**The Sacramentals: Embracing God Through Creation**

1. Identify two ways Catholics are sacramental people:

a)

b)

1. According to our Church’s sacramental vision, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the human \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is provided through material means: earthly signs and nature’s gifts.
2. True or false: any action, object, or prayer that draws us to God can be considered a sacramental.
3. What are sacramental?
4. True or false: the Church has said that sacramental can be used in a superstitious manner as long as one is careful.
5. What are the three categories of sacramental?

1)

2)

3)

1. What is one of the most ancient sacred actions in our Church?
2. What are some other sacred actions in our Church? Explain.
3. A blessing is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ceremony in which we seek God’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_ for persons, activities, particular needs or things.
4. How have blessings changed from the past?
5. Examples of when blessings are done:
6. Explain the symbolic meaning (significance) of the following objects:

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

f)

1. Examples of objects used for personal devotions:
2. Whenever we make reverent use of this rich \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and of the gifts of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, we open ourselves to the touch of \_\_\_\_\_ in our lives.