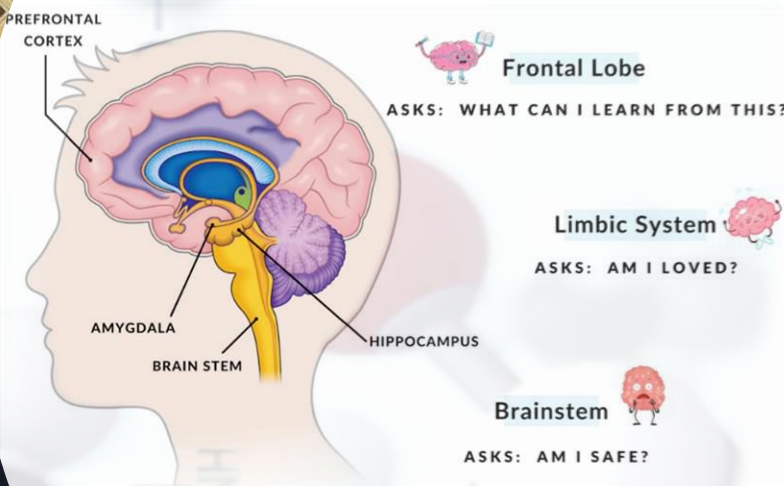
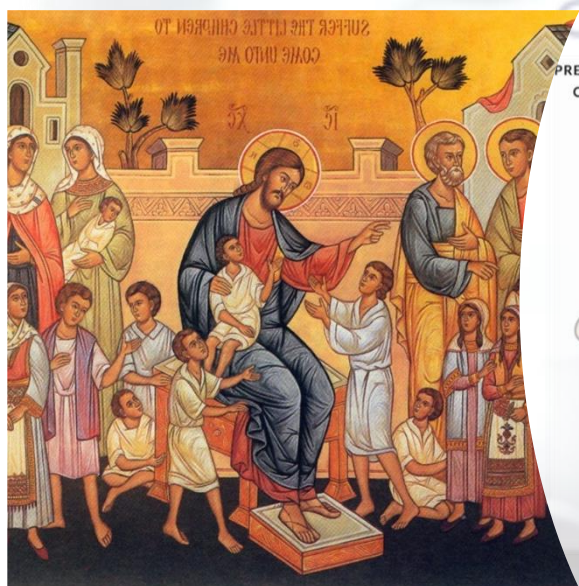


Mind and Soul: The Science of Relational Faith Formation

Integrating Neuroscience and Catholic Theology in a Relational Paradigm for Faith Formation



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Main Points:

The Ultimate Goal of Faith Formation is proper and eternal _____.

Proper _____ is essential to proper relationships.

Because of _____, distortion of _____ led to distortion in all _____.

Jesus Restores! _____ is aimed at restoring proper _____ and _____.



Nurture Capacity for Receiving Love

Formation is always _____.

Relationships are highly _____.

Relationships form our capacity to receive _____ and make our free _____.



Grow Capacity for Making a Free Gift of Self

Our identity is formed in _____.

Sometimes our _____ in Faith Formation do not align with our _____.



How others relate to me
Forms Identity: I Am LOVED

A Framework for Relationships



FOUNDATION
You Are **Safe** with me

CONNECT
You Are **Loved** no matter what

COACH
You Are **Called & Capable**

CORRECT
You Are **Responsible** for Your Actions

Applying the Framework



Describe Person/Situation:

Choices with Consequences?

Natural impacts, ideas to make it right, and free invitation to common good.

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR ACTIONS.

CORRECT

Key **gifts to affirm** (ABC): **Skills & Wisdom** to focus on and how to teach:

YOU ARE CALLED AND CAPABLE.

COACH

Ideas for **empathy** and understanding:

Ideas for enjoying and **delighting in**:

YOU ARE LOVED NO MATTER WHAT.

CONNECT

Toxic Ideas about myself and them?
Grace-Filled Truths

How can I help them feel **Safe with me?**
(Slow, Low, Listen?)

YOU ARE SAFE WITH ME.

FOUNDATION