

Curriculum Chart for Parish Catechetical Programs

Seventh Grade Curriculum Guidelines *Plan A*
For Use when Confirmation is Celebrated in Eighth Grade

<p>Unit One:</p> <p>Catechetical Task One</p> <p>Knowledge of the Faith</p>	<p>Person of Jesus Christ: Encountering Jesus in the New Testament</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seeing with the Eyes of Faith • What the New Testament tells us about Jesus • Jesus, True God and True Man • The Message and Mission of Jesus • The Passion and Death of Jesus • Jesus Christ, - Glorious and Triumphant • The Person of Christ • The Trinity 	<p>Approximate Duration of Unit One:</p> <p align="center">10 Weeks</p>	<p>Notes:</p>
<p>Boundaries</p>	<p>Diocesan Safe Environment Program</p>	<p align="center">3 Weeks</p>	<p align="center">Must be taught by December 15th</p>
<p>Unit Two:</p> <p>Catechetical Task Three</p> <p>Morality</p>	<p>Moral Formation in Christ</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Freedom and Responsibility • Valuing Life • Being virtuous • Honoring God • Honoring family members • Everyone’s dignity 	<p>Approximate Duration of Unit Two:</p> <p align="center">11 Weeks</p>	<p>Notes:</p>
<p>Unit Three:</p> <p>Catechetical Task Four</p> <p>Prayer</p>	<p>Growing in the Life of Prayer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Forms of Prayer • Personal Prayer • Praying with the Scriptures • Praying Together • The Lord’s Prayer 	<p>Approximate Duration of Unit Three:</p> <p align="center">6 Weeks</p>	<p>Notes:</p>

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Eighth Grade Curriculum Guidelines *Plan A*
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<p>Unit One: Catechetical Task Five Community</p>	<p>Kingdom of God</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Church on Earth • Vocations within the Church • Communion of Saints • Eternal Life <p>First Comes Love</p>	<p>Approximate Duration of Unit Two: 6 Weeks</p>	<p>Notes:</p>
<p>Boundaries</p>	<p>Diocesan Safe Environment Program</p>	<p>3 Weeks</p>	<p>Must be taught by December 15th</p>
<p>Morality</p>	<p>Morality Review</p>	<p>3 Weeks</p>	<p>The morality review can be found on pages 4-16 of the Confirmation Curriculum</p>
<p>Unit Two: Catechetical Task Two Sacraments and Liturgy</p>	<p>Confirmation: The Gift of the Holy Spirit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of Sacraments of Initiation • The Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit • The meaning of The Rite of Confirmation • Going Forth to Serve 	<p>Approximate Duration of Unit One: 7 Weeks</p>	<p>Notes:</p>
<p>Unit Three: Catechetical Task Six Missionary Spirit</p>	<p>Saints and Church History</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gospel Writers • Church Fathers • Martyrs of the early Church • Medieval Mystics • Protestant Reformation • Saints after the Reformation • Vatican II • Saint of the Church in the U.S. 	<p>Approximate Duration of Unit Three: 11 Weeks</p>	<p>Notes:</p>