

Abstrakt

The thesis "*Theme of catechesis with regard to the development and maturation of children and youth*" deals with the psychological and spiritual development and maturation of children and teenagers. The thesis clarifies basic terminology with regard to psychological and catechistic spheres and describes the fundamental stages of development. It attempts to apply the knowledge gained from literature on specific principles of selection of topics of catechesis. Furthermore, it applies the principles in confrontation with the topics of Curricula for religious education of the Roman Catholic Church for the first to ninth years of elementary schools.