SYLLABUS GRADE 2—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 2  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, Book, Syllabus, & Classroom Management |  | How to pray  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 at St. Francis of Assisi Parish on Saturday, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  | **M** Oct. 2  **Tu** Oct. 3 |  |  | Chapter 1  Jesus is the Son of God  Jesus is God’s greatest Gift  Jesus fully human and fully divine  Holy Family  Our Father prayer  One God, Three Persons  [October is month of the rosary] |  | **Prayer of St. Francis**  **St. Francis Feast day is Oct. 4** | When & How to Pray  Why Pray | Talk about Rosary  How to pray  Mysteries  Praying Rosary as a  Family  Communal Rosary |
|  | **M** Oct. 16 **Tu** Oct. 17 |  |  | Chapter 17  Liturgy of the Word  Readings from OT  Readings from NT  Discuss the Creed  Prayers of Faithful  Chapter 18  Liturgy of Eucharist  Presentation of gifts  Our Father  We receive the Body & Blood of Jesus |  |  |  | **\*\*Remember:**  **Pass out list of suggested food donations for the Thanksgiving Baskets**  **to each child** |
| Grade 2  Page #2 | **M** Oct. 23 **Tu** Oct. 24 |  |  | Chapter 25  We honor Mary & the Saints  Canonized Saints  Called to be saints  Communion of Saints  All Saints Day Nov. 1st  All Souls’ Day Nov. 2nd |  | Prayer with gestures & movement  Explain Saints Days Canonized vs. ordinary saints  The Communion of Saints | Story Books about Saints |  |
|  | **M** Nov. 6 **Tu** Nov. 7 |  |  | Chapter 3  Celebrating faith and God’s love in worship  Catholics share beliefs & become members of Church at Baptism  Mass  The seven Sacraments  Jesus is present in the Sacraments |  | November as month of Remembrance  Silent Prayer Encourage participation in **Thanksgiving Service** Project by way of **food donations** |  | **Confirmation class Thanksgiving Baskets will be blessed at 6:00 Mass on 11/19 at St. Clare’s. All families are invited to Mass**    All food donations due by November 15. |
|  | **M** Nov. 13  **Tu** Nov. 14 |  |  | Chapter 15  Celebration of the Eucharist  The Mass  Chapter 16  Continuation of Celebration of Eucharist  What we do at Mass |  | Grace before and after meals  (Why?)  Spontaneous prayers of Praise & Thanksgiving  A “gratitude attitude”  **Advent begins**  **November 27** | Compare Mass/ table & Thanks-giving/table  Special project/  Donations  Thank you card  Write a prayer | Thanksgiving Prayer Cards with Mass responses |
|  | **M** Nov. 20  **Tu** Nov. 21 |  |  | Chapter 4  Baptism  Welcome  Water as sign  God’s life as grace  Original Sin  Godparents  Easter candle & light  Sharing light |  |  |  |  |
| Grade 2  Page #3  **Advent** begins Dec. 3 | **M** Nov. 27  **Tu** Nov. 28 |  |  | Chapter 5  Confirmation  Pentecost  Baptism & Confirmation as partners  Sacred Chrism  Chapter 6 The Liturgical Year |  |  | Liturgical  Color Wheel |  |
|  | **M** Dec. 4  **Tu** Dec. 5 |  |  | Chapter 13  Advent  The Advent Wreath  Explain Feast of the Immaculate Conception  December 8th |  | Explain Advent Wreath |  | Discuss options for Christmas Project |
|  | **M** Dec. 11 **Tu** Dec. 12 |  |  | Chapter 7  Ordinary Time  Chapter 8  God’s Love  Bible  Old & New Testaments  Gospels  Teachings of Jesus  Feast of Our Lady of  Guadalupe, Dec. 12th |  | Explain Ordinary Time  Explain Feast of Our Lady of Guadeloupe |  |  |
|  | **M** Dec. 18  **Tu** Dec. 19 |  |  | Chapter 14  Christmas  The birth of Jesus  God choosing unlikely, simple people |  | Explain Solemnity of Mary Feast Day  Jan. 1st | Jesse Tree  Make stars  Talk about Wise Men following the star and the Light  Shepherds, sheep | Try Google images |
| Grade 2  Page #4  **2018** | **M** Jan. 8 **Tu** Jan. 9  FEAST OF  THE EPIPHANY  1/6/18 |  |  | Chapter 9  God gives us Laws  The Great Commandment  The Ten Commandments  Showing love & respect to God, self, & others |  | FEAST OF  THE EPIPHANY  1/6/18 |  |  |
|  | **M** Jan. 22 **Tu** Jan. 23 |  |  | Chapter 10  God’s Laws  Free will  Friendship with God  Sin—mortal, venial  God’s love & mercy |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Jan. 29  **Tu** Jan. 30 |  |  | Chapter 24  We pray  Prayer keeps us close to God  Pray Always & All-ways |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Feb. 5  **Tu** Feb. 6 |  |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |
|  | **M** Feb. 12  **Tu** Feb. 13 |  |  | Ash Wednesday  (**Feb. 14**) Chapter 20  Lent  Ashes  Getting ready to celebrate Jesus’ Death & Resurrection  Growing closer to God  40 Days  Purple color of |  | Meaning of Ash Wednesday & Lent  Rules on Fasting & Abstinence  Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving |  |  |
| Grade 2  Page #5 | **M** Feb. 26  **Tu** Feb. 27 |  |  | Chapter 11  Sacrament of Penance  Preparing for First Penance  Examination of Conscience  Sorrow for sins  Act of Contrition  Chapter 12  We celebrate the Sacrament of Forgiveness  Contrition, Confession, Penance, Absolution |  | Review Examination of Conscience  Act of Contrition |  | Scripture Story of the Good Samaritan |
|  | **M** Mar. 5  **Tu** Mar. 6 |  |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |  | **SAFETY MON/TUE** |
|  | **M** Mar. 12  **Tu** Mar. 13 |  |  | Chapter 23  Catholics belong to parishes  Role of Bishops  Role of Pope |  |  | Saint Patrick  The Shamrock  Glory Be prayer Trinity | Shamrock Activity/  Trinity |  | |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Mar. 19  **Tu** Mar. 20  **Palm Sunday**  March 25 |  |  | Chapter 21  The Triduum (the Three Days)  Holy Thursday,  Good Friday, Easter  Chapter 27  Easter |  | Events of Holy Week (Triduum)  **Discuss Palm Sunday**  **View video “The Messiah Comes”**  Easter Prayer |  |  |
|  | **M** Mar. 26  **Tu** Mar. 27 |  |  | **Stations of the Cross** |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Apr. 2  **Tu** Apr. 3  **Easter Sunday**  April 1 |  |  | Chapter 2  Followers known as disciples  Twelve Apostles  Paschal Mystery  Pentecost, the Holy Spirit, & the Church |  |  |  |  |
| Grade 2  Page #6 | **M** Apr. 9  **Tu** Apr. 10 |  |  | Chapter 19  Sent forth to share God’s Love with others  Jesus is Present in the Eucharist  Chapter 22  God calls us to love and serve  Vocations  The Real Presence—continuing to prepare  for First Communion |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | **M** Apr. 23  **Tu** Apr. 24  **Last Class** |  |  | Chapter 26  Jesus taught us to love others  Caring for God’s Creation  The Real Presence –  Continue to prepare for First Communion practice with  unconsecrated host. |  | Closing Ritual/  Prayer |  |  |  |