WHAT IS CATECHESIS

1. “Catechesis is a moment in the process of Evangelization.” (CCC)

2. Catechesis is a lifelong process for the individual and a constant and concerted pastoral activity of the Christian community. (NCD, #32)

3. The definitive aim of catechesis is to put people not only in touch, but also in communion and intimacy with Jesus Christ. (GDC # 80)

4. Catechesis is an education in the faith of children, young people, and adults which includes especially the teaching of Christian doctrine imparted, generally speaking, in an organic and systematic way, with a view of initiating the hearers into the fullness of Christian life. (CCC, #5)