

Finding God

Our Response to God's Gifts

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RELIGION: Grade K			Finding God	Finding God
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...			Student Edition	Teacher Edition
K.1.1	OT, NT	Students will state that God is the creator of the world and He made all things because He loves us. <i>Nicene Creed, Apostle's Creed, 10 Commandments, Creation stories from Genesis, CCC 198, 280, 338, 339</i>	3-8, 9-14, 15, 194,	3-8, 9-14, 15, 257, 306, 307
K.1.2	OT, NT	Students will state that Jesus helps us to know God's love and that He teaches us to call God our Father. <i>Infancy narratives Luke and Matthew, Creation story from Genesis, Luke 11:1-13, CCC 218-221, 733, 1604</i>	9-14	9A-14
K.1.3	OT, NT	Students will identify the Bible as a special Book, about God's love for us, about Jesus, because it is the Word of God. <i>Copies of the Bible in classroom, 10 Commandments, Genesis chapter 1 and 2, John 1:1-14, CCC 102-105, 134-135, 141, 702</i>	5,55, 183	5,55, 183
K.1.4	OT, NT	Students will tell some stories from the Old Testament that show God's love for creation as shown through His promises. <i>Genesis, Exodus, Prophets, 1 and 2 Samuel, Adam and Eve, Noah, Abraham, Moses, Joseph, Jonah, David, CCC 235, 358</i>	9-20	9-20
K.1.5	NT	Students will identify Jesus as the Son of God and that He is a good friend full of love. <i>Infancy narratives of Matthew and Luke, Parables, Miracles, Passion, Resurrection, CCC 443, 464-469, 714</i>	21-26	21-26
K.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Holy Spirit as the Person of God who lives within us and helps us to do what God asks us to do. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Holy Trinity, Sign of the Cross, CCC 684, 687, 703, 732</i>	75-80, 173-174, 176, 190, 211	75-80, 173-174, 176, 190, 211
K.1.7	OT, CH	Students will tell the story of God entrusted creation to humans. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, Laudate Si, Stewardship, CCC 2415-2418, 2427</i>	10, 15-20	10, 15-20
K.1.8	NT	Students will recognize the Holy Family and that Mary and Joseph were Jesus' parents on earth. <i>Infancy narratives Matthew and Luke, Pictures of Holy Family, CCC 525, 533, 1655</i>	41, 43, 89, 210	41, 43, 89, 210
K.1.9	NT	Students will show respect for God's gifts and care for the environment. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Laudato Si, Stewardship, CCC 337-344</i>	4-5, 9-14, 194, 209	4-5, 9-14, 194, 209
K.1.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will state we are created out of love by God, to show love, and to be loved. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, John 3:16, 1 John 4:7-21, The Great Commandment, CCC 198, 278, 337-344, 358, 1359</i>	11, 43, 193-194, 212,	11, 43, 193-194, 212,
K.1.11	NT	Students will retell age-appropriate parables told by Jesus as well as the story of Jesus blessing the children. <i>The 4 Gospels, Mustard Seed, Prodigal Son, Talents, Lost Sheep Sowing the Seed, Matthew 19:13-14, Mark 10:13-16, Luke 18:15-17, CCC 546, 605, 633, 1021, 1439, 2707</i>	48	48,
K.1.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will state that the people of the Church are God's family, and He loves us all. <i>The Mass, the parish, the school, CCC 1, 198</i>	129-134, 317	129-134, 317
K.1.13	NT, CH	Students will identify Mary as the mother of Jesus, the mother of God, and our Mother. <i>Infancy narratives of Matthew and Luke, Immaculate Conception, Nicene Creed, CCC 411, 466, 484, 490, 495, 963</i>	31-38, 41, 43, 58, 89, 155, 212	31-38, 41, 43, 58, 89, 155, 212
K.1.14	NT, CH	Students will identify saints as models of Christian living and our friends and helpers. <i>St. Patrick, St. Nicholas, St. Joseph, St. Valentine, Patron of school or parish, etc., CCC 686, 1717, 2156, 2683-2684</i>	47, 177-180	47, 177-180
K.1.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify angels as special messengers and special protectors created by God, and that each person has their own guardian angel. <i>Archangels Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, Annunciation, Mary, Joseph, Satan, healing of the blind Tobit, CCC 326, 332-333, 336, 1023</i>	34-38, 88, 208	34-38, 88, 208
K.1.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will express that creation is a gift from God who is loving. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Laudato Se, CCC 301, 337-349, 356, TOB 13:2-3</i>	4-5, 9-14, 194, 209	4-5, 9-14, 194, 209
K.1.17	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that it is unique to human beings to care for creation. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Laudato Si, Stewardship, CCC 307, 373, TOB 6:4</i>	4-5, 9-14, 193-194, 209	4-5, 9-14, 193-194, 209
K.1.18	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the human person has a special relationship with God in comparison to animals. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 356, 358, 380, TOB 5-6</i>	10, 17, 193-194	10, 17, 193-194
K.1.19	NT, CH	Students will compare the special dignity of man's work to the activity of animals. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 307, 342-343, 378, TOB 5:4</i>	193-194	193-194
K.1.20	OT, NT, CH	Students will express how human beings form a community of love that images the communion of the Holy Trinity. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Holy Trinity, Three persons one God, CCC 299, 343, 355-357, TOB 5-7, 9:2-3, 19:1</i>	77-78, 168, 210, 214	77-78, 168, 210, 214
K.1.21	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we as human beings are lovable. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1604, 2011, 2196</i>	11, 43, 212	11, 43, 212

STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
K.2.1	NT	Students state that through Baptism we become children of God and members of the Church. <i>Sacrament of Baptism, Sign of the Cross, Holy Water, Holy Chrism, Candle, Light, White garment, CCC 405, 790, 1537, 1272-1274, 1280, 1997</i>	76, 100, 106-107, 190, 208	76, 100, 106-107, 190, 208
K.2.2	NT	Students will state that the Eucharist is a special meal where we receive Jesus into our body and soul. <i>Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, Bread and Wine, Mass, CCC 1113, 1210, 1328-1332</i>	100, 113, 190, 209	100, 113, 190, 209
K.2.3	NT, CH	Students will state that Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter, and Ordinary Time are important seasons of the Liturgical Year. <i>The Liturgical Year, Calendar, Ashes, Vestments, Green, Violet, Red, White, Black, Gold, or Silver (permitted on more solemn occasions) CCC 1163-1178</i>	(Year) 151 (A) 57-60, 152-156, 208, (C) 87-90, 157-160, 209 (L) 117-120, 152, 161-165, 211 (E) 147-150, 152, 169-172, 209 (O) 27-30, 152, 212	(Year) 151 (A) 57-60, 152-156, 208, (C) 87-90, 157-160, 209 (L) 117-120, 152, 161-165, 211 (E) 147-150, 152, 169-172, 209 (O) 27-30, 152, 212
K.2.4	NT, CH	Students will identify Palm Sunday as the day that Jesus entered Jerusalem and was treated as a king. <i>Holy Week, The Passion Narratives, Palms, John 12:12-13, Matthew 21:1-11, CCC 557-560</i>	167	167
K.2.5	NT, CH	Students will identify Holy Thursday as the day that Jesus shared the Last Supper with the Apostles, washed their feet, and was betrayed. <i>Holy Week, The Triduum, The Passion Narratives, Passover, John 13:1-11, 21-30, 35-38, CCC 610-611, 612</i>	167	167
K.2.6	NT, CH	Students will identify Good Friday as the day that Jesus died on the cross for us. <i>Holy Week, The Triduum, The Passion Narratives, Passover, John 19:17-42, CCC 572, 574-575, 585, 601, 608, 623, 624-626, 627</i>	167	167
K.2.7	NT	Students will state that Easter, when Jesus rose from the dead, is a celebration of new life. <i>The Triduum, Resurrection, Easter Sunday, Sabbath, Sunday, New life in Christ, Baptism, CCC 638, 639, 640, 1169</i>	147-150, 152, 169-172, 209	147-150, 152, 169-172, 209
K.2.8	NT, CH	Students will demonstrate liturgical gestures. <i>The Sign of the Cross, kneeling, genuflecting, bowing, (sign of peace), CCC 1153-1157</i>	7, 184	7, 184
K.2.9	NT, CH	Students will state the meaning and proper use of liturgical words and responses. <i>Amen, Alleluia, And with your Spirit, Thanks be to God, Glory to you, O Lord, Praise to you Lord, Jesus Christ</i>	95, 98, 115	95, 98, 115
K.2.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we participate in the liturgy, Mass and we respect others during the liturgy. <i>Mass, Singing, Responding, Praying, Silence, CCC 1140-1141, 1153-1157</i>	95, 204-205	95, 204-205
K.2.11	NT, CH	Students will identify that bishops, priests, deacons, and religious serve God in a special way. <i>Vocations, Holy Orders, Pope, the other sacraments conferred by bishops, priests, and deacons, CCC 1536, 1543, 1548, 1562-1569, 1593</i>	65, 71, 101, 191, 205	65, 71, 101, 191, 205
K.2.12	NT, CH	Students will identify the church as a building that is a sacred place where we act appropriately. <i>Tour of church, objects in church, pictures of churches, Vatican, CCC 756</i>	64, 99-110, 190, 209	64, 99-110, 190, 209
K.2.13	NT, CH	Students will identify the parish as their Church community. <i>Diocese, Deanery, Parish, Church, Sacraments, Liturgy, Mass, CCC 2179</i>	65, 67, 213	65, 67, 213
K.2.14	NT, CH	Students will identify pastors/priests as leaders of parishes. <i>Priest, Ordination, Parish, Sacraments, Liturgy, Mass, CCC 771, 874-887, 914</i>	65, 67, 213	65, 67, 213
K.2.15	NT, CH	Students will recognize a sense of each person's helpful and loving purpose in his or her own family. <i>Sacrament of Matrimony, CCC 2203, 2214-2217, Vocation Lessons Kindergarten - Marriage</i>	129-134	129-134
K.2.16	NT, CH	Students will address a priest as "Father" and state a few things a priest does. <i>Sacrament of Holy Orders, Celebration of Mass, Confessor, Anointing, CCC 1548, 1554, 1567, Vocation Lessons Kindergarten - Priesthood</i>	65, 204-205	65, 204-205
K.2.17	NT, CH	Students will address a non-ordained consecrated religious person as "Brother" or "Sister" and to know a few things they do. <i>Vocation to religious life, CCC 916, 925-927, Vocation Lessons Kindergarten - Religious Life</i>	1-2 (Therese & Booklet) 121-122 (MdePorres & Booklet)	1-2 (Therese & Booklet) 121-122 (MdePorres & Booklet)
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
K.3.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will state that we are called to know, love, and serve God, to love others as ourselves, and to respect all of creation. <i>10 Commandments, Beatitudes, Golden Rule, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1-2, 299, 354, 2055, 2415-2418</i>	9-14	9-14
K.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will show respect for God's name. <i>10 Commandments, Our Father, The Great Commandment, CCC 246, 2161-2162</i>	127, 192	127, 192
K.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will express love and gratitude to God for life and God's gifts to us. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Mass, Holy Bible, Family, Friends, Thank God, Love God, Stewardship, CCC 1, 218-221, 385, 1604</i>	3-14,	3-14
K.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will demonstrate honesty, sharing, and respect for others in our family, school, parish and community. <i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, CCC 2056</i>	65-67, 82-85, 129-134	65-67, 82-85, 129-134
K.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will based on Jesus' teachings, show forgiveness to others and ask forgiveness from others.	135-140, 210	135-140, 210

		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, I'm sorry, I forgive you, CCC 1434, 1452, 1657</i>		
K.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the difference between right and wrong.	123-128, 136	123-128, 136
		<i>10 Commandments, Sharing, CCC 33, 1778-1782, 1783-1785</i>		
K.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that human dignity comes from being created and loved by God.	11, 14, 193,	11, 14, 193,
		<i>Personal value, worthy of respect, 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1, 339, 343, 355</i>		
K.3.8	NT, CH	Students will show concern for the poor, the hungry and the homeless.	81-86, 193-194	81-86, 193-194
		<i>Charitable actions, prayer, Matthew 25:31-46, Corporal Works of Mercy, CCC 1473, 1829, 2447</i>		
K.3.9	NT, CH	Students will recognize that people in our Church community serve God in many ways by using the gifts and talents that He has given us.	81-86	81-86
		<i>Parish, Diocese, Bishop, priest, deacon, religious, laity, Stewardship, CCC 1, 3, 1534-1535, 1546-1548</i>		
K.3.10	NT, CH	Students will explain the two great commandments that Jesus taught.	178, 192	178, 192
		<i>Love God above all else and love others as we love ourselves, Matthew 22:36-40, Mark 12:27-31, Luke 10:25-28, CCC 2055</i>		
K.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will state that life is a gift from God and that each person is created as a gift out of love.	9-14	9-14
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Infancy Narratives, 10 Commandments, CCC 1, 68, 2258, 2260</i>		
K.3.12	NT, CH	Students will describe the concept of Circle of Grace.	Growing with God Program	Growing with God Program
		<i>Safe Environment Lesson</i>		
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
K.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will define prayer as talking to and listening to God.	6, 94-95, 183	6, 94-95, 183
		<i>Praise God, Thank God, Love, God, Ask God, and Listen to God, CCC 2590-2597, 2628, 2629</i>		
K.4.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will demonstrate different ways to pray.	95-98, 183-189	95-98, 183-189
		<i>Individual prayer, communal prayer, singing, reading, Bible, silence, CCC 2626-2627, 2628, 2629, 2630, 2634-2636</i>		
K.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify praise and thanksgiving as forms of prayer.	94	94
		<i>Mass, Individual prayer, Psalms, Bible, CCC 2628, 2637-2638</i>		
K.4.4	NT, CH	Students will identify daily times to pray.	188-189	188-189
		<i>Morning, mealtime, night, anytime, before and after class</i>		
K.4.5	NT, CH	Students will recognize the following prayers.	184-189	184-189
		<i>Sign of the Cross, Prayer before and after meals, Hail Mary, Our Father, Glory Be, Bedtime prayer, Guardian Angel, Spontaneous, CCC 17, 2617-2619</i>		
K.4.6	NT, CH	Students will pray together as a class, school community, parish, family and church.	6-7, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 42, 48, 54, 66, 72, 78, 84, 96, 102, 108, 114, 126, 132, 138, 144, 183-189	6-7, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 42, 48, 54, 66, 72, 78, 84, 96, 102, 108, 114, 126, 132, 138, 144, 183-189
		<i>Mass, Sacraments, special times during the day, CCC 821, 2685, 2694, 2790-2793</i>		
K.4.7	NT, CH	Student will begin listening to the way that God calls us.	6, 183	6, 183
		<i>Prayer, Listening to God, CCC 1-3, 542-543, Vocation Lessons Kindergarten - God Calls</i>		
*	*	*Standards appearing in bold print constitute the entire grade-level list for parish catechetical programs. This reflects the distinction between annual hours of instruction in parish programs (30-35 hours) and Catholic elementary schools (60-108 hours).		

RELIGION: Grade 1			Finding God - Student Edition	Finding God - Teacher Edition
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
1.1.1	OT, NT	Students will explain that God the Father is the creator of the world and that we can see God in everything He has created.	4-7; 11, 16, 18-19, 268	4-7; 11, 16, 18-19, 268
		<i>Nicene Creed, The Apostles' Creed, 10 Commandments, Creation stories from Genesis, CCC 198, 280, 338, 339</i>		
1.1.2	OT, NT	Students will describe Jesus as sent by God to teach us about God the Father, so that we may know and responds to God's love for each person.	13	13
		<i>Infancy narratives Luke and Matthew, Creation story from Genesis, John 1:1-14, CCC 218-221, 733, 1604</i>		
1.1.3	NT	Students will explain that Jesus desires a personal relationship with each of us.	24-25	24-25
		<i>John 13:31-35, John 14:15-31, John 15:1-17, CCC 458, 459, 460</i>		
1.1.4	OT, NT	Students will tell the three persons in the Holy Trinity.	31,	31, 278
		<i>God the Father, Jesus, the only Son of God, and the Holy Spirit - 3 Persons, 1 God, 202, 232-234, 2205</i>		
1.1.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that God created all things in the world, and they are good, including humans, animals and nature.	4-6, 10-11, 18	4-6, 10-11, 18
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Nicene Creed, Laudato Si, Holy Trinity, Sign of the Cross, CCC 293-294, 315, 319, 354, 2415-2418</i>		
1.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify Jesus as the only Son of God, the Father, who invites us to call God, our Father.	13, 24	13, 24, 271
		<i>Nicene Creed, 10 Commandments, Holy Trinity, Sign of the Cross, Our Father, Mt. 6:9-13, CCC 202, 443, 464-469, 724</i>		
1.1.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Holy Spirit as the third person of the Trinity, who is God, who lives within us and helps us to do what God asks us to do.	30-31, 100-103	30-31, 100-103, 271
		<i>Nicene Creed, 10 Commandments, John 14:15-31, Spiritual Works of Mercy, CCC 684, 685, 687, 689, 703, 732</i>		
1.1.8	NT, CH	Students will describe Jesus as one who reaches out to all, showing special concern for the poor, the lowly, the weak and the suffering.	11, 131	11, 131, 264
		<i>Corporal Works of Mercy, The Beatitudes, Mt. 15:32-39, Mark 6:34-44, Healings of the sick and blind, CCC 517, 519, 520</i>		
1.1.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Bible as a special book of God's word that we treat respectfully.	22-23	22-23, 266
		<i>Copies of Bible, Genesis 1 and 2, John 1:1-14, 10 Commandments, Proclaiming the Word of God in Liturgies, CCC 102-105, 134-135, 141, 702</i>		
1.1.10	OT	Students will tell stories from the Old Testament and that show God's love for creation and his promises of love for all people.	1-8, (23, 242 OT)	1-8, (23, 242 OT)
		<i>Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, Tower of Babel, Noah, Isaac, Joseph, Moses, Egypt, 10 Commandments, Joshua and Jericho, David and Goliath, Daniel and the lion's den, Solomon, the Temple, CCC 235, 358</i>		
1.1.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the Old Testament as the time of God's promises before Jesus and recognize the New Testament is about the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus.	22-23,	22-23, 266
		<i>The Bible, Genesis, the four Gospels, CCC 103, 104, 124, 128-130</i>		
1.1.12	NT, CH	Students will recount the story of the birth of Jesus.	121-125,	121-125, 267
		<i>The Infancy Narratives, Mary, Joseph, Elizabeth, Zechariah, Gabriel, Holy Spirit, Annunciation, CCC 359, 522, 523, 525</i>		
1.1.13	NT	Students will recount the story of Jesus missing and being found in the Temple.	190	190
		<i>Luke 2:41-52, CCC 527-530</i>		
1.1.14	NT, CH	Students will recount some parables of Jesus and describe their meaning.	28, 112, 173, 181,	28, 112, 173, 181, 274
		<i>Good Samaritan, Prodigal Son, the Talents, Lost Sheep, CCC 546, 2607</i>		
1.1.15	NT	Students will recount the story of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem.	225	225
		<i>Palm Sunday, Holy Week, John 12:12-19, Matthew 21:1-11, Mark 11:1-11, Luke 19:28-40, CCC 559-560</i>		
1.1.16	NT	Students will identify Holy Thursday as the day that Jesus shared the Last Supper with the Apostles, and washed their feet, and then was betrayed.	163-168, 212,225-228,	163-168, 212,225-228, 271
		<i>Holy Thursday, Holy Week, Triduum, John, 13:1-30, Matthew 26:14-56, Mark 14:10-52, Luke 22:7-65, CCC 610-611</i>		
1.1.17	NT	Students will describe the passion of the Lord - His suffering and death on Good Friday.	205-210; 229-232,	205-210; 229-232, 268
		<i>Good Friday, Fasting, Abstinence, Holy Week, Triduum, John 18-19:1-42, Matthew 26:36-24:1-66, Mark 14:32-15:1-47, Luke 23:1-56, CCC 627</i>		
1.1.18	NT	Students will retell the story of the Resurrection of Jesus on Easter Sunday.	205-210; 229-232,	205-210; 229-232, 268
		<i>Holy Week, Holy Saturday, Triduum, Easter Sunday, Sabbath, John 20:1-31, Matthew 28:1-20, Mark 16:1-20, Luke 24:1-53, CCC 641</i>		
1.1.19	NT, CH	Students will recognize the meaning of the name Jesus and of His titles of Emmanuel and Son of God.	45, 48	45, 48
		<i>Jesus, God with us, Son of God, Son of Man, Emmanuel, Jesus Christ, Anointed One, My Lord and my God, CCC 437, 519, 1138</i>		

1.1.20	NT, CH	Students will identify the Church as God's family of believers. <i>Nicene Creed, Mass, Image and likeness of God, CCC 751-752</i>	90, 94	90, 94, 267 (church)
1.1.21	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Church has parishes all over the world and each is a small community of believers. <i>Archdiocese of Indianapolis, parishes, schools, ministry of charity, priests, laity, Mass in different languages, CCC 2179, 2226</i>	90, 94	90, 94, 267 (church)
1.1.22	NT, CH	Students will recognize Mary as the Mother of Jesus, the Mother of God, and our Mother. <i>Mary, Holy Family, Nicene Creed, Annunciation, Angel Gabriel, Infancy narratives, Rosary, John 19:25-27, CCC 411, 466, 484, 490, 495, 963</i>	48 114-116, 117-119;	48 114-116, 117-119; 273
1.1.23	NT, CH	Students will retell the event and meaning of the Annunciation. <i>Matthew 1:18-25, Luke 1:5-56, CCC 484-489</i>	116	116
1.1.24	NT, CH	Students will identify saints as models of Christian life and as ordinary people who grew in holiness and love. <i>Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Francis Xavier, St. Teresa of Calcutta, St. Theodora Guerin, patron of parish, CCC 1717, 2013-2014</i>	7, 237-240	7, 237-240,277
1.1.25	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that God's creation is filled with goodness. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Nicene Creed, CCC 280, 339, TOB 13:3</i>	6-7; 16-17, 18-19	6-7; 16-17, 18-19, 268
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
1.2.1	NT	Students will define baptism as the means by which we are incorporated into the Church, become members of the Body of Christ, and share in His mission. <i>Sacrament of Baptism, Sign of the Cross, Holy Water, Holy Chrism, Candle, Light, White garment, Priest, Deacon, CCC 405, 790, 1267, 1272-1274, 1280, 1997</i>	140, 142	140,142
1.2.2	NT	Students will recognize the symbols, rites and ministers of Baptism and Holy Eucharist. <i>Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, Bread and Wine, Mass, Oils, Candles, White Garment, Bishop, Priest, Deacon, CCC 1235-1245, 1256, 1279, 1393-1394</i>	140, 144 (B), 147 -150 (E)	140, 144 (B), 147 -150 (E)
1.2.3	NT, CH	Students will define Eucharist as a sacred meal and holy celebration, and Jesus sharing himself with us in a special way during Mass. <i>Mass, Bread, Wine, Passover, Resurrection, CCC 1330, 1359-1361</i>	147-153	147-153
1.2.4	NT, CH	Students will define Liturgy as the work of the Church and official prayer of the community. <i>Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, Sacraments, CCC 1071-1072, 1178, 2177-2179</i>	254-259	254-259
1.2.5	NT, CH	Students will explain the meaning of liturgical gestures. <i>Sign of the Cross, Genuflecting, Standing, Kneeling, Bowing, Sitting, (sign of peace), CCC 1153-1157</i>	158, (Sign of cross 9, 33, 59, 67, 101, 249, 254-261)	158, (Sign of cross 9, 33, 59, 67, 101, 249, 254-261)
1.2.6	NT, CH	Students will recite/sing common responses of the assembly during Mass. <i>Amen, Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Holy Holy, And with your Spirit, Praise to you Lord, Jesus Christ, Nicene Creed, CCC 1345-1355</i>	165, 254-261	165, 254-261
1.2.7	NT	Students participate as part of the assembly when liturgies are celebrated. <i>Mass, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Morning prayer, CCC 2042</i>	14-15, 254-261	14-15, 254-261
1.2.8	NT, CH	Students will be introduced to the essential elements/parts of the Mass. <i>Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Gospels, Proclaiming God's Word in Liturgies, Preparation of the Gifts, Holy Holy, Eucharistic Prayers, Holy Communion, Dismissal, CCC 1345-1355.</i>	254-261	254-261
1.2.9	NT, CH	Students will recognize our Church celebrates the liturgical seasons throughout the year. <i>Advent, Christmas, Ordinary Time, Lent, Triduum, Easter, Advent wreath, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, Seasonal colors, CCC 1163-1178</i>	38, 212, 272	38, 212, 272
1.2.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize that God always forgives us if we ask and we are sorry. <i>Act of Contrition, Reconciliation, Penance, Our Father, Hail Mary, CCC 17, 2608, 2631</i>	28, 66, 80, 182-183, 185,	28, 66, 80, 182-183, 185,
1.2.11	NT, CH	Students will identify that bishops, priests, deacons, and religious serve God in a special way <i>Vocations, Holy Orders, Pope, the other sacraments conferred by bishops, priests, and deacons, CCC 1536, 1543, 1548, 1562-1569, 1593</i>	123, 133, 251, 253, 266, 275,	123, 133, 251, 253, 266, 275,
1.2.12	NT, CH	Students will identify the church as a building that is a sacred place where we act appropriately. <i>Tour of church, objects in church, pictures of churches, Vatican, CCC 756</i>	94-95, 260-261	94-95, 260-261
1.2.13	NT, CH	Students will recognize that Marriage is about helping each other. <i>Sacrament of Matrimony, CCC 1601, 1603-1605, Vocation Lessons First Grade - Marriage</i>	132, 133, 253	132, 133, 253

1.2.14	NT, CH	Students will foster admiration for the courage needed to be a priest.	133, 253	133, 253
		<i>Holy Orders, CCC 1577, 1580, Vocation Lessons First Grade - Priesthood</i>		
1.2.15	NT, CH	Students will recognize the lives of religious brothers and sisters.		
		<i>Vocation to religious life, CCC 916, 925-927, CCC 1-3, 542-543, Vocation Lessons First Grade - Religious Life</i>		
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
1.3.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize all human life is sacred and it is a gift from God.	6-7; 16-17, 18-19	6-7; 16-17, 18-19, 268
		<i>10 Commandments, Beatitudes, Golden Rule, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 356-358, 371-372, TOB 13:2-4, 14:4, 15, 16:3-4, 17, 18:3-19:1, 19:3</i>		
1.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will express awe and gratitude to God for all His creation.	6-7; 16-17, 18-19	6-7; 16-17, 18-19, 268
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, CCC 299, TOB 2-3, 13:2</i>		
1.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that part of morality is having a conscience to help us know the difference between right and wrong.	175, 181-185	175, 181-185
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, listening and learning from adults and authorities, CCC 1778, 1795-1796</i>		
1.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain God's call that we know, love and serve Him, to live out the Great Commandment, and to hope in eternal life with Him in heaven.	46, 175, 180, 262,	46, 175, 180, 262,
		<i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Matthew 22:34-40, CCC 1</i>		
1.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will appreciate human gifts and talents and each person's uniqueness based on God's image and likeness.	16, 263-264	263-264
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Stewardship, CCC 357, 366</i>		
1.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we all share positive and negative feelings and we have a choice on how we act on them.	181-185	181-185
		<i>10 Commandments, CCC 1778</i>		
1.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will forgive others, ask others for forgiveness and remember that God always forgives us.	28, 66, 80, 182-183, 185,	28, 66, 80, 182-183, 185,
		<i>10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, the Prodigal Son, Luke 23:34, CCC 1489-1490</i>		
1.3.8	NT, CH	Students will demonstrate honesty, sharing, and respect for others' needs.	20, 108,	20, 108,
		<i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment</i>		
1.3.9	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we are Catholic Christians.	107	107, (266 cath)
		<i>Nicene Creed, Acts of the Apostles, (Acts 11:26) St. Paul's Letters</i>		
1.3.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that as Catholics, we care for and love all people of different cultures and races.	107	107, (266 cath)
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1929-1930, 1935</i>		
1.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that as Catholics, we care for and love the poor and suffering.	11, 131, 108	11, 131, 264
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, The Good Samaritan, Luke 10:25-37, CCC 1473, 1829, 2447</i>		
1.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will give reasons for showing respect for people of different faith traditions.		
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, Genesis 1 and 2, Jewish faith, Muslim faith</i>		
1.3.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that each person's human dignity comes from being created by God through love and called by God to live a life of holiness.	198, 263, 248	198, 263, 248
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 357, 1878, 2196, Gaudium et Spes 24:3</i>		
1.3.14	NT, CH	Students will recognize the equality of races, cultures, sexes, and the rights of all people based on our common humanity.	198	198
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 357, 1935</i>		
1.3.15	NT, CH	Students will identify Christian service as a response to the needs of the community.	103, 223, 235, BLM7	103, 223, 235, BLM7
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, Spiritual Works of Mercy, CCC 2419-2420</i>		
1.3.16	NT, CH	Students will define and model Peace.	29-36, 51, 107	29-36, 51, 107
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, the Beatitudes, CCC 2304-2305</i>		
1.3.17	NT, CH	Students will show respect for all of God's creation.	6-7; 16-17, 18-19	6-7; 16-17, 18-19, 268
		<i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, Laudato Si, CCC 280, 399</i>		
1.3.18	NT, CH	Students will recognize our responsibility to be good stewards of creation by sharing and conserving the earth's resources.	6-7; 16-17, 18-19	6-7; 16-17, 18-19, 268
		<i>10 Commandments, Laudato Si, Stewardship, CCC 299, 341, 354, 2415-2418</i>		
1.3.19	OT, NT, CH	Students will recite the Great Commandment.	175, 180, 262, 270	175, 180, 262, 270
		<i>10 Commandments, you shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself, Luke 10:25-28, Matthew 22:34-40, CCC 2055</i>		

1.3.20	NT, CH	Students will state that life is a gift from God, and each person is unique and unrepeatable. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1, 68, 357, 366, 1696, 1730, 1733, 2258, 2260, TOB 20:5</i>	262-263	262-263
1.3.21	NT, CH	Students will recognize that true freedom comes by choosing the good. <i>10 Commandments, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1696, 1730, 1733, TOB 13:3</i>	55, 65, 172, 173-179	55, 65, 172, 173-179
1.3.22	NT, CH	Students will recognize that human beings manifest their inner life through their body language. <i>Smiling, frowning, crying, laughing, CCC 1146-1147, TOB 19:4-5</i>	158	158
1.3.23	NT, CH	Students will be better able to identify safe and unsafe situations. <i>Safe environment lesson</i>	GWG	
1.3.24	NT, CH	Students will recognize that God calls us to make a gift of ourselves in love. <i>CCC 257, 1878, 2196, GS 24:3, TOB 46:6</i>	13, 164, 263, 131-138	
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
1.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus taught us how to pray. <i>Our Father, Personal prayer, Communal prayer, CCC 435, 2607, 2621</i>	21, 56, 57, 59, 64, 65, 67	21, 56, 57, 59, 64, 65, 67, 276
1.4.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will define prayer as a response to our awareness of God's love and goodness. <i>Talking to God, Listening to God, Individual prayer, Communal prayer, singing, reading, Bible, silence, CCC 2590, 2607, 2628, 2629, 2634, 2637, 2639</i>	20, 21, 47, 56, 75,	20, 21, 47, 56, 75, 276
1.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the importance of prayer in a relationship with God. <i>God as our Father, Jesus both God and Man as our Friend, Holy Spirit as God who helps us, CCC 2590-2691, 2680, 2685</i>	20, 21, 47, 56, 75	20, 21, 47, 56, 75, 276, 276
1.4.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will list the different forms of prayer. <i>Praise, Adoration, Contrition, Thanksgiving, Supplication (PACTS), PACTS is all covered in every Mass, CCC 2607, 2628, 2629, 2634, 2637, 2639, 2644, 3644,</i>	14-15, 65 (Mass) 21, 204, 11-12, 19-20 (Thanks) 17, 242-249	14-15, 65 (Mass) 21, 204, 11-12, 19-20 (Thanks) 17, 242-249
1.4.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the difference between personal and communal prayer. <i>Personal prayer is from your own heart and mind talking and listening to God. Communal prayer is Mass and liturgies, Hail Mary, Our Father, Guardian Angel, Glory Be, Litanies, Lectio Divina, reading from Bible, CCC 2644, 2663, 2684, 2693</i>	243,	243
1.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will pray together as a class, school community, parish family and church. <i>Mass, Sacraments, special times during the day, CCC 2691, 2696</i>	20, 21, 47, 56, 75, 242-249	20, 21, 47, 56, 75, 242-249, 276
1.4.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will experience various forms of personal prayer. <i>Silent Prayer, reflection, listening, meditation, Scripture reading, Lectio Divina, CCC 2700-2719</i>	9, 17, 21,25,31, 51, 56,58-59, 67, 75,93, 101, 143, 155, 177, 242-249	9, 17, 21,25,31, 51, 56,58-59, 67, 75,93, 101, 143, 155, 177, 242-249
1.4.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will model and recite memorized formal prayers <i>Sign of the Cross, Hail Mary, Glory Be, Our Father, prayers before and after meals, Guardian Angel, St. Michael</i>	242-249	242-249
1.4.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will begin listening to the way that God call us. <i>Prayer, Listening to God, CCC 1-3, 542-543, Vocation Lessons Grade 1 - God Calls</i>	13, 21, 164, 131-138, 263	13, 21, 164, 131-138, 263, 276
*	*	*Standards appearing in bold print constitute the entire grade-level list for parish catechetical programs. This reflects the distinction between annual hours of instruction in parish programs (30-35 hours) and Catholic elementary schools (60-108 hours).		

RELIGION: Grade 2			Finding God - Student Edition	Finding God - Teacher Edition
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
2.1.1	NT, CH	Students will describe the three persons of the Holy Trinity.	6, 287,	6, 287, 294
		<i>God the Father, Jesus the only Son of God, the Holy Spirit - advocate, Nicene Creed, Apostle's Creed, CCC 684, 685, 687</i>		
2.1.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe Jesus as the savior of the world.	16, 18, 20, 29. 30, 55-62, 121, 126	16, 18, 20, 29. 30, 55-62, 121, 126
		<i>The Fall, the promise of a redeemer - Genesis 3:15; Infancy Narratives Luke and Matthew, the Passion, Resurrection, CCC 389, 846</i>		
2.1.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Holy Spirit as the third person with God the Father and Jesus the Son. The Holy Spirit was sent by Jesus to be with us always.	6, 23,31, 32, 33-36, 89,	6, 23,31, 32, 33-36, 89,
		<i>Holy Trinity, Sign of the Cross, John 14:15-31, Genesis 1, CCC 684, 685, 687, 689, 703, 732</i>		
2.1.4	NT, CH	Students will describe Jesus as truly God and truly man.	13, 62	13, 62
		<i>Nicene Creed, John 20:24-29, Matthew 27:54, the Crucifixion, the Resurrection, CCC464-469</i>		
2.1.5	NT, CH	Students will identify Jesus as a man, like us in every way but sin.	13-14	13-14
		<i>Nicene Creed, Holy Trinity, Sign of the Cross, CCC 461-463, 470</i>		
2.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe Jesus as bringing a message of repentance and reconciliation.	13, 14, 16-18, 63, 108, 110,	13, 14, 16-18, 63, 108, 110,
		<i>Nicene Creed, 10 Commandments, Holy Trinity, Sign of the Cross, Our Father, Mt. 3:11, Mark 1:4, Mark 6:12, Luke 3:3, Rom. 5:11, 2 Cor. 5:18-19, CCC 433, 440, 522-524</i>		
2.1.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe Jesus' return to the Father in Heaven	208,	208, 267
		<i>Nicene Creed, The Ascension, Mark 16:19-20, Luke 24:50-53, Acts 1:6-12, CCC 659-664</i>		
2.1.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the Old Testament as God's plan of salvation before Jesus, and the New Testament as the fulfillment of God's plan of salvation through Jesus.	199, 242,	199, 242, 299
		<i>Bible, OT & NT, Nicene Creed, Genesis 1-3, Infancy Narratives, CCC 112, 522, 2824</i>		
2.1.9	NT, CH	Students will explain parts of Jesus' life including his ministry, miracles and parables.	25, 58, 84, 162, 290 (Parables - 66, 93, 95, 72, 147, 154, 188)	25, 58, 84, 162, 290 (Parables - 66, 93, 95, 72, 147, 154, 188), 290
		<i>Infancy Narratives of Matthew and Luke, the 4 Gospels, parables, healings, Resurrection, Ascension, Mass, CCC 429, 437, 525, 535-536, 551, 554-556, 559-560, 610-611, 858</i>		
2.1.10	NT, CH	Students will tell the story about Jesus' passion, death, resurrection and ascension.	56-57, 163, 166, 205-208, 210, 231, 260, 292 225-232	56-57, 163, 166, 205-208, 210, 231, 260, 292 225-232
		<i>the 4 Gospels, Nicene Creed, Mass, CCC 559-560, 572, 610-611, 645-646, 659-664</i>		
2.1.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify important men and women of Scripture.	16, 44-46, 91, 104, 138, 146, 184, 199,204, 242, 289, 290	16, 44-46, 91, 104, 138, 146, 184, 199,204, 242, 289, 290
		<i>The Bible, Adam and Eve, Noah, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Israel, Jonah, Jeremiah, David, Ruth, Rahab, Mary, Joseph, John, the 12 Apostles, Paul, Woman at the Well, Mary and Martha, Mary of Magdela, Pilate</i>		
2.1.12	NT, CH	Students will explain the name of Jesus means "God Saves".	18	18
		<i>The Infancy Narratives, Mary, Joseph, Elizabeth, Zechariah, Gabriel, Holy Spirit, Annunciation, Emmanuel, God is with us, Christ, Anointed One, Mt. 1:21-24, Luke 1:26-38, CCC 712-716</i>		
2.1.13	NT, CH	Students will explain that the word Church refers to our local parish communities and the worldwide community of believers.	65, 73, 139, 142, 283, 291	65, 73, 139, 142, 283, 291
		<i>Nicene Creed, Diocese, Parish, Pope, Bishop, Priest, Deacon, Laity, CCC 642, 886-887, 897</i>		
2.1.14	NT, CH	Students will define the Church as the People of God.	139, 142, 283	139, 142, 283
		<i>Body of Christ, CCC 836-838</i>		
2.1.15	NT, CH	Student will identify the hierarchy of the Church.	64-65, 134, 282, 291	64-65, 134, 282, 291
		<i>Pope, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, Religious, Laity, Diocese, Vatican, CCC 874-887</i>		
2.1.16	NT	Students will recall the events and meaning of the Annunciation and Visitation	13, 114-115,	13, 114-115,
		<i>Annunciation, Visitation, Mary, Joseph, Angel Gabriel, Zechariah, Elizabeth, John the Baptist, Infancy Narratives, CCC 484-489</i>		
2.1.17	NT, CH	Students will recognize that Mary is the Mother of God, mother of Jesus, and mother of the Church.	13, 114, 116,	13, 114, 116, 289
		<i>Nicene Creed, Mary's Fiat - her yes, to God. John 19:26-27, CCC 411, 466, 484, 490, 495, 963</i>		

2.1.18	NT, CH	Students will recount the lives of several important Saints.	Paul (104, 138, 146, 204) Martin of Tours (170-172) Pius X (128-130) Ignatius (86-88) Isidore the Farmer (2-4) Anne & Joachim (44-46) EA Seton (194) Joseph (16-17) Martin Tours (170-172)	Paul (104, 138, 146, 204) Martin of Tours (170-172) Pius X (128-130) Ignatius (86-88) Isidore the Farmer (2-4) Anne & Joachim (44-46) EA Seton (194) Joseph (16-17) Martin Tours (170-172)
		<i>St. John the Baptist, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Joan of Arc, St. Theodora Guerin, St. Gabriel, St. Michael, CCC 1717, 2013-2014</i>		
2.1.19	NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus is the source of hope throughout our daily tasks and difficulties.	197, 201,	197, 201,
		<i>The Jesus Prayer, Sacred Heart of Jesus, Divine Mercy, Mass, Sacraments, CCC 389, 519, 2609</i>		
2.1.20	NT, CH	Students will identify God as the source of good desires in our hearts.	182, 183, 185, 193	182, 183, 185, 193
		<i>Nicene Creed, Mass, Image and likeness of God, Conscience, Reconciliation, Forgiveness</i>		
2.1.21	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that all creatures are a sign of God's gift of love.	4 -7, 10 - 12	4 -7, 10 - 12
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 339, 342, TOB 13:3</i>		
2.1.22	NT, CH	Students will recognize reasons why God made man male and female.	8	8
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Image and likeness of God, CCC 371-372, TOB 2-3, 13:2</i>		
2.1.23	NT, CH	Students will state we are created in the image and likeness of God, by the mystery of the Holy Trinity.	5, 6, 278	5, 6, 278
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Image and likeness of God, CCC 355-357, TOB 9:2-9:3, 13:2, 19:1</i>		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
2.2.1	NT, CH	Students will identify that God is present in each of us in community, in scripture, and in the sacraments. The Church celebrates its faith through the Sacraments.	132-138	132-138
		<i>7 Sacraments, Sign of the Cross, Mass, CCC 1115, 1116, 1131</i>		
2.2.2	NT, CH	Students will define Sacraments as a means to receive God's grace and celebrations and signs of Jesus' love for us.	132-138, 238, 256-59, 292	132-138, 238, 256-59, 292
		<i>Holy Water, Bread and Wine, Mass, Oils, Candles, White Garment, Rings, Vows, Bishop, Deacon, CCC 1131-1134, 1210</i>		
2.2.3	NT, CH	Students will acknowledge that in Baptism we become new members of the Church, and through Baptism we are given new life in Christ.	23, 39, 89, 91, 132, 134, 137, 181, 207, 256, 282	23, 39, 89, 91, 132, 134, 137, 181, 207, 256, 282
		<i>Name, Godparents, Water, Chrism, Candles, White garment, priest, deacon, CCC 683, 977-978, 1265</i>		
2.2.4	NT, CH	Students will define Eucharist as meaning Thanksgiving.		
		<i>Eucharist, Mass, Blessed Sacrament, Bread and Wine, Body and Blood</i>		
2.2.5	NT, CH	Students will define Eucharist as a Sacrament.	7, 15, 23, 31, 37, 39, 123, 130, 132, 133, 139, 141, 155- 162, 166, 175, 180, 183, 191,	7, 15, 23, 31, 37, 39, 123, 130, 132, 133, 139, 141, 155- 162, 166, 175, 180, 183, 191,
		<i>Mass, the Blessed Sacrament, Bread and Wine, Body and Blood of Jesus, a sacrifice from Christ Jesus' gift of himself, Jesus truly present in the bread and wine as his body and blood, CCC 1210-1211, 1324</i>		
2.2.6	NT, CH	Students will describe the Eucharist as recalling/remembrance of the Last Supper, the sacrifice of the cross, the Lord's passion, death and resurrection.	37	37, 288 (last supper)
		<i>Mass, Eucharistic prayers, Holy Communion, Paschal sacrifice, blood on the doorpost of the Israelites, resurrection, CCC 610-611, 1365-1368</i>		
2.2.7	NT, CH	Students will describe the Eucharist as affecting our unity with one another in Christ.	37-42	37-42, 288 (last supper)
		<i>Mass, the assembly gathered, the dismissal, we become the body of Christ, CCC 790, 1382</i>		
2.2.8	NT, CH	Students will explain that Jesus makes himself present in the bread and wine as his body and blood through the power of the Holy Spirit, and the prayers of the bishop or priest.	37- 42, 257, 260-266	37- 42, 257, 260-266, 285
		<i>Mass, Liturgy of Eucharist, preparation of gifts of bread and wine, preparation of gifts of ourselves, stewardship, Words of Consecration, Priest in persona Christi, Prayers, Holy Communion, CCC 737, 1352-1354, 1378, 1411</i>		
2.2.9	NT, CH	Students will explain how the Eucharist calls each participant to a greater love of God and neighbor.	37-41, 175	37-41, 175
		<i>God's gift of grace in Eucharist, The Great Commandment, CCC 1324-1327, 1397</i>		
2.2.10	NT, CH	Students will identify the tabernacle in the Catholic Church and that is where the Eucharist is kept after Mass.	15,	15, 268, 293
		<i>Used for exposition, adoration, taken to the sick and homebound, CCC 1183, 1379</i>		
2.2.11	NT, CH	Students will describe the Sacrament of Reconciliation as a sacrament of healing and conversion.	106, 258, 105-112	105-112, 106, 258, 291

		<i>Confession, Penance, Act of Contrition, change our vision, become healed from sin, CCC 1435, 1486, 1491</i>		
2.2.12	NT, CH	Students will describe the Sacrament of Reconciliation as the continuing ministry of Jesus for healing and forgiving. <i>Reconcile our lives back to God, healing and forgiving the effects of sin, God still loves us, CCC 1440-1441</i>	105-112, 258	105-112, 258, 291
2.2.13	NT, CH	Students will define Reconciliation as re-establishing our relationship back to God, the Church, and others. <i>Restore communion with God, the Church, and others, CCC 14436, 1462</i>	105-112, 258, 270-271,	105-112, 258, 270-271, 291
2.2.14	NT, CH	Students will define the elements of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. <i>Examination of Conscience, Confession, Act of Contrition, Penance, Absolution, CCC 1480, 1491</i>	272-273	272-273
2.2.15	NT, CH	Students will explain the frequency of going to Mass and Reconciliation. <i>Mortal and Venial sins, Sunday obligation, Holy Days, Advent, Lent, CCC 2042, 2180, 1389, 1457</i>	157,	157,
2.2.16	NT, CH	Students will identify the symbols and ministers of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. <i>Priests, Bishops, laying on of hands, confession, absolution, CCC 1456, 1461, 1468, 1480</i>	106-107, 258, 291	106-107, 258, 291
2.2.17	NT, CH	Students will participate in celebrations of the Sacrament of Reconciliation as part of the parish and school communities. <i>Penance Service with individual confessions, CCC 1456, 1468, 1480, 1482, 1484</i>	105-112, 270-273, 258	105-112, 270-273, 258
2.2.18	NT, CH	Students will recognize that at Mass we gather as God's family to celebrate the Paschal Mystery of Jesus. <i>Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Life, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of Jesus, Holy Communion, CCC 610-611, 1210-1211, 1324, 1365-1368</i>	37-41, 175	37-41, 175
2.2.19	NT, CH	Students will identify the basic elements of the Triduum. <i>Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil, Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, CCC 1168</i>	163-168, 221-232,	163-168, 221-232,
2.2.20	NT, CH	Students will identify the basic structure of the Mass. <i>Introductory Rite, Liturgy of the Word, Preparation of Gifts, Stewardship, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rite, CCC 1145-1162</i>	147-154, 260-269	147-154, 260-269
2.2.21	NT, CH	Students will describe the function and purpose of the Priest. <i>Pastor, "Father", celebrate sacraments, counselor, teacher, healer, CCC 1142, 1549, Vocation Lessons Grade 2 - Priesthood</i>	64-65, 68, 73, 271, 292	64-65, 68, 73, 271, 292
2.2.22	NT, CH	Students will identify ways that our families meet our need. <i>Sacrament of Matrimony, CCC 1604, 2201-2203, 2221-2231, Vocation Lessons Grade 2 - Marriage</i>	54	54
2.2.23	NT, CH	Students will associate the evangelical counsels with the vocation to religious life. <i>Poverty, Chastity, Obedience, Religious Order, Benedictines, Franciscans, Dominicans, Sisters of Providence, CCC 914-916, 944-945, Vocations Lessons Grade 2 - Religious Life</i>		
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
2.3.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify norms for Christian behavior to include how we are called to give ourselves through love as a gift. <i>10 Commandments, Beatitudes, The Great Commandment, CCC 357, 1878, 2196, GS 24:1-3, TOB 15:1</i>	5, 200, 202, 163	5, 200, 202, 163,
2.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize themselves and others as persons accountable for choices and their consequences <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Free Will, TOB 57:1-3, CCC 1706</i>	107, 182-188	107, 182-188
2.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will relate how we learn more about ourselves through our relationships with others. <i>CCC 1728-1730, TOB 9:4</i>	173, 176, 181	173, 176, 181
2.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize signs of a lack of respect for others. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Examination of Conscience, TOB 9:4, 12:3, CCC 357, 1934-1935</i>	5, 200, 202	5, 200, 202
2.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will experience making moral choices. <i>10 Commandments, Beatitudes, Venial and Mortal Sin, CCC 1723</i>	107, 182-188	107, 182-188
2.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will define sin as a refusal to love God, self, and neighbor. <i>10 Commandments, Venial and Mortal Sin, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Examination of Conscience, CCC 30, 845, 953</i>	98	98, 293
2.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how sin, temptation, accidents, and mistakes differ. <i>10 Commandments, Reconciliation, Venial and Mortal Sin, No fault accident, CCC 164, 1853, 1861-1862, 2846-2849</i>	293	293
2.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe the power of God's love as greater than the power of sin. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, CCC 601, 604</i>	98, 99	98, 99
2.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will discuss the degrees of personal sinfulness. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Venial and Mortal Sin, CCC 1861-1864</i>	98, 99, 270-271,	98, 99, 270-271, 290, 294
2.3.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we all need healing and forgiveness within our community. <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 210-211, 953, 980, 1469, 1864</i>	58, 97, 108, 162	58, 97, 108, 162

2.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Holy Spirit helps us to make good choices. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Conscience, Free Will, CCC 1742, 1784</i>	277	277
2.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify rights and responsibilities of members of family, neighborhood, parish, school, civil society. <i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, The Good Samaritan, Luke 10:25-37, Authority figures, CCC 1897-1904, 1905-1917</i>	139, 173-176	139, 173-176
2.3.13	NT, CH	Students will recognize prejudice and discrimination. <i>CCC 356-361, 1738</i>	(192, 200 - respect neighbors)	(192, 200 - respect neighbors)
2.3.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that life is a gift from God and each person is created by God as a gift. <i>CCC 343, 353, 355</i>	5-9, 14	5-9, 14
2.3.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that each person is created for a self-giving relationship with God, others and the world. <i>10 Commandments, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 340, 344, 357-358, 371-373, 374, TOB 12:1, 13:4</i>	5-9, 14	5-9, 14
2.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will express that man is called to give himself as a sacrificial Gift to others just as Jesus did. <i>10 Commandments, Genesis 1 and 2, Stewardship, CCC 357, 519-520, 1878, 2196, Gaudium et Spes 24:3, TOB 90:5-6</i>	67	67
2.3.17	NT, CH	Students will articulate how and why we are made for a relationship with God - in communion with God. <i>CCC 356-361, 374, TOB 6:2</i>	140-141	140-141
2.3.18	NT, CH	Students will discuss how the character of a person is embodied in their compartment. (thinking it's compartment) <i>1Cor. 6:19-20, 1Thess. 4:4, CCC 2521-2524, TOB 57:1-3</i>	172-173, 176-177	172-173, 176-177
2.3.19	NT, CH	Students will demonstrate how to take action if their Circle of Grace boundaries are threatened or crossed. <i>Safe Environment Lesson</i>	GWG	GWG
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
2.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Eucharistic Liturgy is the source and the summit of Christian life. <i>Mass, true presence, bread, wine, water, priest, words of consecration, stewardship, CCC 1324-1327</i>	156, 264, (155-162)	156, 264, (155-162)
2.4.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will discuss prayer as a way of deepening our relationship with God. <i>Talking to God, listening to God, individual prayer, communal prayer, singing, reading, Bible, silence, Mass, Liturgy, personal reflection, CCC 2590-2591, 2680, 2685</i>	21, 23, 51	21, 23, 51
2.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will write simple prayers. <i>Praise, thanksgiving, petition, love and contrition, CCC 2626-2627, 2628, 2629, 2634, 2639</i>	26,27, 292	26,27, 292
2.4.4	NT, CH	Students will recite the Act of Contrition <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation, Act of Contrition, CCC 1450-1454</i>	98, 101, 284 (Contrition)	98, 101, 284 (Contrition)
2.4.5	NT, CH	Students will recognize the Rosary and other devotions to Mary, the saints, and sacraments. <i>Rosary, Hail Mary, Our Father, Glory Be, Fatima Prayer, Apostle's Creed, Litany to Mary, Crucifix, bible, prayer cards, Prayer to St. Michael, Liturgy of the Hours, Lectio Divina, CCC 971, 1178, 1674-1676, 2708</i>	118, 120, 237-240, 254-255,	118, 120, 237-240, 254-255,
2.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will pray together as a class, school community, parish family and church. <i>Mass, Sacraments, special times during the day, CCC 2691, 2696</i>	131, 142	131, 142
2.4.7	NT, CH	Students will recite memorized formal prayers. <i>Sign of the Cross, Hail Mary, Glory Be, Our Father, prayers before and after meals, Guardian Angel, St. Michael</i>	246-253	246-253
2.4.8	NT, CH	Students will begin to practice ways to hear God's call in their lives. <i>Prayer, Liturgy, Reconciliation, CCC 3, 542-543, Vocation Lessons Grade 2 - God Calls</i>	23, 51, 101	23, 51, 101
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STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
3.1.1	OT, CH	Students will explain that God takes care of us and is always faithful to us. <i>Holy Trinity, Covenants, Genesis 17:7-8, Genesis 28:13, Exodus 3:12, Leviticus 26:12, Jeremiah 7:23, CCC 2782</i>	5-9,	5-9,
3.1.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the Bible is organized by Books, Chapters, and Verses. <i>The Bible, Table of Contents, St. Jerome, Latin, Greek, CCC 120-125</i>	242-243	242-243,
3.1.3	NT, CH	Students will demonstrate how we meet Jesus in the Word of God. <i>The Bible, Proclaiming God's word in liturgies, New Testament, Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, Prologue of John's Gospel, CCC 125-127</i>	10, 11	10, 11, 294
3.1.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will provide examples of how God loves us as a parent. <i>Holy Trinity, 10 Commandments, Nicene Creed, Genesis 1 and 2, Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, CCC 2782-2785</i>	21-28, 196	21-28, 196, (Abba 279)
3.1.5	NT, CH	Students explain how Jesus came to bring us God's Word <i>Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, Prologue of John, Nicene Creed, Holy Trinity, CCC 101, 2763</i>	22	22, 294
3.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will define the Holy Trinity <i>Three Persons in one God, God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, Nicene Creed, 10 Commandments, Sign of the Cross, CCC 232, 234</i>	14-15, 17, 131,	14-15, 17, 131, 293
3.1.7	NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus is a Person who lived, died and rose historically; and He is alive and with us now. <i>Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, John's Prologue, Nicene Creed, Pontius Pilate, The Ascension, Mt. 28:16-20, John 21:24-25, CCC 464-469</i>	71-78, 79	71-78, 79, 286 (Pascal Mystery 289)
3.1.8	NT, CH	Students will describe the Holy Spirit as a gift from God flowing from the love of God the Father and God the Son. <i>Nicene Creed, Holy Trinity, Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, Luke 3:16, John 14:26, Mt. 28:19, Mark 1:8, CCC 684, 685, 687, 689, 703, 732</i>	89-96, 106, 176, 190, 234, 257,	89-96, 106, 176, 190, 234, 257, 285
3.1.9	NT, CH	Students will explain that the twelve apostles were chosen by Jesus to be His followers, and to help Him begin His Church here on earth. <i>Matthew 10:2, Mark 3:14, Mark 6:30, Luke 6:13, Acts 2:42, Matthew 16:18, CCC 857-860</i>	64-66	64-66, (apostle) 280
3.1.10	NT, CH	Students will explain that through the parables, Jesus teaches us how to love ourselves and one another. <i>Select parables from the Gospels, Good Samaritan, Prodigal Son, CCC 546, 2607, 2613</i>	48, 51, 244, 289 (seed 54) (mustard 48, 52) (vine 36) (yeast 52)	48, 51, 244, 289 (seed 54) (mustard 48, 52) (vine 36) (yeast 52) 289
3.1.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe how the season of Advent prepares us for Christmas and for the second coming of Christ. <i>Liturgical calendar, Color Violet/Purple, Nicene Creed, Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, CCC 524</i>	79-81, 213-216,	79-81, 213-216, 289
3.1.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how Christians celebrate Jesus' rising from the dead on Easter Sunday. <i>The Nicene Creed, Matthew 28:1-10, John 20:1-10, CCC 638-640, 2174-2176</i>	229-232,	229-232, 283
3.1.13	NT, CH	Students will explain the Marks of the Church. <i>The Church is One, Holy, Catholic Apostolic, Nicene Creed, CCC 811, 866-870</i>	99, 251,	99, 251, 287
3.1.14	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Church community includes the Pope, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, Religious, and Laity <i>Church Hierarchy, Vocation, Diocese, Vatican, Sacrament of Holy Orders, Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, CCC 771, 827, 836-837, 857</i>	98-100, 269, 271, 283, 290,	98-100, 269, 271, 283, 290, 294
3.1.15	NT, CH	Students will explain the Communion of Saints. <i>Nicene Creed, any person in heaven is a saint, Canonization, popular saints, patron saints of Archdiocese - Francis Xavier, Theodora Guerin, CCC 946-948</i>	114, 238, 239,	114, 238, 239, 281
3.1.16	NT, CH	Students will explain how Jesus was sent by the Father to share God's Word and demonstrate how we are sent by Jesus to do the same.	22, 29, 91	22, 29, 91

		<i>Nicene Creed, Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, John's Prologue, The Great Commission, Mt. 28:16-20, Acts 10:42, Eph. 3:1-13, Missionaries, being sent after Mass, CCC 849-856, 858</i>		
3.1.17	NT, OT	Students will explain how the Church continues to share Jesus' Ministries of mercy, community, teaching, worship, and service.	29, 34	29, 34
		<i>The Great Commission, The Holy Mass, the Sacraments, Parish catechetical programs, Catholic schools, Catholic hospitals, Stewardship, CCC 863-865</i>		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
3.2.1	NT, CH	Students will explain how Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist are the Sacraments of Initiation.	131-138, 260-261,	131-138, 260-261, 291
		<i>7 Sacraments, Age of Reason (7 years old), Liturgy, Bread, Wine, Holy Water, Holy Oils, White Garment, Godparents, Indelible mark on soul, full initiation to the Catholic faith, CCC 1212</i>		
3.2.2	NT, CH	Students will explain how Reconciliation/Penance and Anointing of the Sick are the Sacraments of Healing.	262,	262, 291
		<i>7 Sacraments, Confession, Act of Contrition, Absolution, benefits of frequent Confession, Oil of the Sick, Forgiveness of Sins, CCC 1420-1421, 1422-1424, 1499-1505</i>		
3.2.3	NT, CH	Students will describe how Holy Matrimony and Holy Orders are the Sacraments of at the Service of Communion.	156-157, 263, 285, 288	156-157, 263, 285, 288
		<i>7 Sacraments, Vocation, Man and Woman, Vows, Deacon, Priest, Bishop, Chrism Oil, Laying on of Hands, CCC 1533-1535, 1536, 1601-1602</i>		
3.2.4	NT, CH	Students will describe how Holy Orders is a sacrament of special service and commitment to the Church	156, 263, 285,	156, 263, 285, 292
		<i>Vocation, Deacon, Priest, Bishop, Religious, Diocesan, CCC 1555, 1562, 1569, 1577</i>		
3.2.5	NT, CH	Students will write and recite the seven Sacraments of the Catholic Church.	260-263,	260-263, 291
		<i>7 Sacraments, Instituted by Jesus, various Biblical references to the sacraments, CCC 1210-1211</i>		
3.2.6	NT, CH	Students will describe the Eucharist as recalling/remembrance of the Last Supper, the sacrifice of the cross, the Lord's passion, death and resurrection.	(LS 149, 287) (Eucharist and PM 147-154)	(LS 149, 287) (Eucharist and PM 147-154) 283
		<i>Mass, Eucharistic prayers, Holy Communion, Paschal sacrifice, blood on the doorpost of Israelites, Resurrection, CCC 610-611, 1365-1368</i>		
3.2.7	NT, CH	Students will explain that Jesus makes Himself present in the bread and wine as His body and blood through the power of the Holy Spirit, and the prayers of the bishop or priest.	106, 147-54,	106, 147-54, 283
		<i>Mass, Liturgy of the Eucharist, gifts of bread and wine, Offertory, Stewardship, Words of Consecration, Priest in persona Christi, Prayers, Holy Communion, CCC 737, 1352-1354, 1378, 1411</i>		
3.2.8	NT, CH	Students will explain how the Eucharist calls each participant to a greater love of God and neighbor.	149	149, 283
		<i>God's gift of grace in Eucharist, The Great Commandment, Stewardship, CCC 1324-1327, 1397</i>		
3.2.9	NT, CH	Students will describe the Sacrament of Reconciliation as the continuing ministry of Jesus for healing and forgiving.	139-146	139-146, 290
		<i>Reconcile our lives back to God, healing and forgiving, the effects of sin, God still loves us, CCC 1440-1441</i>		
3.2.10	NT, CH	Students will define the elements of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.	142, 144, 145, 262	142, 144, 145, 262, 290
		<i>Examination of Conscience, Confession, Act of Contrition, Penance, Absolution, CCC 1480, 1491</i>		
3.2.11	NT, CH	Students will explain the frequency of going to Mass and Reconciliation.	141, 152,	141, 152, 287, 290
		<i>Venial and Mortal Sins, Sunday obligation, Holy Days, Advent, Lent, benefits of monthly Confession, CCC 1389, 1457, 2042, 2180</i>		
3.2.12	NT, CH	Students will recognize that at Mass we gather together as God's family to celebrate the Paschal Mystery of Jesus.	106, 147-54,	106, 147-54, 289
		<i>Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Life, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of Jesus, Holy Communion, CCC 610-611, 1210-1211, 1324, 1365-1368</i>		
3.2.13	NT, CH	Students will identify the basic structure of the Mass.	264-267	264-267, 287
		<i>Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Offertory, Stewardship, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rites, Concluding Rite, CCC 1145-1162</i>		
3.2.14	NT, CH	Students will describe the function and purpose of the Priest.	98, 106, 140, 149, 156, 271,	98, 106, 140, 149, 156, 271, 290

		<i>Pastor, "Father", celebrate sacraments, Connection with Jesus Christ - in persona Christi, counselor, teacher, healer, CCC 1142, 1549, Vocation Lessons Grade 3 - Priesthood</i>		
3.2.15	NT, CH	Students will identify ways that our families meet our needs and help one another get to heaven. <i>Sacrament of Matrimony, CC 1604, 2201-2203, 2221-2231, 2232, Vocation Lessons Grade 3 - Marriage</i>	189-190, 193	189-190, 193
3.2.16	NT, CH	Students will appreciate the way non-ordained consecrated brothers and sisters live. <i>Evangelical counsels, poverty, chastity, obedience, CCC 914-916, 944-945, Vocation Lessons Grade 3 - Religious Life</i>	156, 178,	156, 178,
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
3.3.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will provide examples that life is precious in plants, animals, and especially human beings. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Right to Life, Environment, Good and Evil, Cultivating the Earth, CCC 343, 356, 373, 378, TOB 5:4,6</i>	4-8, 10-11	4-8, 10-11, (Creation 282)
3.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that when we care about people, we are affirming their human dignity. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, CCC 1700, 1934-1935</i>	16, 18-19, 21, 276	16, 18-19, 21, 276
3.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that every human life is a gift from God which must be respected. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, CCC 1700, 1930-1931</i>	10,88, 197, 199, 203, 276	10,88, 197, 199, 203, 276
3.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize through the Beatitudes Jesus teaches us how to love ourselves and on another. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Matthew 5:1-12, Luke 6:20-26, CCC 1716-1717, 1721</i>	274, 280, 292	274, 280, 292
3.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that whatever we do for people in need, we do for Jesus. <i>10 Commandments, Beatitudes, Venial and Mortal Sins, The Great Commandment, Matthew 25:31-46, CCC 2243, 2447, 2831</i>	88, 198-199, 155-161	88, 198-199, 155-161
3.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize we share in Jesus' mission to bring the Gospel message of love to the poor and victims of injustice. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Matthew 25:31-46, CCC 2443-2449</i>	88, 198-199, 155-161	88, 198-199, 155-161, 286
3.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that the 10 Commandments help us live good lives. <i>10 Commandments, Reconciliation, Venial and Mortal Sins, Free Will, CCC 2052-2055</i>	57-58,60-63	57-58,60-63, 293
3.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will recite from memory The Great Commandment. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Matthew 22:34-40, Mark 12:28-34, Luke 10:25-28, CCC 2055, 2196</i>	19, 273	19, 273, 285
3.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will recite from memory the 10 Commandments. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Venial and Mortal Sins, Exodus 20:1-17</i>	57-58,60-61	57-58,60-61, 281, 293
3.3.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will recite from memory the Corporal Works of Mercy. <i>Corporal Works of Mercy, CCC 2447</i>		282
3.3.11	NT, CH	Students will recognize that as Catholic Christians we accept the responsibility of caring for God's creation. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, Stewardship, Laudato Si, CCC 299, 358, 2415</i>	4-11, 278	4-11, 278
3.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify rights and responsibilities of members of family, neighborhood, parish, school, civil society. <i>10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, The Good Samaritan, Luke 10:25-37, Authority figures, CCC 1897-1904, 1905-1917</i>	57-63, 277	57-63, 277
3.3.13	NT, CH	Students will recognize prejudice and discrimination. <i>Define prejudice, define discrimination, CCC 357, 1935</i>		
3.3.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that each person is created for a self-giving relationship with God. <i>10 Commandments, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 340, 344, 357-358, 371-373, 374</i>	5,14, 155 -156	5, 14, 155 -156
3.3.15	NT, CH	Students will recognize that man's relationship with God has been redeemed through Jesus, and sustained through the Church and her Sacraments, especially Baptism. <i>CCC 374, 1265, 1272-1273</i>	15, 17, 131,	15, 17, 131, 291
3.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that in heaven there will be unity and harmony between the soul and the body. <i>CCC 996-997, TOB 66:5-6</i>	230, 238-239,	230, 238-239,
3.3.17	NT, CH	Students will contrast how God can enable people to view the world and others as gifts with how some people view the world and others as a threat, eliciting a response of selfishness and manipulation. <i>CCC 2514, 2517-2519, 2524, 2531, TOB 15:1, 46:6</i>	10,88, 197, 199, 203, 276	10,88, 197, 199, 203, 276

3.3.18	NT, CH	Students will relate how the body reveals the person. <i>CCC 364-366, 371, TOB 14:4</i>	5, 10, 156	5, 10, 156
3.3.19	NT, CH	Students will relate being connected to Jesus the True Vine to manifesting the fruits of the Spirit. <i>John 15:4-5, Gal. 5:22-23, CCC 736, 1831-1832, 2074, TOB 51</i>	36, 94, 275,	36, 94, 275, 284
3.3.20	NT, CH	Students will learn the concept of Circle of Grace. <i>Safe environment lesson</i>	GWG	GWG
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
3.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Holy Spirit guides us in prayer. <i>Holy Trinity, spontaneous prayer, Holy Mass, Scripture reading, CCC 741, 2652</i>	92, 94-95,	92, 94-95, 285, 290
3.4.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that God always hears our prayers. <i>Talking to God, listening to God, individual prayer, communal prayer, Holy Bible, silence, Mass, Liturgy, personal reflection, CCC 2735-2737, 2738-2741</i>	21, 58, 105	21, 58, 105, 290
3.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize when we listen to God's Word proclaimed in Scripture, we hear God speaking to us today. <i>Holy Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, Lectio Divina, individual Scripture reading, CCC 101-104, 109</i>	30, 242	30, 242, 292
3.4.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will participate in spontaneous prayer. <i>Prayers of contrition, praise, thanksgiving, petition, CCC 2625, 2626-2627, 2628, 2629, 2700, 2705, 2709</i>	244	244
3.4.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will participate in liturgical prayer. <i>The Holy Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Our Father, CCC 2655, 2746-2751</i>	106, 264-269	106, 264-269, 287
3.4.6	NT, CH	Students will together in a group, recite the Apostles' Creed <i>Apostles' Creed, Rosary, CCC 194, 196, 197</i>	6,9,33, 73, 75, 101, 115, 250,	6,9,33, 73, 75, 101, 115, 250, 280
3.4.7	NT, CH	Students will make and recite the Sign of the Cross. <i>Sign of the Cross, Holy Trinity, start and end every prayer with the Sign of the Cross, CCC 232</i>	14, 17, 245,	14, 17, 245, 292
3.4.8	NT, CH	Students will recite from memory the following prayers, see examples below. <i>Sign of the Cross, Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be, Act of Contrition, grace before and after meals</i>	245-253	245-253
3.4.9	NT, CH	Students will explain how the season of Lent is a special time for praying, sacrificing, and sharing because of Jesus' Passion, Death and Resurrection. <i>Prayer, Fasting, Almsgiving, Reconciliation, Conversion, Ash Wednesday, the Triduum, Good Friday, Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, CCC 1163</i>	163-168, 221-224, 279, 284	163-167, 221-224, 279, 284, 287
3.4.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will marvel at God's purpose and love in creating each person for himself. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 343, 356-358, Vocation Lessons Grade 3 - God Calls</i>	5-12,	5-12,
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STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
4.1.1	NT	Students will define the Holy Trinity as God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. They will explain how the Trinity is always with us.	18, 39, 287,	18, 39, 287, 295
		<i>Sign of the Cross, Words of Baptism, Call on the Holy Trinity in prayer, Holy Trinity songs and hymns, CCC 234</i>		
4.1.2	OT	Students will identify that God is the giver of all life, and all that God creates is good through the Genesis story of creation.	5-12, 284	5-12, 284
		<i>Creating story from Genesis, family is good, CCC 279-280, 286-289</i>		
4.1.3	NT	Students will recognize Mary's role within the Church as the Mother of God.	113-117, 144	113-117, 144, 289
		<i>Rosary and Memorare prayers, Immaculate Conception, Gospel Canticle of Mary, Beginning of the Gospels of Matthew and Luke, CCC 495, 829, 2677</i>		
4.1.4	NT	Students will recognize Jesus came to bring God's forgiveness to everyone.	105, 109, 110	105, 109, 110, 286 (forgiveness)
		<i>Our Father prayer, Beatitudes, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Nicene Creed, Matthew 18 "seventy times seven", CCC 312, 457-458</i>		
4.1.5	OT	Students will tell how we are created in God's image and likeness - we have free will and a conscience.	6, 24	6, 24,
		<i>Book of Genesis creation story, CCC 293, 355-357, 1776</i>		
4.1.6	CH	Students will explain that all members of the Church community, both living and dead, are members of the Body of Christ.	237, 239	237, 239
		<i>Nicene Creed, Communion of Saints, Lives of the Saints, CCC 669, 946-948, 958-959</i>		
4.1.7	CH	Students will explain that Mary and the saints offer us examples of good Christian lives and act as intercessors for us.	151, 237-240	151, 237-240, 289
		<i>Nicene Creed, Beginning of the Gospels of Matthew and Luke, Lives of the Saints, Communion of Saints, Rosary, Marian Feasts, Personal Prayer, Saints feasts days, All Saints and All Souls Days, CCC 829, 956, 2030</i>		
4.1.8	CH	Students will explain that God created different personalities, races and nationalities and explain why these are all good for the whole human family.	48, 189, 197,	48, 189, 197,
		<i>Saint stories, Lives of the Saints, Isaiah 60:3, Liturgies from different countries, CCC 361, 374, 1934-1935, 1939</i>		
4.1.9	CH	Students will explain how Christ is the light of the world and His light shines through and is reflected by the Church.	80, 105	80, 105
		<i>Early Church Fathers, Documents of Vatican II, CCC 748</i>		
4.1.10	CH	Students will recognize that as members of the Church we work together to build the Kingdom of God on earth.	15-16,	15-16, 288
		<i>The Beatitudes, 10 Commandments, Stewardship, spiritual and corporal works of mercy., CCC 567, 763-766</i>		
4.1.11	CH	Students will explain that God created man and woman to exist in a family and to form a family in unitive and procreative love in the sacrament of holy matrimony.	155-157, 191, 263	155-157, 191, 263, 289
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1601-1605, 2331-2336</i>		
4.1.12	OT, CH	Students will recognize the meaning of Genesis 2:18: it is not good for man to be alone. I will make a helper fit for him. "God created both man and woman to live in communion with one another and God."	155-157, 191, 263	155-157, 191, 263
		<i>Genesis 2, CCC 371-372, TOB 9:2</i>		
4.1.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that man is created in God's image through a communion of persons, the Holy Trinity.	18, 39,	18, 39, 295
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 355-357, TOB 9:3, 14:6</i>		
4.1.14	CH	Students will discuss how at the Resurrection we will experience the most perfect communion with God and others.	13-20, (15), 66, 205, 207	13-20, (15), 66, 205, 207, 288 (last Judgement)
		<i>CCC 1023-1025, TOB 68:1-4</i>		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
4.2.1	NT	Students will explain how the Eucharist celebration - Mass on Holy Thursday connects us to the Last Supper.	139, 142, 166	139, 142, 166, 287
		<i>The Triduum, Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, John's Gospel chapter 13, Matthew's Gospel chapter 26, Luke's Gospel chapter 22, Mark's Gospel chapter 14, CCC 610-611, 1337-1340</i>		
4.2.2	NT	Students will explain how the Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life, and that it is essential to the life and mission of the Catholic Church.	141	141, 285

		<i>Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, Proclaiming God's Word in Liturgies, Adoration/Exposition/Benediction, Stewardship, CCC 1324-1327</i>		
4.2.3	NT	Students will identify in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, we receive God's grace and forgiveness and that Christian life is a journey of conversion.	107, 131-138, 263, 271, 292-294	107, 131-138, 263, 271, (292 Penance and recon)
		<i>The Sacrament of Reconciliation, The 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, CCC 1440-1445</i>		
4.2.4	NT	Students will recognize the Marian feasts and other feast days of Saints.	115, 121, 124, 144, 205,212, 217, 237, 267	115, 121, 124, 144, 205,212, 217, 237, 267
		<i>The Rosary, Communion of Saints, Liturgical calendar, Immaculate Conception, Mary, Mother of God, Assumption, Annunciation, Guadalupe, Fatima, Lourdes, Patron Saints of parish or school, Holy Days of Obligation/Solemnities, CCC 484, 490-493, 495, 956, 966</i>		
4.2.5	NT	Students will tell how God gives us grace through the Sacraments to help us live good lives.	131-133, 287	131-133, 287, 293
		<i>The Seven Sacraments, Mass parts, Vocations, conversion, CCC 1127-1129</i>		
4.2.6	NT	Students will explain that through the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Holy Spirit helps us live as Jesus did.	38, 91, 163, 262, 284	38, 91, 163, 262, 284
		<i>The Sacrament of Confirmation, Gift of the Holy Spirit, Lives of the Saints, CCC 1299, 1302-1305</i>		
4.2.7	NT	Students will explain through Baptism, Jesus calls us to live a life of service, welcoming and helping others, especially those in need.	38, 91, 163, 262, 282	38, 91, 163, 262, 282
		<i>The Sacrament of Baptism, universal call to holiness, baptismal promises, CCC 798, 1427-1429</i>		
4.2.8	NT	Students will recognize that the Sacrament of Holy Orders for men is a participation in the love of the Divine Bridegroom - Christ, for the love of His Bride, the Church.	155, 157, 160, 263, 285, 287	155, 157, 160, 263, 285, 287
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Priesthood, Deacons, Bishops, CCC 772-773, 1536, Vocation Lessons 4th Grade - Priesthood</i>		
4.2.9	NT	Students will recognize that while religious life as a vocation is not a sacrament but offers the person a life of holiness through Baptism, to participate in the life of Christ through sacrificial work and intimacy with Jesus.	89, 296 ?	89, 296 ?
		<i>Vocations, Religious Life, Religious Orders, CCC 914, 925-927, Vocation Lessons 4th Grade - Religious Life</i>		
4.2.10	NT	Students will recognize that the Sacrament of Matrimony is covenant between one man and one woman, sealed by God, a partnership between man and woman for life.	155-157, 160, 191, 263	155-157, 160, 191, 263
		<i>The Sacrament of Matrimony, CCC 1601-1602, Vocation Lessons 4th Grade - Marriage</i>		
4.2.11	NT	Students will recognize that as the Church, the body of Christ, we celebrate the Eucharist which nourishes communion with one another and Jesus.	31, 91, 99, 139-146, 149, 184, 262, 266, 281, 285	31, 91, 99, 139-146, 149, 184, 262, 266, 281, 285
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, Parts of the Mass, Priesthood, Religious, Laity, CCC 2247-2248, TOB 99:1</i>		
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
4.3.1	OT, NT	Students will explain that God's goodness as recorded in the Bible teaches us about choices and how to live good lives.	30-31	30-31
		<i>Holy Bible, Daily readings, Morning prayer, Lectio Divina, 10 Commandments, The Beatitudes, The Great Commandment, CCC 1962, 2055, 2056</i>		
4.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that when we sin it hurts our relationship with God, others, and ourselves.	29, 132	29, 132
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 403, 980</i>		
4.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the Holy Spirit guides us to choose good rather than evil.	131-133	131-133
		<i>Gifts of the Holy Spirit, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Lives of the Saints, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Eucharist, Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Daily prayer, CCC 689-690, 768</i>		
4.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify ways that they can show respect for God's creation.	5-12, 284	5-12, 284
		<i>Creation story, Laudato Si, Stewardship, CCC 299, 2415-2418</i>		
4.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify ways that they can live out the Great Commandment	182, 273, 287	182, 273, 287
		<i>Holy Bible, The Great Commandment, 10 Commandments, The Beatitudes, Matthew 25:31-46, Individual and communal prayer, love of God and neighbor, CCC 2052, 2055</i>		
4.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize through the Beatitudes, we learn how to trust God, forgive, and show mercy to others.	55-62, 273, 282	55-62, 273, 282

		<i>Holy Bible, The Beatitudes, 10 Commandments, Prayer, CCC 1716-1717, 2546-2547</i>		
4.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will list ways they can practice the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy - knowing that when we show love for the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized we show love to Jesus.	73-74, 76-77	73-74, 76-77
		<i>Holy Bible, Matthew 25:31-46, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, "Least of these...", Ministry of Charity, Catholic Charities, Catholic Cemeteries, CCC 2443-2447</i>		
4.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the grace of the Holy Spirit and the leadership of the Church helps us choose what is right.	73-74, 76-77, 277, 284, 295	73-74, 76-77, 277, 284, 295
		<i>Holy Bible, Mass, Sacrament of Confirmation, Daily prayer, Magisterium, CCC 1783-1785</i>		
4.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the first three commandments teach us about loving God and last seven teach us about loving others.	183-186, 189-195	183-186, 189-195
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Our Father, Hail Mary, CCC 2066-2067</i>		
4.3.10	NT, CH	Students recognize and recite the three Theological Virtues, Faith, Hope, and Charity (Love), help us to love good lives.	18-19, 38, 42, 276, 295	18-19, 38, 42, 276, 295
		<i>Theological Virtues, CCC 1812-1829</i>		
4.3.11	NT, CH	Students will recognize as Christians we are called to be thankful for the gifts we have been given and share them generously with others.	4	4
		<i>Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Almsgiving, tithing, Catholic Charities, Stewardship, CCC 1473, 2447</i>		
4.3.12	NT, CH	Students will explain how participation in our family and parish communities give us support for living the Christian way of life.	89-90	89-90
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Sunday and Holy Day obligations, volunteering, CCC 2179, 2226, 2691</i>		
4.3.13	NT, CH	Students will recognize laws, precepts, and other Church teachings as sources for established norms of behavior.	48, 56, 102, 182, 267, 292,	48, 56, 102, 182, 267, 292,
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Precepts of the Catholic church, Nicene Creed, Beatitudes, personal and communal prayer, sacraments, forming a conscience, CCC 28, 2041-2043, 2055-2056, 2062</i>		
4.3.14	NT, CH	Students will provide examples of how the Church cares for those in need and works to build a better world through Corporal Works of Mercy.	73-74, 76-77, 277, 284	73-74, 76-77, 277, 284
		<i>Corporal Works of Mercy, 10 Commandments, Catholic Charities, Catholic Cemeteries, CCC 2043-2047</i>		
4.3.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that to truly care for others means that they carefully consider what is in the best interest of those they are serving.	5,71-74, 204	5,71-74, 204
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Corporal Works of Mercy, Ministry of Charity, Catholic Charities, CCC 2044-2046</i>		
4.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize and respect the inherent differences between men and women and their bodies, created in God's image.	GWG	GWG
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 369-373</i>		
4.3.17	CH	Students will define venial and mortal sins.	106-107, 296	106-107, 296
		<i>Cheating on a test is a venial sin, skipping Mass on Sunday for no good reason is a mortal sin, 10 Commandments, Confession, Examination of Conscience, CCC 1452, 1456, 1458, 1854-1864</i>		
4.3.18	CH	Students will connect how virtues (which have to do with man's inner life) are expressed through the body.	38, 199, 276, 295-296	38, 199, 276, 295-296
		<i>10 Commandments, Theological virtues, Cardinal virtues, CCC 2516, 2520-2524, TOB 51:5-6, 53:4, 54:2, 55:7</i>		
4.3.19	CH	Students will recognize that through our work we make a gift of ourselves.	113-120	113-120
		<i>Catholic Social Teaching on Work, Stewardship, CCC 2427-2428, TOB 6:4, 7:2</i>		
4.3.20	CH	Students will relate how work helps us fulfill a mission.	90, 234-236, 279,	90, 234-236, 279,
		<i>CST on Work, Stewardship, CCC 373, 2427-2428, TOB 6:4</i>		
4.3.21	OT, NT, CH	Students will compare Adam's joy at the creation of Eve to his response to the creation of the animals.	22-23	22-23
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Bone of my bone, flesh of my flesh, CCC 371, TOB 10:1</i>		
4.3.22	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that suffering is a result of the Fall and that suffering can make it difficult for us to see the gifts of God.	22-23	22-23
		<i>CCC 385, 400, 402, 404-405, Redemptive Suffering, Cooperate with suffering, TOB 26:4-5, 27:1-2</i>		

4.3.23	NT	Students will learn the concept of a Circle of Grace in relation to the use of the internet on computers, phones, tablets, etc.	GWG	GWG
		<i>Safe Environment Lesson</i>		
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how to pray...				
4.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that through prayer we as Christians are called to be thankful for the gifts we have been given.	4	4
		<i>Prayer before meals, Prayer after meals, Guardian Angel, Prayer of Thanksgiving, Parts of the Mass, Our Father, Psalms, Stewardship, CCC 224, 1328, 2637-2638</i>		
4.4.2	NT, CH	Students will identify the essential elements of the Stations of the Cross.	223, 260-261	223, 260-261
		<i>Stations of the Cross, Lent, Sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, Devotions, Sacramentals, CCC 1667-1676</i>		
4.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will write a prayer on their own about a Catholic theme or doctrine, Liturgical Season, Saint, Thanksgiving, Petition	4, 8, 118-119, 123, 152, 164, 192,	4, 8, 118-119, 123, 152, 164, 192,
		<i>Write one prayer per quarter kept in prayer journal, Liturgical Year, Church doctrines, Saints, Adoration time, CCC 2663-2691</i>		
4.4.4	NT, CH	Students will describe Exposition/Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.	38, 244, 282	38, 244, 282
		<i>Exposition and Benediction elements, Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist, CCC1183, 1379, 2691</i>		
4.4.5	NT, CH	Students will participate in the Rosary and learn the order and prayers.	256-259, 293	256-259, 293
		<i>Rosary prayers and order, CCC 971, 2708</i>		
4.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe that through prayer we believe God the Father is loving, merciful, and forgiving.	4, 5, 9, 40, 244-245	4, 5, 9, 40, 244-245
		<i>Personal prayer, communal prayer, Mass, reading Scripture, Our Father, Parable of the Prodigal Son, CCC 2559-2560</i>		
4.4.7	NT, CH	Students will recognize the importance of having a prayer plan, and to make a daily/weekly prayer plan.	4, 5, 9, 40, 244-245	4, 5, 9, 40, 244-245
		<i>Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, Adoration, Individual Prayer, Communal Prayer, CCC 1166-1167, 1174-1178, 2559, Vocation Lessons 4th Grade - God Calls</i>		
4.4.8	NT, CH	Students will identify ways where God is, or was, present in their own life.	4, 5, 9, 40, 244-245	4, 5, 9, 40, 244-245
		<i>Personal prayer, CCC 256-357, TOB 65:5</i>		
*	*	*Standards appearing in bold print constitute the entire grade-level list for parish catechetical programs. This reflects the distinction between annual hours of instruction in parish programs (30-35 hours) and Catholic elementary schools (60-108 hours).		

RELIGION: Grade 5			Finding God - Student Edition	Finding God - Teacher Edition
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
5.1.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will define the Bible as the inspired Word of God in which God is present. <i>The Holy Bible, The Torah, Old Testament, New Testament, St. Jerome, Mass, Proclaiming God's Word during the Liturgy, CCC 81</i>	24, 131, 306	24, 131, 306
5.1.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the purpose of a Catholic Christian's life is to know, love, and serve God. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, Free Will, Original Sin, CCC 1-3</i>	55, 62, 206, 284	55, 62, 206, 284
5.1.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will define covenant as a holy promise between God and His people, in particular the covenant between the Lord God and the Israelites. <i>Book of Exodus, Jacob, Isaac, Moses, Aaron, 12 Tribes of Israel, Passover, Jesus was a Jew, CCC 62-64</i>	23, 28, 74, 283	23, 28, 74, 283
5.1.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the Gospels tell the life, death, Resurrection, Ascension of Jesus. <i>Genesis 3:15, Mary. Joseph, Angel Gabriel, Holy Spirit, Jesus both God and Man, Prologue of John, Nicene Creed, CCC 514-515, 534, 571-573, 1846</i>	140, 164, 242, 288	140, 164, 242, 288
5.1.5	NT, CH	Students will recite and list the Gospel writers of the New Testament. <i>Holy Bible, 4 Gospels - Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, Synoptic Gospels, CCC 124-127, 139</i>	242, 286	242, 286
5.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that God came into the world to save us. <i>Genesis 3, Original Sin, Prologue of John, free will, CCC 422-424, 430</i>	5, 13, 15, 19, 66, 226	5, 13, 15, 19, 66, 226
5.1.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that Jesus is the Word made flesh, the visible sign of God's love. <i>Nicene Creed, Prologue of John, Infancy Narratives of Matthew and Luke, CCC 422-424, 426-429</i>	48, 217	48, 217
5.1.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will list and give examples of the Fruits of the Holy Spirit. <i>Gal. 5:22-23, charity, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, generosity, gentleness, faithfulness, modesty, self-control, chastity, CCC 736, 768, 1832</i>	272, 287	272, 287
5.1.9	NT, CH	Students will define the Holy Trinity. <i>God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, Three Persons-One God, Sign of the Cross, Baptism, CCC 234</i>	7, 64, 305	7, 64, 305
5.1.10	NT, CH	Students will acknowledge that the Holy Trinity is a mystery and is a core tenet of our faith. <i>Define mystery in the Church, Sign of the Cross, Baptism, CCC 234</i>	7, 64, 305	7, 64, 305
5.1.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that God created all things and continues to care for all His creation for us to enjoy, use, share, care for, and respect. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Prologue of John, Nicene Creed, Apostles' Creed, Stewardship, CCC 290-292, 301</i>	5-12, 24,276, 283	5-12, 24,276, 283
5.1.12	NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is true God and true man. <i>Nicene Creed, Infancy Narratives of Matthew and Luke, Prologue of John. CCC 464-469</i>	48, 217, (290 - incarnation)	48, 217, (290 - incarnation)
5.1.13	NT, CH	Students will explain that at Pentecost the Holy Spirit came to the Apostles. <i>Nicene Creed, Acts 1 and 2, the Birthday of the Church, CCC 1287</i>	72, 89, 208, 212, 233-236, 297	72, 89, 208, 212, 233-236, 297
5.1.14	OT, NT, CH	The students will explain that God is with us everywhere, especially in other people and the Church. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Matthew 28:19-20, Holy Spirit, Pentecost, CCC 80, 205, 212, 788</i>	31,33,35, 288	31,33,35, 288
5.1.15	NT, CH	Students will list and explain the four Marks of the Church. <i>Nicene Creed, One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic, CCC 811, 866-870</i>	89, 279, 281, 289, 293,	89, 279, 281, 289, 293,
5.1.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the role of the Pope in the Church. <i>Vicar of Christ, Saint Peter, Holy Father, Leader of the Roman Catholic Church throughout the world, Bishop of Rome, Bishops, Cardinals, Matthew 16:13-20, CCC 77, 860-862, 880-887, 1576</i>	90-91, 100, 102, 298	90-91, 100, 102, 298
5.1.17	OT, NT, CH	Students will compare and contrast ancient myths of creation to Sacred Scripture and God's goodness in creating. <i>Myths of creation, Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 285, 287-301, TOB 13:2-4</i>	5-12, 14, 15, 22, 48, 287	5-12, 14, 15, 22, 48, 287
5.1.18	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that man comes to know himself through a gift of self to others.	114	114

		<i>CCC 357, Gadium et Spes 24:3, TOB 22:4</i>		
5.1.19	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus reveals the love of the Father.	5, 13	5, 13
		<i>CCC 606-607, 1823, TOB 23:4, 67:5</i>		
5.1.20	NT, CH	Students will discuss how at the Resurrection of the Body we will see as God sees and our bodies will perfectly reveal His love.	198-199, 288 (heaven)	198-199, 288 (heaven)
		<i>Apostles' Creed, Nicene Creed, CCC 997, 1003, 1011, 1023, 1026, 1028, TOB 68:1, 69:6</i>		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
5.2.1	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Church celebrates the presence and actions of Christ in our lives through the seven Sacraments.	37-39, 56-57, 301	37-39, 56-57, 301
		<i>7 Sacraments, Eucharist as Source and Summit of the Christian Life, CCC 1084, 1131, 1324-1326</i>		
5.2.2	NT, CH	Students will explain that at Mass we celebrate as a community to be reconciled, to give thanks, and to celebrate Christ's sacrifice.	139, (139-145)	139, (139-145)
		<i>Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, Adoration/Exposition/Benediction, Liturgy of the Word, Proclaiming God's Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Offertory, Stewardship, CCC 1324-1327</i>		
5.2.3	NT, CH	Students will describe the seven Sacraments as supernatural signs of grace instituted by Christ and given to the Church to strengthen our faith and make us holy.	37, 56-57, 258-259, 271, 201	37, 56-57, 258-259, 271, 201
		<i>The 7 Sacraments, Rites, Grace, Effects of each sacrament, formula, symbols, CCC 1076, 1111, 1113</i>		
5.2.4	NT, CH	Students will explain that Baptism gives new life in Christ, cleanses us from Original and personal sin, and joins us to the Body of Christ.	38, 56, 63-70, 73, 76, 81, 301	38, 56, 63-70, 73, 76, 81, 301
		<i>Rite of Baptism, Symbols, Holy Trinity, Original Sin, Adam and Eve, Matthew 28:16-20, CCC 12113-1216, 1263-1264, 1267-1279</i>		
5.2.5	NT, CH	Students will recognize that Confirmation confers the gifts of the Holy Spirit and completes the Sacraments of Initiation.	38, 56, 66, 71-73, 76, 258, 301	38, 56, 66, 71-73, 76, 258, 301
		<i>Rite of Confirmation, Effects, Symbols, Indelible mark, Baptism, Eucharist, gifts of the Holy Spirit, CCC 1212, 1285</i>		
5.2.6	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Eucharist is the real presence of Christ's body, blood, soul, and divinity under the species of bread and wine.	139-141, 303	139-141, 303
		<i>Mass, bread, wine, transubstantiation, words of consecration, John 6:22-71, Matthew 26:26-30, Mark 14:22-26, Luke 22:14-20, 1Cor. 11:23-29, CCC 737, 1352-1354, 1377-1378, 1381, 1411</i>		
5.2.7	NT, CH	Students will explain that the holy Eucharist, re-presents or makes present again the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross.	131-133	131-133
		<i>The Sacrament of Eucharist, the Passion, Death, Resurrection and Ascension, John 18-21, CCC 1366-167, 1382-1383</i>		
5.2.8	NT, CH	Students will explain that through the Sacrament of Reconciliation we restore our relationship with God, our community, and ourselves.	80-82, 148-151, 282, 283	80-82, 148-151, 282, 283
		<i>The Sacrament of Reconciliation, confession, absolution, act of contrition, laying on of hands, forgiveness, CCC 1440-1446</i>		
5.2.9	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick bestows grace and forgiveness of sins upon a Christian experiencing serious illness or death.	38, 57, 155-157, 259	38, 57, 155-157, 259
		<i>The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, healing, grace, forgiveness, viaticum, oil of the sick, James 5:13-20, CCC 1499-1513</i>		
5.2.10	NT, CH	Students will explain that Holy Matrimony joins one man and one woman in an unbreakable covenant signifying the union between Jesus and His Church.	38, 57, 98, 105, 107, 259, 293, 301	38, 57, 98, 105, 107, 259, 293, 301
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, Vows, rings, witness of priest or deacon, CCC 1534, 1601-1605</i>		
5.2.11	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Sacrament of Holy Orders confers the ordained man with the grace of the Holy Spirit required for his sacramental ministry.	38, 57, 90, 97-104, 259, 289, 293, 301	38, 57, 90, 97-104, 259, 289, 293, 301
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Laying on of Hands, Chrism oil, deacon, priest, bishop, CCC 1534, 1536-1553</i>		
5.2.12	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Sacraments provide us with God's grace, healing, forgiveness, and nourishment.	37, 55-57, 81, 258-259, 271, 301	37, 55-57, 81, 258-259, 271, 301
		<i>The effects of the sacraments, symbols, miracle stories in Gospels, CCC 1076, 1113-1121</i>		

5.2.13	NT, CH	Students will describe the order of the holy Mass and explain the liturgical responses of the assembly.	7, 140-141, 144, 260-262, 141	7, 140-141, 144, 260-262, 141
		<i>Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Offertory, Stewardship, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Concluding Rites, Mass responses, CCC 1113, 1136-1162</i>		
5.2.14	NT, CH	Students will explain that sacrament means to make something present and that the Church is the sacrament of Christ in the world.	37, 56-57, 89-96	37, 56-57, 89-96
		<i>The Seven Sacraments, effects, symbols, CCC 1073, 1113-1116</i>		
5.2.15	NT, CH	Students will recognize that through Baptism all followers of Jesus are called to the ministry of service.	63, 65, 67, 279	63, 65, 67, 279
		<i>The Sacrament of Baptism, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Saint Vincent de Paul, hospitals, schools, religious men and women, CCC 797, 1427-1429</i>		
5.2.16	NT, CH	Students will discuss how vocation is saying yes to the calling of God through the fullness of self-giving in marriage, priesthood, or consecrated life.	251, 305	251, 305
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Matrimony, vocation to religious/consecrated life, CCC 3, 825, 836, 1699-1700</i>		
5.2.17	NT, CH	Students will explain why the Church celebrates liturgical feasts and seasons.	82, 123-124, 211, 237-238, 279, 292	82, 123-124, 211, 237-238, 279, 292
		<i>Church calendar, seasons, saints, seasonal colors, Mary, CCC 1163-1173</i>		
5.2.18	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Church reveals the presence of the risen Christ through the Eucharist and the Sacraments.	58,	58,
		<i>Eucharist as Source and Summit of Christian life, the other sacraments, Grace, forgiveness, healing, vocation, CCC 1322-1327</i>		
5.2.19	NT, CH	Students will grow in awe and appreciation of a priest's unique ability to consecrate the Eucharist.	90, 99, 102, 104, 259, 299	90, 99, 102, 104, 259, 299
		<i>CCC 1142, 1565-1566, Vocation Lessons Grade 5 - Priesthood</i>		
5.2.20	NT, CH	Students will internalize the reason God created me, and to apply that purpose to my current family and single state of life.	4, 5-12,29-38	4, 5-12,29-38
		<i>CCC 1-3, 1655-1658, 1666, 2206, Vocation Lessons Grade 5 - Marriage</i>		
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
5.3.1	OT, NT	Students will recognize that God's goodness as recorded in the Bible teaches us about choices and how to live good lives.	13, 130, 177, 180	13, 130, 177, 180
		<i>Holy Bible, Daily readings, Morning prayer, Lectio Divina, CCC 1962, 2055, 2056</i>		
5.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that when we sin it hurts our relationship with God, others, and ourselves.	14, 148, 225-226, 303	14, 148, 225-226, 303
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 403, 980</i>		
5.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the Holy Spirit guides us to choose good rather than evil.	75, 180, 270	75, 180, 270
		<i>Gifts of the Holy Spirit, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Lives of the Saints, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Eucharist, Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Daily prayer, CCC 389-390, 768</i>		
5.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify ways that they can show respect for God's creation.	5-12, 276	5-12, 276
		<i>Creation story, Laudato Si, Stewardship, CCC 299, 24515-2418</i>		
5.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify ways that they can live out the Greatest Commandment.	268, 288	268, 288
		<i>Holy Bible, The Great Commandment, 10 Commandments, The Beatitudes, Individual and communal prayer, CCC 2052, 2055</i>		
5.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize through the Beatitudes, we learn how to trust God, forgive, and show mercy to others.	31, 269, 280	31, 269, 280
		<i>Holy Bible, The Beatitudes, 10 Commandments, Prayer, CCC 1716-1717, 2546-2547</i>		
5.3.7	OT, NT, CH	The students will list ways they can practice the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy - knowing that when we show love for the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized we show love to Jesus.	201, 273, 283, 303,	201, 273, 283, 303,
		<i>Holy Bible, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Matthew 25:31-46, "Least of these..."; Ministry of Charity, Catholic Charities, Catholic Cemeteries, CCC 2443-2447.</i>		
5.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the grace of the Holy Spirit and the leadership of the Church helps us chose what is right.	71-78	71-78
		<i>Holy Bible, Mass, Sacrament of Confirmation, Daily prayer, Magisterium, CCC 1783-1785</i>		

5.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that the first three commandments teach us about loving God and the last seven teach us about loving others. <i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Our Father, Hail Mary, Examination of Conscience, CCC 2066-2067</i>	26, 268, 303, 304	26, 268, 303, 304
5.3.10	NT, CH	Students will explain how participation in our family and parish communities gives us support for living the Christian way of life. <i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Sunday and Holy Day obligations, volunteering, CCC 2179, 2226, 2691</i>	105-112, 266, 274	105-112, 266, 274
5.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize laws, precepts, and other Church teachings as sources for established norms of behavior. <i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Precepts of the Catholic Church, Nicene Creed, Beatitudes, personal and communal prayer, sacraments, forming a conscience, CCC 28, 2041-2043, 2055-2056, 2062</i>	263, 299	263, 299
5.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that God created persons of different races and cultures, but we all are one in God. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1934-1938</i>	22, 92, 93, 208, 300	22, 92, 93, 208, 300
5.3.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we are called to have an appreciation and respect for racial, ethnic, and age differences. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1934-1938</i>	92, 93,	92, 93,
5.3.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will tell what an examination of conscience is. <i>Examination of Conscience, 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, CCC 1454, 1456, 1935</i>	149, 266, 286	149, 266, 286
5.3.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will demonstrate the ability to interpret media considering Catholic Social Teaching. <i>Catholic Social Teaching, CCC 2420-2425, 2493-2499</i>	270-271, 274-276	270-271, 274-276
5.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that we are called to reach out to the poor, lonely, vulnerable, marginalized and suffering just as Jesus did. <i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Precepts of the Catholic Church, CCC 2443-2449</i>	18, 34, 60, 114, 274-276,	18, 34, 60, 114, 274-276,
5.3.17	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Church teaches we must work for a more just and fair world. <i>Catholic Social Teaching, abortion, immigration, CSD-160: The permanent principles of the Church's social doctrine (341) constitute the very heart of Catholic social teaching. These principles, the expression of the whole truth about man known by reason and faith, are born of "the encounter of the Gospel message and of its demands summarized in the supreme commandment of love of God and neighbor in justice with the problems emanating from the life of society". (343), CCC 1928-1942</i>	18, 34, 60, 114, 274-276,	18, 34, 60, 114, 274-276,
5.3.18	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize we should work to protect life from conception to natural death. <i>10 Commandments, abortion, physician assisted suicide, death penalty, aversion to suffering, culture of convenience, throw-away culture, CCC 2258, 2268, 2270-2283</i>	274, 268,	274, 268,
5.3.19	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the Holy Spirit enables us to grow and act in a Christian manner. <i>The gifts of the Holy Spirit, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, 10 Commandments, The Beatitudes, The Great Commandment, CCC 685, 689, 1717, 2013-2014</i>	270, 71-78, 180, 75, 251	270, 71-78, 180, 75, 251
5.3.20	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we are responsible for our own actions and that our actions have consequences. <i>10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, forming a conscience, CCC 1783-1785, 1786-1789</i>	17, 177, 270-271, 133, 130, 180,	17, 177, 270-271, 133, 130, 180,
5.3.21	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize our conscience helps us to know what is right and what is wrong, and to do what we believe is right. <i>Forming a conscience, obedience prayer, 10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 1783-1789</i>	174, 175, 270, 282, 299	174, 175, 270, 282, 299
5.3.22	NT, CH	Students will articulate how virtue is part of 'life according to the Spirit'. <i>Eph. 6:13-17, CCC 736, 1824, 1830, 1839-1841, 2514-2519, TOB 68:1, 69:6</i>	31, 272, 305	31, 272, 305
5.3.23	NT, CH	Students will explain how original nakedness refers to seeing the world and others as God sees, as Gift. <i>CCC 337, 339, 377, 2531, TOB 13, 14:2</i>	5-12, 80, 122	5-12, 80, 122
5.3.24	NT, CH	Students will recognize the influence of the media on safe environments.	GWG	GWG

		Safe environment lesson		
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
5.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that through prayer we as Christians are called to be thankful for the gifts we have been given.	59, 244,	59, 244,
		<i>Prayer before Meals, Prayer after Meals, Guardian Angel Prayer, Prayer of Thanksgiving, Stewardship, Parts of the Mass, Our Father, Psalms, CCC 224, 1328, 2637-2638</i>		
5.4.2	NT, CH	Students will identify the essential elements of the Stations of the Cross.	39, 91, 164, 256-257, 303	39, 91, 164, 256-257, 303
		<i>Stations of the Cross, Lent, Sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, CCC 1667-1676</i>		
5.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will write a prayer on their own about a Catholic theme or doctrine, Liturgical Season, Saint, Thanksgiving, Petition.	4, 88, 172	4, 88, 172
		<i>Write one prayer per quarter kept in prayer journal; Liturgical Year, Church Doctrines, Saints, Adoration time, CCC 2663-2691</i>		
5.4.4	NT, CH	Students will describe Exposition/Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament	280	280
		<i>Exposition and Benediction elements, Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist, CCC 1183, 1379, 2691</i>		
5.4.5	NT, CH	Students will participate in the Rosary and learn the order and prayers.	252-255, 301	252-255, 301
		<i>Rosary prayer and orders, CCC 971, 2708</i>		
5.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that through prayer we believe God the Father is loving, merciful, and forgiving.	244-251, 298	244-251, 298
		<i>Personal prayer, communal prayer, Mass, reading Scripture, Our Father, Parable of the Prodigal Son, CCC 2559-2560</i>		
5.4.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Psalms are found in the Old Testament, written some 500 years before Christ, and that Jesus prayed them.	185-186	185-186
		<i>Bible, Psalms, Exile, Praise, Anger, Love, Hope, Liturgy of the Hours, CCC 1093, 1176-1178, 2585-2589</i>		
5.4.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that Christians need to pray daily to talk with God, develop a relationship of love, and to listen to God's will in our lives.	244-251, 298	244-251, 298
		<i>Personal prayer, communal prayer, meditation, spontaneous prayer, common Catholic prayers, read Scriptures, Lectio Divina, Liturgy of the Hours, Mass, CCC 2564-2565, 2590, 2659-2660, 2744</i>		
5.4.9	NT, CH	Students will be inspired to pray more and to begin to sense God's voice through peace, joy, and courage.	216, 220, 224, 228, 232, 236, 240	216, 220, 224, 228, 232, 236, 240
		<i>CCC 2558-2562, Vocation Lessons Grade 5 - God Calls</i>		
5.4.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize the Liturgy of the Hours as a form of prayer that is part of consecrated religious life. (Also, all deacons, priests and bishops pray LoH, laypeople are encouraged to pray it as well.)	292	292
		<i>CCC 1174-1178, Vocation Lessons Grade 5 - Religious Life</i>		
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RELIGION: Grade 6			Finding God - Student Edition	Finding God - Teacher Edition
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
6.1.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify examples of the Holy Trinity at work among God's people in the Old Testament.	6, 307	6, 307
		<i>The Holy Bible, The Torah, Old Testament, CCC 234, 237</i>		
6.1.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Old Testament stories in which God's goodness prevails over sin and evil.	Garden/ Cain and Abel (18, 21-24), Noah (24, 30, 107) Exodus (64-6, 91) 288, Flood (30), Moses (6, 21, 56, 56-58, 66, 68) David (72-73)	Garden/ Cain and Abel (18, 21-24), Noah (24, 30, 107) Exodus (64-6, 91) 288, Flood (30), Moses (6, 21, 56, 56-58, 66, 68) David (72-73)
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Noah, Call of Abraham, Saving Isaac, Moses and the covenant, 10 Commandments, the Prophets, CCC 702, 703-716</i>		
6.1.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the structure of the Bible.	6-7, 244-245	6-7, 244-245
		<i>OT and NT, Number of books in each testament - 46 OT, 27 NT, the Pentateuch (Torah), 4 parts of OT - Pentateuch, Historical, Wisdom, and Prophetic, 4 Gospels, Epistles, St. Paul, CCC 120-133</i>		
6.1.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that the Bible is the inspired word of God.	5-12, 244-245, 282	5-12, 244-245, 282
		<i>Placing the Bible in history, timeline of books written, inspiration, St. Jerome, Council of Trent, Proclaiming God's Word in Liturgies, CCC 101-114</i>		
6.1.5	NT, CH	Students will tell that God the Father creates out of love.	17, 185, 196, 248, 285	17, 185, 196, 248, 285
		<i>Genesis 1-3, the Annunciation, Infancy Narratives, Husband and Wife, Children, CCC 290-301</i>		
6.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe the events of the Fall and the effects of Original Sin.	21-22, 25, 107, 213, 258, 298	21-22, 25, 107, 213, 258, 298
		<i>Genesis 1-3, Original Sin, Prologue of John, Free Will, Moral conscience, venial and mortal sin, loss of original created holiness, sin damages relationship with God, Church, others, self, suffering and death entered the world, CCC 385-390</i>		
6.1.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the covenants that God made with us.	24, 37, 132, 134, 185, 285	24, 37, 132, 134, 185, 285
		<i>Adam and Eve, Noah, Abraham, Moses, David, Jesus the new and everlasting covenant, CCC 62-64, 522, 761-762, 781, 2795</i>		
6.1.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how Jesus is the fulfillment of the OT covenants.	24, 37, 132, 134, 185, 285	24, 37, 132, 134, 185, 285
		<i>Genesis 3:15, Prophet Isaiah, CCC 65-67, 522, 763-766</i>		
6.1.9	OT	Students will give examples of how the Holy Spirit is the breath of life and the fire of love in the OT.	6-7,	6-7,
		<i>God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, Three persons-One God, Genesis 1, "And God said...", CCC 105-114</i>		
6.1.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify Biblical examples of the mysteries of life; e.g., suffering, injustice, and death.	Garden/ Cain and Abel (18, 21-24), Noah (24, 30, 107) Exodus (64-6, 91) 288, Flood (30), Moses (6, 21, 56, 56-58, 66, 68)	Garden/ Cain and Abel (18, 21-24), Noah (24, 30, 107) Exodus (64-6, 91) 288, Flood (30), Moses (6, 21, 56, 56-58, 66, 68)
		<i>The Fall, Cain and Abel, The Great Flood, Slavery in Egypt, the Exile, the massacre of the infants, the Passion, CCC 164</i>		
6.1.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that God created all things and continues to care for all His creation.	13-20	13-20
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, Prologue of John, Nicene Creed, CCC 290-292, 301</i>		
6.1.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify and explain stories in which the prophets spoke out against injustice and suffering.	131-136	131-136
		<i>Jeremiah, Isaiah, CCC 64, 201, 218, 601</i>		

6.1.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the role of priest, prophet, and king in salvation history.	91, 94 (pri - 183, 259, 301) (pro - 131-138, 301) (king - 90-91, 99, 107)	91, 94 (pri - 183, 259, 301) (pro - 131-138, 301) (king - 90-91, 99, 107)
		<i>Jesus as Priest, Prophet, and King, CCC 783-786, "The Church's deepest nature is expressed in her three-fold responsibility: of proclaiming the Word of God (kerygma-martyria), celebrating the sacraments (leitourgia), and exercising the ministry of charity (diakonia).</i>		
6.1.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that faith is a gift from God that we need to accept or reject.	174-175, 178, 202, 106	174-175, 178, 202, 106
		CCC 153		
6.1.15	NT, CH	Students will recognize the Apostle's Creed and Nicene Creed are summary of the beliefs of the Catholic Church.	285, (A - 160, 248, 252, 280) (N - 114, 249, 297)	285, (A - 160, 248, 252, 280) (N - 114, 249, 297)
		<i>Apostle's Creed, Nicene Creed, Holy Trinity, Incarnation, Passion, death, resurrection, Communion of Saints, One, Holy Catholic, Apostolic, CCC 187, 194-197</i>		
6.1.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the Holy Spirit is always present and active in the lives if / of people.	92-93, 106, 272, 291	92-93, 106, 272, 291
		<i>Holy Trinity, Matthew 18:20, Pentecost, Matthew 28:16-20, Acts 2, CC 685, 689, 702-703, 707, 731</i>		
6.1.17	NT, CH	Students will recognize that God dwells within the Church, the Body of Christ.	89, 107, 112, 114	89, 107, 112, 114
		<i>Tabernacle, Blessed Sacrament, World-wide Church, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, Laity, CCC 737, 739, 797-798, 813</i>		
6.1.18	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Pope is the leader of the Roman Catholic Church	7, 115, 183, 300	7, 115, 183, 300
		<i>Holy Father, Bishop of Rome, St. Peter, Rock, Cardinals, Election, White smoke, CCC 857-860</i>		
6.1.19	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Church is the Body of Christ, Jesus is the Head, we are members.	89, 107, 114, 120	89, 107, 114, 120
		<i>Vine and branches, Communion of Saints, CCC 779, 789, 805</i>		
6.1.20	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we receive a heritage of faith from those who have gone before us.	238, 239, 284	238, 239, 284
		<i>The 12 Apostles, Communion of Saints, Martyrs, CCC 166, 171, 181, 946-948, 962, 2473</i>		
6.1.21	NT, CH	Students will exhibit wonder and awe at the generosity of God in the gifts of his abundant and beautiful creation.	13-20, 190, 285	13-20, 190, 285
		<i>Stewardship, CCC 293-295, 341, TOB 2-3, 13:2</i>		
6.1.22	NT, CH	Students will explain how creation is a good gift created from nothing.	13-20	13-20
		CCC 296-298, TOB 13:4		
6.1.23	NT, CH	Students will differentiate how man, as the pinnacle of creation, is both similar and dissimilar from God.	11, 14, 16, 18, 71, 123,	11, 14, 16, 18, 71, 123,
		CCC 339-344, 355-358, TOB 6-7, 9:2-3		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
6.2.1	NT, CH	Students will recognize the many signs and symbols of the OT are a type of foreshadowing of the celebration of the Sacraments.	81, 108, 141, 208, 298	81, 108, 141, 208, 298
		<i>7 Sacraments, Manna and Bread, Priest and Sacrifice, blood on the door post and blood on the cross, Red Sea and waters of baptism, CCC 1079-1083, 1150, 1217-1222</i>		
6.2.2	NT, CH	Students will define sacraments as outward signs of inward grace instituted by Jesus that makes God's grace present to us.	147, 258-259, 303	147, 258-259, 303
		<i>Signs and symbols of each sacrament, Effects, formula, God's grace is a free gift we choose to cooperate, Sin impedes grace, CCC 1076, 1111, 1113, 1131</i>		
6.2.3	NT, CH	Students will compare the Sacramental actions of the Church with ancient Jewish rituals.	55-62, 299	55-62, 299
		<i>The 7 Sacraments, Rites, Grace, Effects of each sacrament, formula, symbols, Passover, Sabbath, Sin offerings, Sacrifice, Synagogue service, CCC 1079-1083, 1150, 1217-1222</i>		
6.2.4	NT, CH	Students will recognize and celebrate the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist.	55-62, 147-149, 152, 238, 258, 288	55-62, 147-149, 152, 238, 258, 288

		<i>Body, Blood, Soul, Divinity, Bread, Wine, Words of Consecration, Transubstantiation, Source and Summit of Christian life, CCC 1374-1375, 1376-1381</i>		
6.2.5	NT, CH	Students will explain and experience the rituals, practices, and disciplines found in the Mass and other Sacramental Rites.	39, 148, 247, 252, 289, 291,305	39, 148, 247, 252, 289, 291,305
		<i>Genuflecting, Sitting, Standing, Responding, Singing, Bowing, Kneeling, Holy Water, Sign of the Cross, Praying, Offertory, Stewardship, CCC 1153, 1156-1158, 1159</i>		
6.2.6	NT, CH	Students will experience the sacred in the liturgical year, sacramentals, symbols, and rituals.	37, 212, 211, 294, 303,	37, 212, 211, 294, 303,
		<i>Liturgical year, colors, vestments, Crucifix, Holy Water, Holy Oils, Candles, Sacred Art and Music, CCC 1667-1670, 1671-1673, 1674-1676</i>		
6.2.7	NT, CH	Students will experience and participate in liturgical celebrations with family and church community.	55-62, 147-149, 238, 258, 288	55-62, 147-149, 238, 258, 288
		<i>Attending Mass on Sunday and throughout the week, Source and Summit of the Christian Life, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Individual confession, God's mercy and forgiveness, CCC 1384-1390, 1457, 2180-2183</i>		
6.2.8	NT, CH	Students will examine that the Holy Spirit calls all people to conversion and faithfulness.	93-94, 106, 108, 114, 182, 291	93-94, 106, 108, 114, 182, 291
		<i>Pentecost, the birth of the Church - Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist, CCC 684-686</i>		
6.2.9	NT, CH	Students will explain by virtue of our Baptism, we are called to know, love and serve God, and one another.	112, 147, 148, 258, 281	112, 147, 148, 258, 281
		<i>Sacrament of Holy Matrimony and Holy Orders, Consecrated Life, Sacred Single Life, CCC 1212, 1213-1216</i>		
6.2.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we are called by God and sent on mission.	147, 287	147, 287
		<i>Baptism, Confirmation, indelible marks, evangelization, priest, prophet, king, CCC 849-856, 858-859</i>		
6.2.11	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Sacrament of Holy Orders confers the ordained man with the grace of the Holy Spirit required for his sacramental ministry.	94, 182-183, 259, 291	94, 182-183, 259, 291
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Laying on of Hands, Chrism Oil, deacon, priest, bishop, CCC 1534, 1536-1553</i>		
6.2.12	NT, CH	Students will describe the order of the holy Mass and explain the liturgical responses of the assembly.	260-263	260-263
		<i>Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Proclaiming God's Word in Liturgies, Offertory, Stewardship, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Concluding Rites, Mass responses, CCC 1113, 1136-1162</i>		
6.2.13	NT, CH	Students will explain that sacrament means to make something present and that the Church is the sacrament of Christ in the world.	89, 107,120, 258-259, 303	89, 107,120, 258-259, 303
		<i>The 7 sacraments, effects, symbols, CCC 1076, 1113-1116</i>		
6.2.14	NT, CH	Students will recognize that through Baptism all followers of Jesus are called to the ministry of service.	147-148, 231, 258, 281	147-148, 231, 258, 281
		<i>The Sacrament of Baptism, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Saint Vincent de Paul, hospitals, schools, religious men and women, CCC 798, 1427-1429</i>		
6.2.15	NT, CH	Students will discuss how vocation is saying yes to the calling of God through the fullness of self-giving in marriage, or priesthood, or consecrated life.	130, 181, 307	130, 181, 307
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Matrimony, vocation to religious/consecrated life, CCC 3, 825, 836, 1699-1700</i>		
6.2.16	NT, CH	Students will explain why the Church celebrates liturgical feasts and seasons.	37, 211, 212, 294 (213 - 240 Seasons)	37, 211, 212, 294 (213 - 240 Seasons)
		<i>Church calendar, seasons, saints, colors, Mary, Holy days, Solemnities, Feasts, CCC 1163-1173</i>		
6.2.17	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Church reveals the presence of the risen Christ through the Eucharist and the Sacraments.	55, 60, 147	55, 60, 147
		<i>Eucharist as source and summit of Christian life, the other sacraments, Grace, forgiveness, healing, vocation, CCC 1322-1327</i>		
6.2.18	NT, CH	Students will identify ways to act in virtue and charity within marriage and family.	181-185, 286	181-185, 286

		<i>CCC 1655-1657, 2201, Vocation Lessons Grade 6 - Marriage</i>		
6.2.19	NT, CH	Students will identify good characteristics needed for the priesthood.	94, 183, 259, 301	94, 183, 259, 301
		<i>CCC 1548-1551, 1562-1568, Vocation Lessons Grade 6 - Priesthood</i>		
6.2.20	NT, CH	Students will trust in God's plan if he calls you to religious life.	130, 181, 302, 308	130, 181, 302, 308
		<i>CCC 914-919, Vocation Lessons Grade 6 - Religious Life</i>		
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
6.3.1	OT, NT	Students will give examples of how the saints lived holy and virtuous lives yet struggled with sin.	238, 282, 304, (Jerome 2-4)(Tof A 178) (T of L 176, 178) (JN 44-46) (JPII 190, 256, 192) (IofL 128-130)	238, 282, 304, (Jerome 2-4)(Tof A 178) (T of L 176, 178) (JN 44-46) (JPII 190, 256, 192) (IofL 128-130)
		<i>Particular Saints - Francis Xavier, Theodora Guerin Co-patrons of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, Elizabeth Ann Seton - first American born saint, many others, CCC 2013-2014, 2030, 2156, 2683-2684</i>		
6.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe that when we sin it hurts our relationship with God, others, ourselves, and creation.	21-28, 73, 154, 157, 296	21-28, 73, 154, 157, 296
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 403, 980</i>		
6.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the Holy Spirit guides us to choose good rather than evil.	106, 108, 114, 182,	106, 108, 114, 182,
		<i>Gifts of the Holy Spirit, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Lives of the Saints, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Eucharist, Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Daily prayer, CCC 389-690, 768</i>		
6.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify ways that they can show respect for God's creation and become stewards of the following.	16,20, 189-96, 278, 305	16,20, 189-96, 278, 305
		<i>Creation - our common home, good stewards (stewardship), of the environment, the poor and marginalized, each other, CCC 299, 2415-2418</i>		
6.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify and recite the 10 Commandments.	66, 68, 70, 73, 90, 242,270, 273, 306	66, 68, 70, 73, 90, 242,270, 273, 306
		<i>Decalogue, 10 Commandments, CCC 2056-2063, 2066</i>		
6.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize through the Beatitudes, we learn how to trust God, forgive, and show mercy to others.	271, 282	271, 282
		<i>Holy Bible, The Beatitudes, 10 Commandments, Prayer, CCC 1716-1717, 2546-2547</i>		
6.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will list ways they can practice the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy - knowing that when we show love for the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized we show love to Jesus.	(C - 197, 275, 285) (S - 275, 305)	(C - 197, 275, 285) (S - 275, 305)
		<i>Holy Bible, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Matthew 25:31-46, "Least of these...", Ministry of Charity, Catholic Charities, Catholic Cemeteries, CCC 2443-2447</i>		
6.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the grace of the Holy Spirit and the leadership of the Church helps us choose what is right.	10, 72-74, 272-273,	10, 72-74, 272-273,
		<i>Holy Bible, Mass, Sacrament of Confirmation, Daily prayer, Magisterium, CCC 1783-1785</i>		
6.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how following the 10 Commandment allow us to avoid sin and love freely.	66, 68, 70, 73, 90, 242,270, 273, 306	66, 68, 70, 73, 90, 242,270, 273, 306
		<i>10 Commandments, Informed Conscience, CCC 1962, 2062, 2072-2073</i>		
6.3.10	NT, CH	Students will explain how participation in our family and parish communities gives us support for living the Christian way of life.	106, 198, 268, 284	106, 198, 268, 284
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Sunday and Holy Day obligations, volunteering, CCC 2179, 2226, 2691</i>		

6.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize laws, precepts, and other Church teachings as sources for established norms of behaviors.	10, 255, 301	10, 255, 301
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Precepts of the Catholic Church, Nicene Creed, Beatitudes, personal and communal prayers, sacraments, forming a conscience. CCC 28, 2041-2043, 2055-2056, 2062</i>		
6.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that God created persons of different races and cultures, but we all are one in God.	15, 18, 286, 302	15, 18, 286, 302
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1934-1938</i>		
6.3.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we are called to have an appreciation and respect for racial, ethnic, and age differences.	15, 18,	15, 18,
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1934-1938</i>		
6.3.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will tell what an examination of conscience is.	268, 288	268, 288
		<i>Examination of Conscience, 10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 1454, 1456, 1935</i>		
6.3.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize God's people are called to continual conversion, reform and renewal.	285	285
		<i>Seek forgiveness, forgive others, CCC 1427, 1431-1432</i>		
6.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that we are called to reach out to the poor, lonely, vulnerable, marginalized, and suffering just as Christ did.	197, 275- 276, 276-278, 285	197, 275- 276, 276-278, 285
		<i>10 Commandments, The Great Commandment, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, Precepts of the Catholic Church, CCC 2443-2449</i>		
6.3.17	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Church teachers we must work for a more just and fair world.	197, 275- 276, 276-278, 285	197, 275- 276, 276-278, 285
		<i>Catholic social teaching, abortion, immigration, CSD - 160: The permanent principles of the Church's social doctrine (341) constitute the very heart of Catholic social teaching. These are the principles of: the dignity of the human person, the common good, subsidiarity and solidarity. These principles, the expression of the whole truth about man known by reason and faith, are born of "encounter of the Gospel message and of its demands summarized in the supreme commandment of love of God and neighbor in justice with the problems emanating from the life of society" (343), CCC 1928-1942</i>		
6.3.18	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize we should work to protect life from conception to natural death.	276	276
		<i>10 Commandments, abortion, medical assisted suicide, death penalty, CCC 2258, 2268, 2270-2283</i>		
6.3.19	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the Holy Spirit enables us to grow and act in a Christian manner.	9, 114, 270,	9, 114, 270,
		<i>The gifts of the Holy Spirit, Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy, 10 Commandments, the Great Commandment, CCC 686, 689, 1717, 2013-2014</i>		
6.3.20	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we are responsible for our own actions and that our actions have consequences.	76, 77, 227	76, 77, 227
		<i>10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, forming a moral conscience, CCC 1783-1785, 1786-1789</i>		
6.3.21	OT, NT CH	Students will recognize that God sends prophets into our midst to call us back to God's justice, mercy, and love.	80, 131-138, 139-146, 154, 301	80, 131-138, 139-146, 154, 301
		<i>Saints, holy men and women, Prophets of the OT</i>		
6.3.22	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that they cannot out sin God's mercy.	16, 26, 159, 295,	16, 26, 159, 295,
		<i>Contrition, Sacrament of Reconciliation, CCC 210-211, 270, 1864, 2091</i>		
6.3.23	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus is the model of chastity and He calls all of us to live a chaste life and that chastity is a positive virtue that helps us say yes to God's plans for our lives.	275, 283	275, 283
		<i>10 Commandments, Sacrament of Reconciliation, forming a moral conscience, vocations CCC 520-521, 2345, 2348</i>		
6.3.24	OT, NT, CH	Students will appreciate and recognize the beauty of the complementarity of humans as male and female as created by God.	16, 18,	16, 18,

		<i>Human persons created in the image and likeness of God - both male and female, Humans unique to God's creation, we learn about ourselves in the image of the Holy Trinity as a gift to others. Humans are called to love like the Trinity - free, total, faithful, and fruitful, CCC 369-373, TOB 8:1, 9:1, 10:1, 13:3, 14:1, 16:1-2</i>		
6.3.25	OT, NT, CH	Students will exhibit the virtue of reverence for God, His creation, and other people by treating them with respect and honor, for God is all good and His creation is a good gift. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Stewardship, CCC 2096-2097, 2415-2418, 2479, TOB 14:4, 15:4, 119-120, 132:1</i>	13-20, 189-196, 278	13-20, 189-196, 278
6.3.26	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the human body is a visible sign - a sacrament of God's invisible love. <i>CCC 355-356, 364, TOB 19:4</i>	92-94	92-94
6.3.27	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe how the human body is the "temple of the Holy Spirit" 1Cor. 6:15, and why it is necessary to "glorify God in your body" 1 Cor. 6:20. <i>CCC 2516, 2519, TOB 57:2</i>	92-94	92-94
6.3.28	NT, CH	Students will define "original experience" as the most basic human experiences all humanity has in common: original, solitude, original unity, original nakedness. <i>TOB 4:4, 11:1</i>	71, 292	71, 292
6.3.29	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how original solitude means the experience of man's being alone with God; his unique relationship with God. <i>CCC 374-375, TOB 6:2</i>	98, 244-245,	98, 244-245,
6.3.30	NT, CH	Students will define original unity as the experience of man's unity in difference; the unique relation between male and female. <i>CCC 369-373, TOB 9:1</i>	16, 18,	16, 18,
6.3.31	OT, NT, CH	Students will define original nakedness as experiencing the true and clear vision of the person; as gift and in God's image. <i>CCC 337, 339, 377, TOB 13:1</i>	16, 18, 21-26, 156	16, 18, 21-26, 156
6.3.32	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain how the man in the image of the Trinity learns about himself through a gift of himself. (?) <i>CCC 355-357, 1889, GS 24:3, TOB 8:4, 9:1-3, 10:1, 15:1</i>	276, 307	276, 307
6.3.33	NT, CH	Students will explain gift of self as thoughts, words, or actions that place oneself at the service of others and seek the true good of the other. <i>CCC 1609, 1667, 1889, 1914, 1926, TOB 14:2</i>	181, 182	181, 182
6.3.34	OT, NT, CH	<i>Students will describe how the body-soul unity reveals man's special dignity.</i> <i>CCC 2518, 2520-2524, TOB 18:4, 19:3-5, 23:5, 56-57:3</i>	14-16, 156,	14-16, 156,
6.3.35	OT, NT, CH	Students will be better able to identify, form, and maintain healthy relationships - distinguishing between healthy and unhealthy relationships. <i>Safe Environment Lesson</i>	16, 18, (GWG)	16, 18, (GWG)
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
6.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will tell that through prayer we as Christians are called to be thankful for the gifts we have been given. <i>Prayer before meals, Prayer after meals, Guardian Angel, Prayer of Thanksgiving, Parts of the Mass, Our Father, Psalms, Stewardship, CCC 224, 1328, 2637-2638</i>	, 208	, 208
6.4.2	NT, CH	Students will identify the essential elements of the Stations of the Cross. <i>Stations of the Cross, Lent, Sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary, CCC 1667-1676</i>	256-257, 305	256-257, 305
6.4.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will write a prayer on their own about a Catholic theme or doctrine, Liturgical Season, Saint, Thanksgiving, Petition.	100, 130, 300	100, 130, 300

		<i>Write one prayer per quarter kept in prayer journal, Liturgical Year, Church doctrines, Saints, Adoration time, CCC 2663-2691</i>		
6.4.4	NT, CH	Students will describe and participate in Eucharistic Adoration.		
		<i>Exposition and Benediction elements, Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist, posture, genuflection, CCC 1178, 1183, 1378-1381, 1418, 2691</i>		
6.4.5	NT, CH	Students will demonstrate how to pray using Scripture.	5, 7 38, 80, 97, 142, 148, 191, 304	5, 7 38, 80, 97, 142, 148, 191, 304
		<i>Lectio Divina, Liturgy of the Hours, Psalms recitation, Wisdom books, Daily Readings, CCC 2568, 2585, 2623-2625, 2653-2654</i>		
6.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will participate in daily prayer routines as a deepening awareness of our covenant relationship with God.	97-104, 244-245,	97-104, 244-245,
		<i>Personal prayer, communal prayer, Mass, reading Scripture, Our Father, Hail Mary, Lectio Divina, Mercy Chaplet, Rosary, Liturgy of the Hours, CCC 2650-2651, 2663, 2685-2690, 2697-2699</i>		
6.4.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Psalms are found in the Old Testament, written some 500 years before Christ, and that Jesus prayed them.	75, 97-104, 242, 301	75, 97-104, 242, 301
		<i>Bible, Psalms, Exile, Praise, Anger, Love, Hope, Liturgy of the Hours, CCC 1093, 1176-1178, 2585-2589</i>		
6.4.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will memorize and recite the following prayers.	246-253	246-253
		<i>Memorare, Saint Michael Prayer, Mysteries of the Rosary, Stations of the Cross</i>		
6.4.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will prayerfully ask questions about life, then listen for God's answers.	98, 130, 251	98, 130, 251
		<i>CCC 2742-2745, Vocation Lessons Grade 6 - Discernment</i>		
*	*	*Standards appearing in bold print constitute the entire grade-level list for parish catechetical programs. This reflects the distinction between annual hours of instruction in parish programs (30-35 hours) and Catholic elementary schools (60-108 hours).		

RELIGION: Grade 7			Finding God - Student Edition	Finding God - Teacher Edition
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
7.1.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify examples of the Holy Trinity at work among God's people in the Old Testament. <i>The Holy Bible, The Torah, Old Testament, CCC 234, 237</i>	256-257	256-257
7.1.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Old Testament stories in which God's goodness prevails over sin and evil. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Noah, Cain and Abel, Abraham, Saving Isaac, Moses and the covenant, 10 Commandments, the Prophets, CCC 702, 703-716</i>	256-257	256-257
7.1.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize and differentiate the types of literature contained in the Bible. <i>OT and NT, Number of books in each testament - 46 OT, 27 NT, the Pentateuch, (Torah), 4 parts of OT - Pentateuch, Historical, Wisdom, and Prophetic, 4 Gospels, Pauline Epistles, St. Paul, Catholic Epistles, CCC 120-133</i>	253 - 265, 255 , 303	253 - 265, 255 , 303
7.1.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will recall and explain the doctrines and dogmas articulated in the Nicene Creed. <i>Nicene Creed, Apostle's Creed, Holy Trinity, Incarnation, Mary, Pontius Pilate, Communion of Saints, CCC 187, 195, 198-continuing to CCC 865</i>	276, 314, 316	276, 314, 316
7.1.5	NT, CH	Students will appreciate the Nicene Creed as being the universal proclamation of faith. <i>Council of Nicea, Nicene Creed, 12 articles of faith, Council of Constantinople, Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed, CCC 185-197</i>	276, 314, 316	276, 314, 316
7.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe the events of the Fall and the effects of Original Sin. <i>Genesis 1-3, Original Sin, Prologue of John, Free Will, Moral conscience, venial and mortal sin, loss of original created holiness, sin damages relationship with God, Church, others, self; suffering and death entered the world due to sin, CCC 385-390</i>	12, 22-23, 294, 316	12, 22-23, 294, 316
7.1.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will define the Holy Trinity as the Central Mystery of our Catholic faith. <i>Holy Trinity, 3 Persons one God, the Prologue of John, CCC 234</i>	4-10, 323	4-10, 323
7.1.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify Biblical examples of the mysteries of life; e.g., suffering, injustice, and death. <i>The Fall, Cain and Abel, The Great Flood, Slavery in Egypt, the Exile, the massacre of the innocents, the Passion, CCC 164</i>	22, 182, 196, 256, 308	22, 182, 196, 256, 308
7.1.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain the Paschal Mystery. <i>The Passion, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of Jesus, CCC 571-573, 598, 613-614, 638, 659-661</i>	31, 152, 168, 258	31, 152, 168, 258
7.1.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the Holy Spirit is always present and active in the lives of people. <i>Holy Trinity, Matthew 18:20, Pentecost, Matthew 28:16-20, Acts, 2, Pentecost is not part of the Paschal Mystery, CCC 683-690</i>	188-189, 217, 263	188-189, 217, 263
7.1.11	NT, CH	Students will recognize that God dwells within the Church, the Body of Christ. <i>Tabernacle, Blessed Sacrament, World-wide Church, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, Laity, 7 Sacraments, CCC 424, 779, 789, 805, 823</i>	161, 212-213, 246, 286	161, 212-213, 246, 286
7.1.12	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Pope is the leader of the Roman Catholic Church. <i>Holy Father, Bishop of Rome, St. Peter, Rock, Cardinals, Election, White smoke, CCC 857-860</i>	90, 318	90, 318
7.1.13	NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain how the Incarnation is the Father's action of salvation for the world through Jesus Christ. <i>Infancy Narratives of Luke and Matthew, Mary, Joseph, Fiat of Mary, New Eve, CCC 461-463, 464, 470, 479, 483</i>	46, 48, 50, 229, 311	46, 48, 50, 229, 311
7.1.14	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we receive a heritage of faith from those who have gone before us. <i>The 12 Apostles, Communion of Saints, Martyrs, CCC 166, 171, 181, 946-948, 962, 2473</i>	207, 305	207, 305
7.1.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain after the Fall, creation remains a good gift, it is not totally corrupted, and it is able to be redeemed. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 410-412, 422, 1045-1048, TOB 32:3, 86</i>	22, 182, 196-197,	22, 182, 196-197,
7.1.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the role of priest, prophet, and king in salvation history.	12-13,	12-13,

		<i>Jesus as Priest, Prophet, and King, CCC 783-786, "The Church's deepest nature is expressed in her three-fold responsibility: of proclaiming the Word of God (kerygma-martyria), celebrating the sacraments (leitourgia), and exercising the ministry of charity (diakonia). These duties presuppose each other and are inseparable. For the Church, charity is not a kind of welfare activity which could equally well be left to others, but is a part of her nature, an indispensable expression of her very being - Deus Caritas Est (God is Love) no. 25</i>		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
7.2.1	NT, CH	Students will recognize the many signs and symbols of the OT are used in the celebration of the Sacraments.	14, 72, 74, 169, 240, 289, 310, 320 (Sabbath) 23, 136-137, 152, 236, 317 (Passover)	14, 72, 74, 169, 240, 289, 310, 320 (Sabbath) 23, 136-137, 152, 236, 317 (Passover)
		<i>7 Sacraments, Manna and Bread, Priest and sacrifice, blood on the door post and blood on the cross, Red Sea and waters of baptism, CCC 1079-1083, 1150, 1217-1222</i>		
7.2.2	NT, CH	Students will define sacraments as outward signs of inward grace instituted by Jesus that make God's grace present to us. They are visible and efficacious signs of God's grace.	5, 102-103, 199, 287-288, 320	5, 102-103, 199, 287-288, 320
		<i>Signs and symbols of each sacrament, Effects, formula, God's grace is a free gift we choose to cooperate. Sin impedes grace, CCC 1076, 1111, 1113, 1131</i>		
7.2.3	NT, CH	Students will compare the Sacramental actions of the Church with ancient Jewish rituals.	14, 72, 74, 169, 240, 289, 310, 320 (Sabbath) 23, 136-137, 152, 236, 317 (Passover)	14, 72, 74, 169, 240, 289, 310, 320 (Sabbath) 23, 136-137, 152, 236, 317 (Passover)
		<i>The 7 Sacraments, Rites, Grace, Effects of each sacrament, formula, symbols, Passover, Sabbath, Sin offerings, Sacrifice, Synagogue service, CCC 1079-183, 1150, 1217-1222</i>		
7.2.4	NT, CH	Students will identify and explain the liturgical ministries of Lector, Cantor, Altar Server/Acolyte, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.	139, 308, 313,	139, 308, 313,
		<i>Liturgy of the Word, Proclaiming God's Word in the Liturgies, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Mass, Lectionary, Music, Song, CCC 1142-1144, 1348</i>		
7.2.5	NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.	162, 320	162, 320
		<i>Catechumens, Candidates, The Triduum, Holy Saturday, Exorcism, Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist, CCC 1229-1233, 1247-1249</i>		
7.2.6	NT, CH	Students will differentiate the Liturgy of the Word and Liturgy of the Eucharist.	169, 289, 290, 313	169, 289, 290, 313
		<i>Order of the Mass, Proclaiming God's Word, Offertory, Stewardship, Eucharistic Prayers, Consecration, Dismissal, CCC 1100-1103, 1330-1132, 1345-1355</i>		
7.2.7	NT, CH	Students will experience and participate in liturgical celebrations with family and church community.	280-282, 289-291,	280-282, 289-291,
		<i>Attending Mass on Sunday and throughout the week, Source and Summit of the Christian Life, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Individual confession, God's mercy and forgiveness, CCC 1384-1390, 1457, 2180-2183</i>		
7.2.8	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Mass is the worship of God par excellence.	58, 102, 136-139, 163	58, 102, 136-139, 163
		<i>Source and Summit of the Christian life, people and priest offer to God the Father the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ in the holy Eucharist, Offertory, Stewardship, Proclaiming God's Word, Sacrifice, Sacrament, Consecration, Transubstantiation, CCC 1345-1355</i>		
7.2.9	NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain how Jesus is present in the Mass.	58, 102, 136-139, 163	58, 102, 136-139, 163
		<i>Liturgy of the Word, Proclaiming God's Word in the Liturgies, Liturgy of the Eucharist, present in the assembly, present in the Word, in the priest, most especially in the consecrated bread and wine, CCC 1374-1375, 1376-1381</i>		
7.2.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Eucharist is the sacrifice of the body and blood of Jesus.	58, 102, 136-139, 163	58, 102, 136-139, 163
		<i>Last Supper, Holy Thursday, re-presenting Christ's sacrifice on the cross, Good Friday, CCC 1366-1367, 1382-1383</i>		
7.2.11	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Sacrament of Holy Orders confers the ordained man with the grace of the Holy Spirit required for his sacramental ministry.	102-103, 199, 288	102-103, 199, 288
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Laying on of Hands, Chrism Oil, deacon, priest, bishop, CCC 1534, 1536-1553</i>		
7.2.12	NT, CH	Students will participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.	102-103, 117, 232, 287, 293, 297, 320	102-103, 117, 232, 287, 293, 297, 320

		<i>Examination of Conscience, confession of sins to a priest, Act of Contrition, words of absolution, penance, CCC 1440-1470</i>		
7.2.13	NT, CH	Students will articulate and defend the teaching that Catholics receive the forgiveness of sins through the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation.	102-103, 117, 232, 287, 293, 297, 320	102-103, 117, 232, 287, 293, 297, 320
		<i>John 20:22-23, CCC 984, 1496</i>		
7.2.14	NT, CH	Students will recognize the Church's teaching on marriage and divorce as origination from Jesus' words.	288, 139, 103, 199, 320	288, 139, 103, 199, 320
		<i>Matthew 19:3-9, CCC 1601-1602, 1612-1617, 1644-1651, Vocation Lessons Grade 7 - Marriage</i>		
7.2.15	NT, CH	Students will marvel at Christ's power at work in the priesthood.	7, 12, 117, 199, 318	7, 12, 117, 199, 318
		<i>CCC 1536, 1548-1551, 1562-1568, Vocation Lessons Grade 7 - Priesthood</i>		
7.2.16	NT, CH	Students will learn how religious life fosters depth of character.	319	319
		<i>CCC 914-919, Vocation Lessons Grade 7 - Religious Life</i>		
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
7.3.1	OT, NT	Students will give examples of how the saints lived holy and virtuous lives yet struggled with sin.	207, 248-249, 250, 320	207, 248-249, 250, 320
		<i>Particular Saints - Francis Xavier, Theodora Guerin Co-Patrons of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, Elizabeth Ann Seton - first American-born saint, many others, CCC 2013-2014, 2030, 2156, 2683-2684</i>		
7.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the human person is good but wounded by original sin and its consequences.	144, 293	144, 293
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, Baptism, Reconciliation, concupiscence, ignorance, weakness, free will, CCC 388-389, 3901, 397, 416-418, 1870-1876</i>		
7.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate sin as an action by which we willingly and knowingly violate the will of God.	145, 293, 321	145, 293, 321
		<i>Original Sin, 10 Commandments, free will, the Fall, CCC 397-401, 415, 705, 817-818, 845, 1487</i>		
7.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will differentiate between mortal and venial sin.	(m - 117, 119, 139, 171, 293, 315, 320) (v- 117, 293, 323)	(m - 117, 119, 139, 171, 293, 315, 320) (v- 117, 293, 323)
		<i>Free will, Sacrament of Reconciliation, gravity, knowledge, freedom to choose, CCC 1854-1869</i>		
7.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify and recite the 10 Commandments.	14, 22, 23, 108, 109, 257, 268, 323	14, 22, 23, 108, 109, 257, 268, 323
		<i>Decalogue, 10 Commandments, CCC 2056-2063, 2066</i>		
7.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we as Christians will examine the distribution and use of resources in light of the Gospel.	160, 196, 318	160, 196, 318
		<i>Stewardship, time, talent, treasure, Catholic Social Teaching, CCC 2420-2425, 2426-2436, 2443-2449</i>		
7.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will list ways they can practice the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy - knowing that when we show love for the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized we show love to Jesus.	38, 270, 306, 322	38, 270, 306, 322
		<i>Holy Bible, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Matthew 25:31-46, "Least of these..."; Ministry of Charity, Catholic Charities, Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Catholic Cemeteries, CCC 2443-2447</i>		
7.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that injustices are caused by discrimination and prejudice.	307, 319,	307, 319,
		<i>CCC 1934-1938</i>		
7.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize laws, precepts, and other Church teachings as sources for established norms of behavior.	260, 268, 307, 315, 318	260, 268, 307, 315, 318
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Precepts of the Catholic Church, Nicene Creed, Beatitudes, personal and communal prayer, sacraments, forming a conscience, CCC 374-379, 400, 2514-2516, 2517-2520, 2528-2531, 2541, 2543-2544, 2546, 2548-2549, 2555, 2557</i>		
7.3.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate and elaborate upon the Great Commandment.	50, 52, 266, 270, 310	50, 52, 266, 270, 310
		<i>Love God with your whole heart, and to love neighbor as yourself; Matthew 22:36-40, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, 1Cor. 13:1-13, CCC 2083, 2196</i>		
7.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize specific doctrines referencing sexual morality.	GWG / 288, 294-295	GWG / 288, 294-295
		<i>Commandments 6 and 9, fornication, adultery, contraception, chastity, abortion, masturbation, IVF in vitro fertilization, same-sex attraction, CCC 355, 383</i>		

7.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that contraception is contrary to God's plan for marriage and sex. <i>Using contraception constitutes grave sin, Humanae Vitae, CCC 1652-1654, 2373-2379</i>	288	288
7.3.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that all Christians are called to live a chaste lifestyle and that chastity is a positive virtue that helps us say yes to God's plans for our lives. <i>Sexual relations are appropriate only to a married couple - one man and one woman, Chastity within the single life, married life, those with same-sex attraction, CCC 520-521, 2345, 2348</i>	196, 199, 269, 288, 304,	196, 199, 269, 288, 304,
7.3.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that the human person is created in God's image, male and female, and one's gender is consistent with his or her biological sex. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 369-373</i>	GWG	GWG
7.3.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that sexual intimacy is an expression of love that is reserved for the marriage covenant. <i>Sacrament of Matrimony, one man and one woman, unitive order of the spouses, procreative order of the spouses for reception of children, openness to new life, CCC 2360-2379</i>	288,	288,
7.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Spiritual foundations of the Catholic Church's social teachings. <i>The Great Commandment, Mt. 22:36-40, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, the Beatitudes, CSD - 160; the permanent principles of the Church's social doctrine (341) constitute the very heart of Catholic Social Teaching. These are the principles of: the dignity of the human person, the common good, subsidiarity and solidarity. These principles, the expression of the whole truth about man known by reason and faith, are born of "the encounter of the Gospel message and of its demands summarized in the supreme commandment of love of God and neighbor in justices with the problems emanating from the life of society". (343), CCC 2420-2422, Dt. 6:1-9, Matthew 25:31-46, Gn. 1:26-31, Ps. 139:13-16, Js. 2:14-17, Lv. 25:35, Pv. 31:8-9, 2 Cor. 9:6-15, cf: https://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/what-we-believe/catholic-social-teaching/seven-themes-of-catholic-social-teaching</i>	7, 51, 66, 95, 138, 182, 219, 298-300, 304	7, 51, 66, 95, 138, 182, 219, 298-300, 304
7.3.17	NT, CH	Students will describe how the body itself communicates that the human being is a gift just by the fact that it exists. <i>CCC 357, 364, TOB 14:4</i>	294-295,	294-295,
7.3.18	NT, CH	Students will provide examples of rightly ordered desire, given by God, and disordered "desire". <i>CCC 374-379, 400, 2514-2516, 2517-2520, 2528-2531, 2541, 2543-2544, 2546, 2548-2549, 2555, 2557, TOB 48:4</i>	72, 199, 208, 269 (Virtue)	72, 199, 208, 269 (Virtue)
7.3.19	NT, CH	Students will propose how a "communion of persons" involves the loving gift-of-self (i.e. the Trinity, but also the unity of the Church, the family and the unity of man and woman). <i>9:1-3, 10:1, 15:1, CCC 813, 1644-1647, 2205, TOB 8:4</i>	185, 211, 245, 299, 305	185, 211, 245, 299, 305
7.3.20	NT, CH	Students will evaluate actions for self-mastery and describe how actions of self-mastery free one to make a full gift-of-self. <i>CCC 2340, 2343, 2346, TOB 15:1-4, 32:6</i>	300 (free will) 207, 322	300 (free will) 207, 322
7.3.21	NT, CH	Students will explain the body-soul unity in the human person from the standpoint of the "language of the Body". <i>CCC 2518, 2521-2524, TOB 9:4, 10:1, 14:6, 15, 16:1-2, 23:4-5, 123:4-5, 125:1-2, 127:4</i>	322	322
7.3.22	OT, NT, CH	Students will point out that as a result of original sin man experiences concupiscence and needs to bring emotions and desires into harmony with what is truly good. <i>CCC 397, 400, 405, 1707, 1865, 1949, 2514-2520, 2534-2535, 2549, TOB 26:5, 31:3, 31:6, 32:3, 33:1-2, 51:5-6, 54</i>	12,22, 80, 196, 293, 316	12,22, 80, 196, 293, 316
7.3.23	NT, CH	Students will explain how Christ does not accuse but instead appeals to the human heart to be pure. <i>CCC 2517-2519, TOB 45:5, 46:5-6, 49:7</i>	97, 108-109, 143-145,	97, 108-109, 143-145,
7.3.24	NT, CH	Students will describe what "life according to the Spirit" is and how following the law of God leads to true freedom and happiness. <i>CCC 30, 736, 1731, 1824, 1828-1832, 2514-2516, 2548, TOB 15:1, 45:1, 51:5-6, 53:4-5, 54:2-4</i>	214-215, 262-263,	214-215, 262-263,
7.3.25	NT, CH	Students will evaluate how love, as a power, is a participation in the love of God himself: it is total. How it is faithful. How it is fruitful. How it is generous. <i>CCC 2331, 2335, 2360, 2364-2369, TOB 127:1</i>	8, 9, 14, 75, 155, 164, 170, 299	8, 9, 14, 75, 155, 164, 170, 299
7.3.26	NT, CH	Students will recognize respect and disrespect within the context of their Circle of Grace.	73,	73,

		<i>Safe environment lesson</i>		
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
7.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will engage in prayer as a conversation with God in which a person not only speaks but also listens.	52, 272-273,	52, 272-273,
		<i>Role prayers, spontaneous prayer, Lectio Divina, Adoration, meditation, CCC 2607-2615, 2626, 2628, 2629, 2634, 2637, 2639, 2650-2651, 2738-2741</i>		
7.4.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will write a prayer on their own about a Catholic theme or doctrine, Liturgical Season, Saint, Thanksgiving, Petition.	222-223, 313	222-223, 313
		<i>Write one prayer per quarter kept in a prayer journal; Liturgical Year, Church doctrines, Saints, Adoration time, CCC 2663-2691</i>		
7.4.3	NT, CH	Students will describe and participate in Eucharistic Adoration.	59, 301, 315	59, 301, 315
		<i>Exposition and Benedictine elements, Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist, posture, genuflection, CCC 1178, 1183, 1378-1381, 1481, 2691</i>		
7.4.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will demonstrate how to pray using Scripture.	104	104
		<i>Lectio Divina, Liturgy of the Hours, Psalms recitation, Wisdom books, Daily Readings, CCC 2568, 2585, 2623-2625, 2653-2654</i>		
7.4.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will participate in daily prayer routines as a deepening awareness of our covenant relationship with God.	14, 22, 23, 56, 306	14, 22, 23, 56, 306
		<i>Personal prayer, communal prayer, Mass, reading Scripture, Our Father, Hail Mary, Lectio Divina, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Rosary, Liturgy of the Hours, CCC 2650-2651, 2663, 2685-2690, 2697-2699</i>		
7.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that all prayer, including meditation, is oriented toward knowledge of the Love of Jesus Christ and union with Him.	60-61, 125, 314,	60-61, 125, 314,
		<i>PACTS - praise, adoration, contrition, thanksgiving, supplication, the Mass, Mary, Saints, 1 Thes. 5:17, CCC 2558, 2726, 2745, 2753, 2756</i>		
7.4.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will learn to pray about their own vocation that God is calling each us to discern in our lives.	199, 277, 288, 324,	199, 277, 288, 324,
		<i>Vocation - Married, Single, Religious, Priest</i>		
7.4.8	OT, NT, CH	Students learn to pray that all people will be open to and discern their specific vocation for God.	199, 277, 288, 324,	199, 277, 288, 324,
		<i>Vocations - Married, Single, Religious, Priest, lives of the Saints, Mary's intercession</i>		
7.4.9	NT, CH	Students will be inspired to answer the call to holiness now, and to learn helpful ways to discern one's vocation.	199, 277, 288, 324,	199, 277, 288, 324,
		<i>Vocation Lessons Grade 7 - Discernment</i>		
*	*	*Standards appearing in bold print constitute the entire grade-level list for parish catechetical programs. This reflects the distinction between annual hours of instruction in parish programs (30-35 hours) and Catholic elementary schools (60-108 hours).		

RELIGION: Grade 8			Finding God - Student Edition	Finding God - Teacher Edition
STANDARD 1: CREED: What we believe...				
8.1.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify examples of the Holy Trinity at work among God's people in the Old Testament. <i>The Holy Bible, The Torah, Old Testament, CCC 234, 237</i>	253-255, 296, 316	253-255, 296, 316
8.1.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Old Testament stories in which God's goodness prevails over sin and evil. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, Noah, Call of Abraham, Saving Isaac, Moses and the covenant, 10 Commandments, the Prophets, CCC 702, 703-716</i>	253-255, 296, 316	253-255, 296, 316
8.1.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize and differentiate the types of literature contained in the Bible. <i>OT and NT, Number of books in each testament - 46 OT, 27 NT, the Pentateuch (Torah), 4 parts of OT - Pentateuch, Historical, Wisdom, and Prophetic, 4 Gospels, Pauline Epistles, CCC 120-133</i>	253-259,	253-259,
8.1.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will recall and explain the doctrines and dogmas articulated in the Nicene Creed. <i>Nicene Creed, Apostles Creed, Holy Trinity, Incarnation, Mary, Pontius Pilate, Communion of Saints, CCC 187, 195, 198-continuing to CCC 865</i>	48, 50-53, 94, 241, 272, 316	48, 50-53, 94, 241, 272, 316
8.1.5	NT, CH	Students will appreciate the Nicene Creed as being the universal proclamation of faith. <i>Council of Nicea, Nicene Creed, 12 articles of faith, Council of Constantinople, Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed, CCC 185-197</i>	48, 50-53, 94, 241, 272, 316	48, 50-53, 94, 241, 272, 316
8.1.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will describe the events of the Fall and the effects of Original Sin. <i>Genesis 1-3, Original Sin, Prologue of John, Free Will, Moral conscience, venial and mortal sin, loss of original created holiness, sin damages relationship with God, Church, others, creation, self, suffering and death entered the world, CCC 385-390</i>	30, 291, 316	30, 291, 316
8.1.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will define the Holy Trinity as the Central Mystery of our Catholic faith. <i>Holy Trinity, 3 persons one God, the Prologue of John, CCC 234</i>	48, 57, 94, 323	48, 57, 94, 323
8.1.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify Biblical examples of the mysteries of life; e.g., suffering, injustice, and death. <i>The Fall, Cain and Abel, The Great Flood, Slavery in Egypt, the Exile, the massacre of the infants, the Passion, CCC 164</i>	253-255	253-255
8.1.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain the Paschal Mystery. <i>The Passion, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of Jesus, CCC 571-573, 598, 613-614, 638, 659-661</i>	50, 138, 191, 255, 317	50, 138, 191, 255, 317
8.1.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize the Holy Spirit is always present and active in the lives of people. <i>Holy Trinity, Mt. 18:20, Pentecost, Mt. 28:16-20, Acts, 2, Pentecost is not part of the Paschal Mystery, CCC 683-690</i>	6, 211-213, 216, 222, 243	6, 211-213, 216, 222, 243
8.1.11	NT, CH	Students will recognize that God dwells within the Church, the Body of Christ. <i>Tabernacle, Blessed Sacrament, World-wide Church, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, Laity, 7 Sacraments, CCC 424, 779, 789, 805, 823</i>	6-7, 11, 28-29, 72-73, 91-96, 102-103, 116-117, 143-145, 305	6-7, 11, 28-29, 72-73, 91-96, 102-103, 116-117, 143-145, 305
8.1.12	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Pope is the leader of the Roman Catholic Church. <i>Holy Father, Bishop of Rome, St. Peter, Rock, Apostolic Succession, Cardinals, Election, White smoke, CCC 857-860</i>	318,	318,
8.1.13	NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain how the Incarnation is the Father's action of salvation for the world through Jesus Christ. <i>Infancy Narratives, Mary, Joseph, Fiat of Mary, New Eve, CCC 461-463, 464, 470, 479, 483</i>	79, 85,230, 311,	79, 85,230, 311,
8.1.14	NT, CH	Students will recognize that we receive a heritage of faith from those who have gone before us. <i>The 12 Apostles, Communion of Saints, Martyrs, CCC 166, 171, 181, 946-948, 962, 2473</i>	248-250	248-250
8.1.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain that each human person is made, known, and loved by God. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 1, 343, 355-360</i>	226, 299	226, 299
8.1.16	NT, CH	Students will identify that Jesus Christ as the fullest revelation of God the Father. <i>Infancy Narratives, Incarnation, CCC 50, 65-67, 456-460, 2824</i>	4-5, 14, 228-229, 79, 85, 311	4-5, 14, 228-229, 79, 85, 311
8.1.17	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that a personal relationship with Jesus is an essential element of the Christian faith.	76,	76,

		CCC 147, 151, 202, 463		
8.1.18	NT, CH	Students will articulate why and how Christ sent the Holy Spirit to sanctify and guide the Church.	6, 211-213, 216, 222, 243	6, 211-213, 216, 222, 243
		<i>Pentecost, The Holy Trinity, CCC 731-732, 737-739</i>		
8.1.19	NT, CH	Students will identify Mary as the Mother of God and articulate the other 4 privileges of Mary. (Immaculate Conception, Mother of God, Perpetual Virginity of Mary and Assumption of Mary)	38-40 (ic - 181, 261, 289, 311) (MoG - 49, 228-229) (Virgin - 228-229) (A - 39, 181)	38-40 (ic - 181, 261, 289, 311) (MoG - 49, 228-229) (Virgin - 228-229) (A - 39, 181)
		<i>Mary as the Mother of God (divine motherhood), Council of Chalcedon 451, Immaculate Conception, Preservation from Sin, Perpetual Virginity, and Assumption, CCC 411, 484-486, 490-493, 496-507, 963</i>		
8.1.20	NT, CH	Students will explain the Ascension as the return of Jesus Christ to God the Father after the Resurrection.	72, 94, 222, 240-241, 281, 289, 302	72, 94, 222, 240-241, 281, 289, 302
		<i>Mark 6:19, Luke 24:49, Acts 1:6, CCC 659-664</i>		
8.1.21	NT, CH	Students will explain how the laity are called to participate in the life, mission, and work of the Church at the parochial, diocesan, and universal level.	197, 313	197, 313
		<i>Stewardship, CCC 873-875, 901-903, 904, 908-913</i>		
8.1.22	NT, CH	Students will recognize that creation should be received as a gift and not manipulated, dominated, or controlled.	60	60
		<i>Stewardship, CCC 358-373, TOB 13:3-4, 59:3</i>		
8.1.23	NT, CH	Students will explain what will happen to our bodies at the Resurrection.	139, 247-250, 313,	139, 247-250, 313,
		<i>CCC 997-1001, TOB 64-72</i>		
8.1.24	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the role of priest, prophet, and king in salvation history.	118, 318	118, 318
		<i>Jesus as Priest, Prophet, and King, CCC 783-786, "The Church's deepest nature is expressed in her three-fold responsibility of proclaiming the Word of God (kerygma-martyria), celebrating the sacraments (leitourgia), and exercising the ministry of charity (diakonia). These duties presuppose each other and are inseparable. For the Church, charity is not a kind of welfare activity which could equally well be left to others, but is a part of her nature, an indispensable expression of her very being - Deus Caritas Est (God is Love) no. 25</i>		
STANDARD 2: SACRAMENTS: How we celebrate and worship...				
8.2.1	NT, CH	Students will recognize the many signs and symbols of the OT are used in the celebration of the Sacraments.	31, 59, 172, 296, 317, 320	31, 59, 172, 296, 317, 320
		<i>7 Sacraments, Manna and Bread, Priest and sacrifice, blood on the door post and blood on the cross, Red Sea and waters of baptism, CCC 1079-1083, 1150, 1217-1222</i>		
8.2.2	NT, CH	Students will define sacraments as outward signs of inward grace instituted by Jesus that makes God's grace present to us. They are visible and efficacious signs of God's grace.	136, 145, 320	136, 145, 320
		<i>Signs and symbols of each sacrament, , Effects, formula, God's grace is a free gift we choose to cooperate. Sin impedes grace, CCC 1076, 1111, 1113, 1131</i>		
8.2.3	NT, CH	Students will compare the Sacramental actions of the Church with ancient Jewish rituals.	127, 127, 253-255, 260, 296, 312,	127, 127, 253-255, 260, 296, 312,
		<i>The 7 Sacraments, Rites, Grace, Effects of each sacrament, formula, symbols, Passover, Sabbath, Sin offerings, Sacrifice, Synagogue service, Anointing, CCC 1079-1083, 1150, 1217-1222</i>		
8.2.4	NT, CH	Students will identify and explain the liturgical ministries of Lector, Cantor, Altar Server, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.	313,	313,
		<i>Liturgy of the Word, Proclaiming God's Word in Liturgies, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Mass, Lectionary, Music, Song, CCC 1142-1144, 1348</i>		
8.2.5	NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.	127, 144, 320	127, 144, 320
		<i>Catechumens, Candidates, The Triduum, Holy Saturday, Exorcism, Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist, CCC 1229-1233, 1247-1249</i>		
8.2.6	NT, CH	Students will differentiate the Liturgy of the Word and Liturgy of the Eucharist.	111, 282, 313	111, 282, 313
		<i>Order of the Mass, Proclaiming God's Word, Offertory, Stewardship, Eucharistic Prayers, Consecration, Dismissal, CCC 1100-1103, 1330-1332, 1345-1355</i>		
8.2.7	NT, CH	Students will experience and participate in liturgical celebrations with family and church community.	287, 308	287, 308

		<i>Attending Mass on Sunday and throughout the week, Source and Summit of the Christian life, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Individual confession, God's mercy and forgiveness, CCC 1384-1390, 1457, 2180-2183</i>		
8.2.8	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Mass is the workshop (worship?) of God par excellence.	29, 31, 90, 102, 107-112, 136, 197, 237, 280, 284, 308	29, 31, 90, 102, 107-112, 136, 197, 237, 280, 284, 308
		<i>Source and Summit of the Christian life, people and priest offer to God the Father the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist, Offertory, Stewardship, Proclaiming God's Word, Sacrifice, Consecration, Transubstantiation, CCC 1345-1355</i>		
8.2.9	NT, CH	Students will recognize and explain how Jesus is present in the Mass.	29, 31, 90, 102, 107-112, 136, 197, 237, 280, 284, 308	29, 31, 90, 102, 107-112, 136, 197, 237, 280, 284, 308
		<i>Liturgy of the Word, Proclaiming God's Word in Liturgies, Liturgy of the Eucharist, present in the assembly, present in the Word, in the priest, most especially in the consecrated bread and wine, CCC 1374-1375, 1376-1381</i>		
8.2.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize that the Eucharist is the sacrifice of the body and blood of Jesus.	29, 31, 90, 102, 107-112, 136, 197, 237, 280, 284, 308	29, 31, 90, 102, 107-112, 136, 197, 237, 280, 284, 308
		<i>Last Supper, Holy Thursday, re-presenting Christ's sacrifice on the cross, the unbloody sacrifice, Good Friday, CCC 1366-1367, 1382-1383</i>		
8.2.11	NT, CH	Students will explain that the Sacrament of Holy Orders confers the ordained man with the grace of the Holy Spirit required for his sacramental ministry.	102, 118, 237, 285, 311	102, 118, 237, 285, 311
		<i>The Sacrament of Holy Orders, Laying on of Hands, Chrism oil, deacon, priest, bishop, CCC 915-916, 929, 932, 1579, 1603, 1605, 1618-1620</i>		
8.2.12	NT, CH	Students will participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.	102, 124, 128, 233, 285, 291, 295, 320	102, 124, 128, 233, 285, 291, 295, 320
		<i>Examination of Conscience, confession of sins to a priest, act of contrition, words of absolution, penance, CCC 1440-1470</i>		
8.2.13	NT, CH	Students will articulate and defend the teaching that Catholics receive the forgiveness of sins through the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation.	102, 124, 128, 233, 285, 291, 295, 320	102, 124, 128, 233, 285, 291, 295, 320
		<i>John 20:22-23, CCC 984, 1496</i>		
8.2.14	NT, CH	Students will articulate the 4 vocations or vocational states in life. All reflect our baptismal call to discipleship.	102, 118, 237, 285, 311, 318/ 66-67/ 119-120, 307	102, 118, 237, 285, 311, 318/ 66-67/ 119-120, 307
		<i>Priesthood, Holy Orders, Religious/Consecrated life, Married life, Matrimony, Single life, call to chastity, CCC 915, 1565, 1578, 1599, 1618, 1625-1628, 2233</i>		
8.2.15	NT, CH	Students will recognize that priesthood is a unique vocation in which a man is configured to Christ for service to God and His Church.	102, 118, 237, 285, 311, 318	102, 118, 237, 285, 311, 318
		<i>Holy Orders, Celibacy, Diocesan and Religious priests, CCC 1548-1553, 1567-1568</i>		
8.2.16	NT, CH	Students will articulate the Marriage is a participation in the Domestic Church.	119-120, 307	119-120, 307
		<i>Matrimony, Service of Communion to God, Spouse, children, Domestic Church, CCC 1601, 1604</i>		
8.2.17	NT, CH	Students will articulate that the non-ordained consecrated/religious life is a vocation in which one is called to love Christ with an undivided heart.	66-67	66-67
		<i>Religious orders evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity and obedience, charisms, CCC 915-919, 929, 932, 1579, 1618</i>		
8.2.18	NT, CH	Students will trust in God's plan of complementarity in marriage - to be grateful for own gender attributes.	GWG - 66-67, 97, 102, 119-120, 155, 285, 314, 324	GWG - 66-67, 97, 102, 119-120, 155, 285, 314, 324
		<i>1 Cor. 13:4-7, CCC 1601, 1625-1632, 1639-1640, Vocation Lessons Grade 8 - Marriage</i>		
8.2.19	NT, CH	Students will appreciate the ways that priests make a difference in our lives.	102, 118, 237, 285, 311, 318	102, 118, 237, 285, 311, 318
		<i>CCC 1536, 1548-1551, 1562-1568, Vocation Lessons Grade 8 - Priesthood</i>		
8.2.20	NT, CH	Students will be inspired by people in the religious life, fostering the interior call of God to become holy.	66-67	66-67
		<i>CCC 914-919, Vocation Lessons Grade 8 - Religious Life</i>		

8.2.21	NT, CH	Students will describe the idea of a vocation and how it is the way one makes a total gift of self. <i>CCC 915-916, 929, 932, 1579, 1603, 1605, 1618-1620, TOB 78, 86</i>	66-67, 97, 119, 120, 324,	66-67, 97, 119, 120, 324,
8.2.22	NT, CH	Students will explain how God invites, and does not force, when he calls someone to the vocation of married life. <i>CCC 915, 1565, 1578, 1599, 1618, 1625-1628, 2233, TOB 73:3-4, 76:4, 79:8</i>	66-67, 97, 102, 119-120, 155, 285, 314, 324	66-67, 97, 102, 119-120, 155, 285, 314, 324
8.2.23	NT, CH	Students will describe how responding to the call of the non-ordained consecrated life is a radical imitation of the life of Christ and is done to work for the kingdom of God on earth. <i>CCC 915-916, 929, 932, 1579, 1618, TOB 75:1, 75:4, 76:3, 79:2, 79:9, 81:4</i>	66-67	66-67
1.6.00	NT, CH	Students will explain that when God calls two people to the vocation of marriage, he is inviting them into a special sacrament of his love. <i>Ephesians 5, CCC 1601, 1604, TOB 87-93</i>	66-67, 97, 102, 119-120, 155, 285, 314, 324	66-67, 97, 102, 119-120, 155, 285, 314, 324
STANDARD 3: MORALITY: How we are to live as disciples of Jesus...				
8.3.1	OT, NT	Students will give examples of how the saints lived holy and virtuous lives yet struggled with sin. <i>Particular Saints - Francis Xavier, Theodora Guerin Co-Patrons of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, Elizabeth Ann Seton - first American born saint, many others, CCC 2013-2014, 2030, 2156, 2683-2684</i>	(SFX - 153) (TofA 31) (TofC - 69, 204-205)(steph - 22-23) (SS - 45-46)(Srich - 84) (SP - 23) (Speter - 1-2, 4, 8, 14-15, 171, 198, 211, 236) (Mary - 38-40, 82, 228-229) (J23 -95, 177-178) (JP11 - 76, 90, 123, 125, 212-213) (GtheG - 56-57) (FofA - 83, 93, 95, 109, 124-125) (FdS - 37, 145) (VdP- 168-169) (CofS - 117) (JC - 291) (EC - 153) (SB - 45, 64) (STA - 67, 89-90, 109)	(SFX - 153) (TofA 31) (TofC - 69, 204-205)(steph - 22-23) (SS - 45-46)(Srich - 84) (SP - 23) (Speter - 1-2, 4, 8, 14-15, 171, 198, 211, 236) (Mary - 38-40, 82, 228-229) (J23 -95, 177-178) (JP11 - 76, 90, 123, 125, 212-213) (GtheG - 56-57) (FofA - 83, 93, 95, 109, 124-125) (FdS - 37, 145) (VdP- 168-169) (CofS - 117) (JC - 291) (EC - 153) (SB - 45, 64) (STA - 67, 89-90, 109)
8.3.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will explain the human person is good but wounded by original sin and its consequences. <i>Genesis 1 and 2, 10 Commandments, Baptism, Reconciliation, concupiscence, ignorance, weakness, free will, CCC 388-389, 3901, 397, 416-418, 1870-1876</i>	13, 30, 39, 138, 291, 316	13, 30, 39, 138, 291, 316
8.3.3	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate sin as an action by which we willingly and knowingly violate the will of God. <i>Original Sin, 10 Commandments, free will, the Fall, CCC 397-401, 415, 705, 817-818, 845, 1487</i>	20, 109, 146-147,	20, 109, 146-147,
8.3.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will differentiate between mortal and venial sin. <i>Free will, Sacrament of Reconciliation, gravity, knowledge, freedom to choose, CCC 1854-1869</i>	109, 110, 136-147, 291, 315, 323	109, 110, 136-147, 291, 315, 323
8.3.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify and recite the 10 Commandments. <i>10 Commandments, CCC 2056-2063, 2066</i>	58-59, 147, 154-155, 162-163, 264, 323	58-59, 147, 154-155, 162-163, 264, 323
8.3.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that we as Christians will examine the distribution and use of resources in light of the Gospel. <i>Stewardship, time, talent, treasure, CSD-160: The permanent principles of the Church's social doctrine (341) constitute the very heart of Catholic social teaching. These are the principles of: the dignity of the human person, the common good, subsidiarity and solidarity. These principles, the expression of the whole truth about man known by reason and faith, are born of "the encounter of the Gospel message and of its demands summarized in the supreme commandment of love of God and neighbor in justice with the problems emanating from the life of society". (343), Catholic social teaching, CCC 2420-2425, 2426-2436, 2443-2449</i>	189 - 192, 298-300, 304	189 - 192, 298-300, 304

8.3.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will list ways they can practice the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy - knowing that when we show love for the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized we show love to Jesus.	116, 163, 207, 267, (c- 306) (s - 322)	116, 163, 207, 267, (c- 306) (s - 322)
		<i>Holy Bible, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, Matthew 25:31-46, "Least of these...", Ministry of Charity, Catholic Charities, Catholic Cemeteries, CCC 2443-2447</i>		
8.3.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that injustices are caused by discrimination and prejudice.	307, 318	307, 318
		<i>CCC 1934-1938</i>		
8.3.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize laws, precepts, and other Church teachings as sources for established norms of behavior.	109, 147, 154, 264, 318	109, 147, 154, 264, 318
		<i>Holy Bible, 10 Commandments, Precepts of the Catholic Church, Canon Law, Nicene Creed, Beatitudes, personal and communal prayer, sacraments, forming a conscience, CCC 374-379, 400, 2514-2516, 2517-2520, 2528-2531, 2541, 2543-2544, 2546, 2548-2549, 2555, 2557</i>		
8.3.10	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate and elaborate upon the Greatest Commandment.	59, 262, 310	59, 262, 310
		<i>Love God with your whole heart, and to love neighbors as themselves; Matthew 22:36-40, Spiritual and Corporal works of Mercy, 1Cor. 13:1-13, CCC 2083, 2196</i>		
8.3.11	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize specific doctrines referencing sexual morality.	66, 154-155	66, 154-155
		<i>Commandments 6 and 9, fornication, adultery, contraception, chastity, abortion, masturbation, IVF, same-sex attraction - SSA, CCC 355, 383</i>		
8.3.12	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that contraception is contrary to God's plan for marriage and sex.	292-293, GWG	292-293, GWG
		<i>Using contraception constitutes grave sin, unity, procreation, Humanae Vitae, CCC 1652-1654, 2373-2379</i>		
8.3.13	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that all Christians are called to live a chaste lifestyle and that chastity is a positive virtue that helps us say yes to God's plans for our lives.	66, 154-155	66, 154-155
		<i>Sexual relations are appropriate only to a married couple - one man and one woman, Chastity within the single life, married life, those with same-sex attraction - SSA, CCC 915, 916, 922, 923, 926, 1640, 1646</i>		
8.3.14	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that the human person is created in God's image, male and female, and one's gender is consistent with his or her biological sex.	GWG, (cst - 189 - 192, 298-300, 304)	GWG, (cst - 189 - 192, 298-300, 304)
		<i>Genesis 1 and 2, CCC 369-373</i>		
8.3.15	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that sexual intimacy is an expression of love that is reserved for the marriage covenant.	66, 154-155	66, 154-155
		<i>Sacrament of Matrimony, one man and one woman, unitive order of the spouses, procreative order of the spouses for reception of children, CCC 915, 916, 1603, 1618-1620, 1621</i>		
8.3.16	OT, NT, CH	Students will identify the Spiritual foundations of the Catholic Church's social teachings.	189 - 192, 298-300, 304	189 - 192, 298-300, 304
		<i>The Great Commandment, Mt. 22:36-40, Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, the Beatitudes, CCC 2420-2422, Dt. 6:1-9, Matthew 25:31-46, Gn. 1:26-31, Ps. 139:13-16, Js. 2:14-17, Lv. 25:35, Pv. 31:8-9, 2 Cor. 9:6-15, cf:</i>		
8.3.17	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that the Catholic Church is enriched through diverse cultural expressions and inculturation.	67, 306 (other faiths 296-297)	67, 306 (other faiths 296-297)
		<i>Language, translation, adaptation of catechesis, art, music, architecture, CCC 1145, 1149, 1204-1207, 1668, 1686, 1908</i>		
8.3.18	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that every human life is endowed with dignity and is sacred from the moment of conception to the moment of natural death and is foundation of Catholic Christian morality.	169, 299	169, 299
		<i>5th Commandment, Abortion, Euthanasia, Assisted suicide, death penalty, CCC 2258-2282</i>		
8.3.19	OT, NT, CH	Students will recite the 8 Beatitudes and recognize their challenge of continuous conversion.	5, 208, 263, 303	5, 208, 263, 303
		<i>The Beatitudes, Conversion, CCC 1716-1724, 2546-2547</i>		
8.3.20	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that Jesus is the model of Christian morality.	292-293	292-293
		<i>Ministry of Charity, living a life of service, learn to deny ourselves and carry our cross daily, discipleship with Jesus means service to others, service is always rooted in prayer, CCC 459, 520-521, 544, 565, 2444</i>		

8.3.21	OT, NT, CH	Students will articulate that we can recognize and do what is good with the help of the Theological and Cardinal Virtues.	266, 304/ 323	266, 304/ 323
		<i>The Theological and Cardinal Virtues, theological virtues as supernatural gifts from God that help us to do good, cardinal virtues as habit of doing that which is good and are perfected by God's grace, CCC 1805-1829</i>		
8.3.22	OT, NT, CH	Students will compare how the loving communion of man and woman is like that of the Holy Trinity, a communion of persons who are love and who in giving and receiving are fruitful.	57, 94, 323	57, 94, 323
		<i>CCC 355-357, TOB 9:1-3, 10:4, 14:6, 15:1</i>		
8.3.23	NT, CH	Students will explain that living out the spousal meaning of the body can be through marriage or virginity for the sake of the Kingdom. Compare/Contrast marriage versus celibacy.	66, 154-155, 245, 304	66, 154-155, 245, 304
		<i>CCC 915-916, 922-923, 926, 1640, 1646, TOB 15:5, 76:6, 78:4, 81:6</i>		
8.3.24	NT, CH	Students will give examples of how a person is pure in heart, that is, when they perceive and respect others as a gift and seek to make a gift of themselves to others.	5, 208, 263, 303	5, 208, 263, 303
		<i>CCC 2518-2519, TOB 50, 54, 57:3</i>		
8.3.25	NT, CH	Students will evaluate the beatitude: "Blessed are the pure in heart, because they will see God."	5, 208, 263, 303	5, 208, 263, 303
		<i>The Beatitudes, Matthew 5:8, CCC 2518-25149, 2530-2533, TOB 43:5</i>		
8.3.26	NT, CH	Students will identify values that reflect moral decisions.	290, 315	290, 315
		<i>Safe Environment Lesson</i>		
STANDARD 4: PRAYER: What prayer is and how we pray...				
8.4.1	OT, NT, CH	Students will engage in prayer as a conversation with God in which a person not only speaks but also listens.	76, 268	76, 268
		<i>Rote prayers, spontaneous prayer, Lectio Divina, Adoration, meditation, CCC 2738-2741, 2607-2615, 2626, 2628, 2629, 2634, 2637, 2639, 2650-2651</i>		
8.4.2	OT, NT, CH	Students will write a prayer on their own about a Catholic theme or doctrine, Liturgical Season, Saint, Thanksgiving, Petition.	75, 270-276	75, 270-276
		<i>Write one prayer per quarter kept in prayer journal; Liturgical Year, Church doctrines, Saints, Adoration time, CCC 2663-2691</i>		
8.4.3	NT, CH	Students will describe and participate in Eucharistic Adoration.	58, 301	58, 301
		<i>Exposition and Benediction elements; Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist, posture, genuflection, CCC 1178-1183, 1378-1381, 1418, 2691</i>		
8.4.4	OT, NT, CH	Students will demonstrate how to pray using Scripture.	140, 253-255	140, 253-255
		<i>Lectio Divina, Liturgy of the Hours, Psalms recitation, Wisdom books, Daily Readings, CCC 2568, 2585, 2623-2325, 2653-2654</i>		
8.4.5	OT, NT, CH	Students will participate in daily prayer routines as a deepening awareness of our covenant relationship with God.	268-282	268-282
		<i>Personal prayer, communal prayer, Mass, reading Scripture, Our Father Hail Mary, Lectio Divina, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Rosary, Liturgy of the Hours, CCC 2650-2651, 2663, 2685-2690, 2697-2699</i>		
8.4.6	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize that all prayer, including meditation, is oriented toward knowledge of the Love of Jesus Christ and union with him.	76, 164, 268- 282, 314	76, 164, 268- 282, 314
		<i>PACTS - praise, adoration, contrition, thanksgiving, supplication, the Mass, Mary, Saints, 1 Thes. 5:17, CCC 2558, 2726, 2745, 2753, 2756</i>		
8.4.7	OT, NT, CH	Students will learn to pray about their own vocation that God is calling each of us to discern in our lives.	6, 97, 120, 324	6, 97, 120, 324
		<i>Vocation - Married, Single, Religious, Priest</i>		
8.4.8	OT, NT, CH	Students will learn to pray that all people will be open to and discern their specific vocation from God.	6, 97, 120, 324	6, 97, 120, 324
		<i>Vocations - Married, Single, Religious, Priest, lives of the Saints, Mary's intercession</i>		
8.4.9	OT, NT, CH	Students will recognize in the Rosary the lives of Jesus and Mary.	278-281	278-281
		<i>The Rosary, the Assumption, the Ascension, the Coronation, Resurrection, etc., CCC 971, 2673-2679, 2708</i>		

8.4.10	NT, CH	Students will recognize the movement of the Holy Spirit in their own lives through Saint Ignatius' rule for discernment of spirits.	152-154, 183, 206, 277	152-154, 183, 206, 277
		<i>Vocation Lessons Grade 8 - Discernment</i>		
*	*	*Standards appearing in bold print constitute the entire grade-level list for parish catechetical programs. This reflects the distinction between annual hours of instruction in parish programs (30-35 hours) and Catholic elementary schools (60-108 hours).		