SYLLABUS GRADE 1—2017-2018

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| Grade  Text  Page #  Safety Prog | Session/ Date | Syllabus  Review  Notes/  Sequence | | Chapter &  Content Points | Safety  Program  Lesson | Prayer(s) | Suggested Activities | Additional Suggestions and/or  Comments |
| Grade 1  Page #1  “We  Believe”  Sadlier Co.  Page #1  TAT | Parent/student  Meeting  **M** Sep. 25 **Tu** Sep. 26 |  |  | Parent/student meeting followed by:  Opening Class  Introductions  Getting to know one  another  Review Fire Drill Plan Review Book, Syllabus, &  Classroom Management |  | Sign of the Cross Our Father  Hail Mary,  Encourage Mass participation  Encourage morning & evening prayers  \*Prayer as listening to God |  | Talk about the “Blessing of the animals” that will take place on Sat., \_\_\_\_ |
|  | **M** Oct. 2  **Tu** Oct. 3 |  |  | Chapter 1  God Created us and  gives us special gifts  God loves us  Chapter 26  We care for the gifts of God’s Creation  Respect all  Animals are part of God’s Creation  [October is the month of the Holy Rosary] |  | Prayer of St. Francis |  |  |
|  | **M** Oct. 16 **Tu** Oct. 17 |  |  | Chapter 24  Jesus shows us how to love and serve. Praying shows love for God. |  |  | Review simple mass responses | **\*\*Remember:**  Pass out list of suggested food donations for the Thanksgiving Baskets to each child |
|  | **M** Oct. 23  **Tu** Oct. 24 |  |  | Chapter 3  Jesus’ birth  Jesus growing up in a family  All Saints Day – Nov. 1  All Souls Day – Nov. 2 |  |  | All Saints Day Activities |  |
| Grade 1  Page #2 | **M** Nov. 6  **Tu** Nov. 7 |  |  | Chapter 4  John the Baptist helped people to get ready for  Jesus  God’s love is for  everyone |  | Prayer with gestures  & movement  Explain Saints Days  Canonized vs.  ordinary saints  The Communion of  Saints | Encourage participation in Thanksgiving Service Project by way of food donations | **Remember to bring in Food Donations no later than next week!**  November as month of Remembrance  Silent Prayer |
|  | **M** Nov. 13  **Tu** Nov. 14 |  |  | Chapter 6  The Liturgical Year  Chapter 7  Ordinary Time |  | Liturgical  Color Wheel  Explain Ordinary Time |  | **Confirmation Class Thanksgiving Baskets will be blessed at the 6:00 Mass on 11/19 at St. Clare’s. All are invited to attend** |
|  | **M** Nov. 20  **Tu** Nov. 21 |  |  | [The Eucharist, Mass, Thanksgiving, Gratitude]  Chapter 23  We celebrate Mass  Liturgy  God’s Word  Jesus is Present in the Eucharist—the Body & Blood of Jesus |  | Grace before and  after meals  Spontaneous prayers  of Praise &  Thanksgiving  A “gratitude attitude” | Thank you card  (Chapter 15)  Write prayer  Compare Mass/table & Thanks-giving/table |  |
|  | **M** Nov. 27  **Tu** Nov. 28 |  |  | Chapter 16  We celebrate Sacraments  The 7 Sacraments |  | **Advent begins**  **December 3** |  |  |
|  | **M** Dec. 4  **Tu** Dec. 5 |  |  | Chapter 13  Advent  The Advent wreath  Explain Feast of the Immaculate Conception  December 8th |  | Explain:  Advent Wreath  Feast of Immaculate  Conception |  | Christmas Project Ideas |
|  | **M** Dec. 11  **Tu** Dec. 12 |  |  | Chapter 25  We honor Mary and the  Saints  Canonized Saints  Called to be saints  Communion of Saints  Feast of Our Lady of  Guadalupe, Dec. 12th |  | Explain:  Feast of Our Lady of Guadeloupe  (Celebration of Marian Feasts) |  | Give each child a small bio of patron saint |
| Grade 1  Page #3 | **M** Dec. 18  **Tu** Dec. 19 |  |  | Chapter 14  Christmas  The birth of Jesus  Solemnity of Mary Feast Day Jan. 1st |  | Explain:  Solemnity of Mary Feast | Jesse Tree  Jesse Tree  symbols |  |
| **2018** | **M** Jan. 8  **Tu** Jan. 9 |  |  | FEAST OF  THE EPIPHANY 1/6/18  Chapter 8  Jesus’ Ministry  Jesus had many followers |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Jan. 22  **Tu** Jan. 23 |  |  | Chapter 5  The Great Commandment  Parable of the Good Samaritan |  |  | Scripture Story of the Good Samaritan |  |
|  | **M** Jan. 29 **Tu** Jan. 30 |  |  | Chapter 15  We belong to a parish  Parish is like family  We gather to worship  We help others especially the needy  Share time, talent, and treasure/GIFTS! |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Feb. 5  **Tu** Feb. 6 |  |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |
|  | **M** Feb. 12  **Tu** Feb. 13 |  |  | Ash Wed. (Feb. 14)  Chapter 20  Lent  Ashes  Getting ready to celebrate Jesus’ Death & Resurrection |  | Meaning of Ash Wednesday & Lent  Rules on Fasting & Abstinence  Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving |  |  |
|  | **M** Feb. 26  **Tu** Feb. 27 |  |  | Chapter 17  The Church welcomes  new members  Baptism  Eucharist |  |  |  |  |
| Grade 1  Page #4 | **M** Mar. 5  **Tu** Mar. 6 |  |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |
|  | **M** Mar. 12 **Tu** Mar. 13 |  |  | Chapter 2  The Trinity  The Sign of the Cross  Chapter 19  We celebrate God’s forgiveness | Act of  Contrition | Saint Patrick’s Day  The Shamrock  The Trinity  Glory Be prayer | Review Sacrament of Reconciliation  Examination of conscience |  |
| **Palm Sunday**  **March 25** | **M** Mar. 19  **Tu** Mar. 20 |  |  | Chapter 21  The Triduum (The Three Days)  Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter  Church celebrates that Jesus died & rose to new life  Chapter 22  Jesus gives us the Eucharist  The Last Supper  Chapter 27  **Easter (April 1)**  Teach Easter Season |  | Palm Sunday  Review the events of Holy Week & the Triduum  Easter prayer |  |  |
|  | **M** Mar. 26 **Tu** Mar. 27  **Easter Sunday**  **April 1** |  |  | **Stations of the Cross** |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Apr. 2  **Tu** Apr. 3 |  |  | Chapter 11 & Chapter 12  Holy Spirit & Church  Holy Spirit helped/helps the Church to grow  Apostles  Role of Bishops  Role of Pope |  |  |  |  |
| Grade 1  Page #5 | **M** Apr. 9  **Tu** Apr. 10 |  |  | Chapter 9 Jesus’ Death & Resurrection  Chapter 10  Jesus sends the Holy Spirit  Pentecost  Third Person of the Blessed Trinity |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Apr. 23  **Tu** Apr. 24  Last Class |  |  | Chapter 18  Jesus is the Light of the world.  New Church members share light of His Love. |  | Closing Ritual/Prayer |  |  |