ
- Living eucharistic lives
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Scripture in this lesson

- Luke 9:23
- John 15:18-20
- 2 Peter 1:3-4
- Romans 12-1
- Wisdom 12:1
- Wisdom 3:1,.5-7

Review Questions

1. What is the difference between red and white martyrdom?
2. What makes martyrdom like the Mass?
3. What is the importance of self-gift?

Table Discussion Questions

1. Is there anything in this lesson that you have just heard for the first time?
2. How can we live out martyrdom in our daily lives?
3. What can you tell others about what you have learned in this study?

Memory Verse for this lesson: Romans 12:1

I urge you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God, your spiritual worship.