



Religion Outcomes: Grade 1

1. Students will understand what it means to be responsible members of the Catholic Christian Community.

Students will

- Learn about their invitation to build the Kingdom of God;
- Learn to be honest, grateful peacemakers;
- Imitate the lives of the saints.

2. Students will participate in and understand the liturgical year, the sacramental celebrations and the ministries of the Catholic Church.

Students will

- Study the sacrament of baptism and its meaning;
- Participate reverently in school liturgies and prayer services;
- Learn the proper responses and gestures for the Eucharistic celebration;
- Learn the stories of Jesus' birth, life, death and resurrection, and how we celebrate them today.

3. Students will learn to appreciate prayer in all of its forms and to make it a part of their lives.

Students will

- Learn the Sign of the Cross, the Our Father, the Hail Mary, and the Glory Be to the Father as well as class-written and personal prayers.
- Learn to be quiet and to listen for God's message of love.

4. Students will learn to appreciate Scripture and to value its history and its meaning in today's world.

Students will

- Tell and re-tell stories about Jesus' life and ministry;
- Act out Bible stories;
- Learn to read from the lectionary for Church services.

5. Students will learn to see service as a true sign of Faith in action and live the principles of Catholic Social Teaching.

Students will

- Care for plants, class pets, and one another;
- Do service projects for the poor and those in nursing homes;
- Work at peacemaking in all school activities.