

Religion 7 Curriculum:

1st Quarter:

Discover, recognize & use God's revelation in Sacred Scripture as a resource in one's life

- Identify the Sacred Scripture as the Word of God and as a book of faith
- Describe the Catholic approach to biblical interpretation
- Identify the structure and development of Sacred Scripture
- Describe Sacred Scripture as the written story of the covenant relationship between God and the Israelites and God and the Christian Community
- Describe the four Gospels as telling about Jesus' life and teachings
- Describe the growth of the early Church in Acts, Letters (Epistles) and the Book of Revelation

2nd Quarter:

Discover, recognize & use God's revelation in the Sacred Tradition of the Roman Catholic Church

- Describe God as personally involved in the history of God's people
- Describe Jesus Christ as the fulfillment of God's promises
- Describe Jesus Christ as our Savior who redeemed us by His life, death, resurrection & ascension
- Recognize and illustrate God as Trinity: Father, Son & Holy Spirit
- Identify the Church as the Body of Christ continuing Christ's mission of evangelization through word, worship, community and service
- Identify other approaches to the divine and to the meaning of life
- Illustrate basic understanding of Catholic dogma and doctrine

3rd Quarter

Discover, recognize, & participate in the life of the Church through prayer, liturgy and sacraments

- Identify prayer as being open actively to God through all forms of communication
- Examine liturgy as the official public worship of the Catholic Church by which it expresses its faith
- Describe the importance of Sunday Liturgy and the meaning of the liturgical year, its traditions, rituals and customs
- Describe the Mass (Eucharistic Liturgy) as the source and summit of Christian living,
- Identify the sacraments as God's active participation in our lives

4th Quarter:

Discover, recognize the development of the Christian person and experience the baptismal call to dignity, relationship, moral decision-making & service

- Express that every person is loved by God first and is made in the image and likeness of God
- Recognize that one responds to the love of God by growing in relationship to God, others, self and all creation
- Value the inherent dignity of every person
- Explain discipleship as living out one's baptismal call
- Describe the process of developing a person's informed conscience
- Describe the Kingdom of God as the presence of God's love, peace & justice in the world

Service Work

Holy Family Soup Kitchen