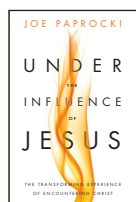


# HOW TO BE A MORE EVANGELIZING CATECHIST

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The Apostles had such persuasive power that they successfully “recruited” 3,000 followers on day one! (Acts of the Apostles 2:41) Look at nine specific strategies for facilitating faith formation in a more evangelizing (transformative) way. These nine strategies are at the heart of the amazingly effective *kerygma*—the first proclamation of the Gospel by the Apostles.

- 01 Proclaim an alternate reality to our brokenness.
- 02 Introduce Jesus as Savior.
- 03 Proclaim Jesus’ mighty deeds.
- 04 Don’t avoid the Cross.
- 05 Proclaim that Jesus is alive!
- 06 Invite, invite, invite!
- 07 Touch the heart.
- 08 Build and deepen commitment.
- 09 Mentor apprentices.



For details on all of these strategies, read the “How to Be a More Evangelizing Catechist” series at [CatechistsJourney.com](http://CatechistsJourney.com). Go deeper with these ideas by reading *Under the Influence of Jesus: The Transforming Experience of Encountering Christ*.