

Month by month Curriculum Goals

2020-21

Grade: **Seventh**

Month	Topics and Content	Resources	Comments
<p><i>September</i></p> <p>2 sessions</p>	<p><i>Session One -Video welcome and prayer service; digital citizenship and classroom organization</i></p> <p><i>Session Two: Ice breakers and getting to know you</i></p>		
<p><i>October</i></p> <p>4 sessions</p>	<p>Meaning of Discipleship- as context to year</p> <p>What does it mean to be a person of faith? -following Jesus in our society</p> <p>Establish that faith is the ground for how we live our life.</p> <p>Gospels- Tradition as sources of revelation</p> <p>Background to Gospels -why they were written, who were they written by, when were they written -social, political, and cultural context</p>	<p>Catholic Connections (CC) chapter 9, including material on Mother Teresa</p> <p>CC, chapter 19</p>	<p>During the month of Rosary - connect the Joyful mysteries to the stories in Luke.</p>

<p><i>November</i></p> <p><i>3 sessions</i></p>	<p>Finish up Gospel background</p> <p>Jesus as human & divine fulfillment of messianic prophecy</p> <p>Begin in-depth look of Luke</p> <p>Infancy Narratives Baptism/Temptation</p> <p><i>No class the week of Thanksgiving</i></p>	<p>CC, chapter 11</p> <p>Use Six Weeks with the Bible, as well as the Breakthrough Manual as guides.</p> <p>The primary text for the students is the Gospel of Luke.</p> <p>Chapters 1-4</p>	
<p><i>December</i></p> <p><i>2 sessions</i></p>	<p>Continue in Luke</p> <p><i>Need to cover Advent and Christmas;</i></p>		<p>Introduce Ignatian Mediation and / or Lectio Divina to help teach prayer with scripture.</p>
<p>The second semester map assumes that we'll be back on site. It will need to be adapted if we are still doing remote teaching.</p>			
<p><i>January</i></p> <p><i>4 sessions</i></p>	<p><i>Speaker Night - full class - for fifth grade and up -hopefully on vocations</i></p> <p>Call of the Disciples</p> <p>Teachings & Parables</p> <p>Miracles of Jesus</p>	<p>Chapter 5</p> <p>Chapters 6, 7-9, 10-11 (CC - chapters 49-50)</p> <p>Chapter 13, 14</p> <p>Chapter 15, 16</p>	<p>Select within these for ones which tell the story and make the point. Definitely include the Sermon on the Plain (chapter 6), teaching on prayer (chapter 11), some of the cures, the Good Samaritan, Prodigal Son and Rich Man and Lazarus</p>

<p><i>February</i></p> <p><i>4 sessions</i></p>	<p><i>Do prep for Lent on February 10.</i></p> <p><i>Feb 17 is Ash Wednesday. We'll go to the 7 PM mass if that is possible. If not, we'll arrange for a service with the distribution of ashes for the students</i></p> <p><i>Feb 24 - Stations of the Cross for 1/2 the classes</i></p> <p>What is true repentance?</p> <p>The conspiracy against Jesus, the Passion and Resurrection</p> <p>Conclude Luke - what have they learned about discipleship?</p>	<p>Luke 18 - Pharisee and tax collector and Luke 19 - story of Zacchaeus</p> <p>Chapters 20-24</p> <p>CC - chapters 15, 16</p>	
<p><i>March</i></p> <p><i>3 sessions</i></p>	<p><i>March 3 - Stations of the Cross for 1/2 the classes</i></p> <p><i>Grades three through seven go to confession - 1/2 session on either Mar 10 or Mar 17.</i></p> <p><i>March 24 off due to school break</i> <i>No class on March 31- Holy Week</i></p> <p>Move to "what is the moral life?"</p> <p>Honoring God</p> <p>Honoring Family</p> <p>Respect for Life</p>	<p>CC - chapters 38, 39</p> <p>CC chapter 40</p> <p>CC chapter 41</p> <p>CC chapter 42</p>	

<p><i>April</i></p> <p><i>4 sessions</i></p>	<p><i>Child safety on April 21</i></p> <p>Respecting Truth and Property</p> <p>Respecting Sexuality</p> <p>Working for Justice; corporal and spiritual works of mercy</p>	<p>CC chapter 43</p> <p>CC chapter 44</p> <p>CC chapter 45</p>	<p>Have them share what they have journaled about in their Works of Mercy journal for Confirmation</p>
<p><i>May</i></p> <p><i>1 session</i></p>	<p><i>Rosary and May Crowning; and closing on May5</i></p>		