

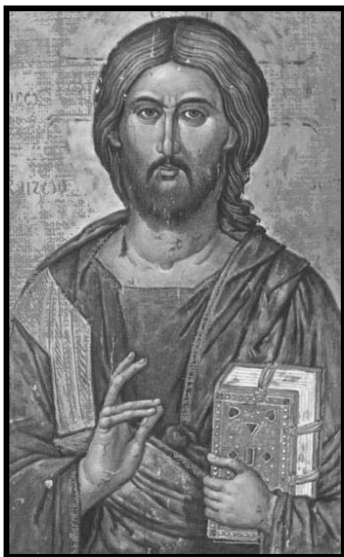
**Diocese of Nashville  
Catechetical Formation Program**

**CATECHIST ORIENTATION**

*We welcome all teachers of our Catholic faith.  
Parish Catechists, Catholic School Teachers, Ministry Leaders  
and other interested adults!*

**Saturday, December 5, 2009  
Aquinas College  
4210 Harding Pike, Nashville, TN 37205**

8:00	Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
8:45	Introduction
9:15 – 10:15	Session I: <i>“Historical Perspective &amp; Spirituality of the Catechist”</i>
10:15 – 10:30	Break
10:30 – 11:30	Session II: <i>“Catechetical Process”</i>
11:30 – 11:45	Break
11:45 – 12:15	Session III: <i>“Basic Program Components &amp; Requirements”</i>



“In catechesis ... it is Christ alone who teaches - anyone else teaches to the extent that he is Christ's spokesman, enabling Christ to teach with his lips ... Every catechist should be able to apply to himself the mysterious words of Jesus: “My teaching is not mine, but his who sent me.”

- John Paul II, *Catechesi Tradendae*