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Objectives for Kindergarten


Creed (K)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that all things are gifts of God.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Bible tells us about creation, the life of Jesus, and that caring for others is living God's love.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God made all things because God loves us.</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Mary and Joseph were Jesus' parents on Earth.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is a good friend full of tenderness and love.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our Church celebrates the liturgical seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we respect others at liturgy.</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the church building is a sacred place where the People of God gather.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to recognize that all of God's creation needs care.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 6

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Sacraments (K)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in the liturgy.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

Christian Living (K)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that people in our church community serve God in many ways.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are lovable.</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we love our families</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we love our neighbors</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we share with others</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we care for other people</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to show concern for all people, especially those in need</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to help our family and friends</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 1

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand the difference between right and wrong actions.</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 4</b>
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Prayer (K)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to say simple prayers in the morning, evening, and at mealtime.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that we sometimes pray spontaneous prayers</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to pray together as a class, school community, family, and Church</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>

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Objectives for Grade 1

Creed (1)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God loves us and wants us to respond to that love.</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 1</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God speaks to us through the Bible</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God the Father is the Creator of all</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is the Son of God, Second person in the Trinity</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God, Third person in the Trinity</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Catholic Church is a family of believers</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Mary is the mother of God</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God wants us to be happy by living as he taught us</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 2</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God always forgives us</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus, the Son of God, teaches us about God the Father</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit can help us to live together in peace</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our Church celebrates the liturgical seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter, and ordinary time</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are Catholic Christians</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our church building is a special and sacred place</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our parish is a community</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 9
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that creation is a gift of God</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we care about our world and other people</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series


Sacraments (1)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that, in baptism, we become members of God's family</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus shares himself with us in a special meal</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that at Mass, we come together to celebrate</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

Christian Living (1)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus shows us how to live</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we care for all people of different cultures and races at every stage of life</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we love our family</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we care for the poor and the suffering</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are helpful and loving to our parents, teachers, and friends</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we live good lives with the help of the Holy Spirit</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

Prayer (1)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that prayer is listening to and talking with God</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus teaches us how to pray</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to recognize the sign of the Cross</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to recite the Lord's Prayer</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to recite Hail Mary</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to recite mealtime, morning and night prayers</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series


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Objectives for Grade 2


Creed (2)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we believe in the Father, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God is present in each of us, in community, in Scripture, and in the sacraments</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Bible is made up of the Old Testament and New Testament</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus died for us on the cross</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus rose from the dead on Easter Sunday to give us new life</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit was sent by Jesus to be with us always</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Catholic Church is a community of Jesus' followers</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God the Father loves us even when we hurt others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus brings us God's forgiveness</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit helps us make good choices</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 3



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Catholic Church celebrates its faith through the sacraments</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that in Baptism, we become members of the Church</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we belong to a parish family</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the church gathers at Mass to celebrate the life of Jesus</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the tabernacle in a Catholic Church is where the Eucharist is kept after the celebration of Mass</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that as Christians we promise to care about all God's creation</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 6

Sacraments (2)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that sacraments are celebrations and signs of Jesus' love</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Baptism gives us new life</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that in the sacrament of penance/reconciliation we say we are sorry for our sins and receive God's forgiveness</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharist was begun by Jesus at the Last Supper as a sacrificial meal</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that in the Eucharist, bread and wine are changed into the body and blood of Christ</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
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<b>Christian Living (2)</b>
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<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we live lovingly in our family</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we respect our parents</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we love ourselves as gifts of God</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we respect all humanity</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we treat others the way Jesus treated others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we share what we have with others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharist is a sacrament of love and service</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we follow Jesus by loving and serving others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we cooperate in school, church, and community projects</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we can choose to do good</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we sin when we choose to do wrong or not to do good</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
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Prayer (2)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that at Mass, we gather together as God's family</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand Liturgy of the Word</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand Liturgy of the Eucharist</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand Prayer of Sorrow</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in Mass responses</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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Objectives for Grade 3

Creed (3)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God takes care of us and is always faithful to us</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 1</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Bible is organized into books, chapters, and verses</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we meet Jesus in the Word of God</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God loves us like a parent</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus came to bring us God's Word</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit is with us to help us pray</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 2</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Catholic Church is one, holy, catholic and apostolic</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God is the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is a person who lived historically and is alive now</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit is the gift of God and Jesus Christ who enables the life of the Church on earth.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Jesus began his new Church on earth</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the apostles were twelve followers whom Jesus chose to help him begin his church</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the season of Advent prepares us for Christmas and for the second coming of Christ</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Lent is a special time for praying, sacrificing, and sharing because of Jesus' suffering</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Christians celebrate Jesus' rising from the dead on Easter Sunday</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the church community includes the pope, clergy, religious and lay people</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Church continues Jesus' ministries of community, word, worship, and service</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Church is the communion of saints</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that life is precious in plants, animals and persons</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that as Christians we accept responsibility for caring for God's creation</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 7

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Sacraments (3)	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Baptism, confirmation and Eucharist are sacraments of initiation</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that penance/reconciliation and anointing of the sick are sacraments of healing</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that matrimony and holy orders are the sacraments of service</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

Christian Living (3)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Holy orders is a sacrament of special service and commitment to the Church</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that when we care about people, especially those who are unable to help themselves, we are recognizing their human dignity</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that all life is a gift of God which must be respected</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that through the parables, Jesus tells us to love ourselves and one another</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that whatever we do for people in need, we do for Jesus</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we share in Jesus' mission to bring a message of love, justice, and hope to the poor and victims of injustice</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are called to share in Jesus' ministry of love and service</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 3</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Ten Commandments help us live good lives</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 3</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus sums up the commandments for us in his law of love</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>

Prayer (3)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God hears our prayers</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that when we listen to God's Word in Scripture, we hear God speaking to us today</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in spontaneous prayer</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in liturgical prayer</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand Apostles' Creed</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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**Objectives for Grade 4**

<b>Creed (4)</b>	
<u><b>When Teaching This Objective:</b></u>	<u><b>Use This Resource:</b></u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God gives us grace to help us live good lives</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that created in God's image, we have the ability to think, to make choices, and to love</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Bible teaches us about God's goodness within ourselves and our world</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Bible teaches us about choices and how to live good lives</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God is merciful and forgiving</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Jesus came to bring God's forgiveness to everyone</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit guides us to choose good rather than evil</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that all members of the Church are members of the Body of Christ</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, is always with us</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Jesus teaches us how to live</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit helps us live as Jesus did</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>





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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church is a light to the world</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that as members of the Church, we learn from others and teach others the way to the reign of God</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church is called to be a community</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharistic celebration (Mass) on Holy Thursday reminds us of the Last Supper</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church is made up of people who follow Jesus (apostles, saints, us)</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that as the Church, the body of Christ, we celebrate the Eucharist</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church cares for those in need and works to build a better world</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God is the giver of all life, and all that God creates is good</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that as Christians we are thankful for the gifts we have been given and share generously with others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that all of God's creation is to be respected</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series




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Sacraments (4)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that in the sacrament of penance/reconciliation, the Church celebrates that we receive God's grace and forgiveness and that Christian life is a journey of conversion</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharist is the source and strength of the Catholic community and is essential to the life and mission of the Catholic Church</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

Christian Living (4)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that through baptism, Jesus calls us to live a life of service, welcoming and helping others, especially those in need</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is the example of Christian life and love</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that participation in our family and parish communities gives us support for living the Christian way of life</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Mary and the saints offer us examples of good Christian lives</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that differences in personalities, races, and nationalities are good for the whole of the human family</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus teaches us about the greatest commandments of all: to love God with our whole heart and to love our neighbor as we love ourselves</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to recognize that authority is necessary for human community</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God cares deeply how we treat others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God wants us to resist envy and greed</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the beatitudes show us how to trust God, forgive, and have mercy for others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that we show our love for God when we help those in need</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that caring for others means considering their needs</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the corporal and spiritual works of mercy are ways of showing our love for Jesus who cares for the poor</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the virtues of faith, hope, and love help us live good lives</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God gives us gifts of freedom and conscience</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 4
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit and Church help us choose what is right</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Ten Commandments teach us how to love God and others</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that sin is choosing to turn away from God, harming our relationship to God, ourselves and others</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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Prayer (4)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Christians forgive those who hurt them, bear wrongs patiently, and pray for everyone, the living and the dead</li> </ul>	<p><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>

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Objectives for Grade 5


Creed (5)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the purpose of a Christian's life is to know, love, and serve God.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God is present in the Bible, the inspired word of God.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the promise of love and partnership God made with Moses and the Hebrew people is a covenant.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Gospels tell us about the life of Jesus, both as divine and human.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the four Gospel writers are named Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God is with us everywhere, especially through other people and the Church.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God came into our world to save us.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is the visible sign of God's love.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit gives us courage.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church reveals the presence of the risen Christ.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that there is one God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series


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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the mystery of the Trinity is at the core of our faith.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God created all things and God cares for us as a loving Father.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is true God and true human.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit came to the disciples at Pentecost.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church - one, holy, catholic, and apostolic- is the People of God, called together by the Holy Spirit.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church is the sacrament of Christ in the world.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church celebrates its birthday on Pentecost.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church is a celebrating community.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church celebrates the presence and actions of Christ in our lives through the seven sacraments.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church celebrates liturgical feasts and seasons.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that at Mass, we gather as a community to be reconciled, to give thanks, and to celebrate.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the pope is the leader of the Catholic Church throughout the world.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God continues to create all things for us to enjoy, use, share, care for, and respect.</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 1</b>
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Sacraments (5)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the seven sacraments are special gifts by which we share in God's presence.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that baptism gives new life, cleanses sin, and joins us to the Christian community.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that confirmation strengthens us in the Holy Spirit.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharist is a sacrificial banquet in which Christ is really present to us.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharist re-enacts the sacrifice of Christ.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that penance/reconciliation is the bestowal of God's forgiveness through the ministry of the Church.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the sacrament of anointing of the sick bestows grace upon a Christian experiencing serious illness or infirmity.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that matrimony joins together man and woman in an unbreakable covenant signifying the union of Christ and His Church.</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 8</b>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the sacrament of holy orders confers the ordained with the grace of the Holy Spirit required for his sacramental ministry.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
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Christian Living (5)	
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<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that through Baptism all followers of Jesus are called to the ministry of service.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that some people are called to the priesthood or religious life, others to married or single life.</li> </ul>	<p align="center">   <b>Family Life Lesson 7</b> </p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that members of our parish community, especially our family, can help support us in living a Catholic Christian life.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God created persons of different races and cultures, but all are one in God.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we must have an appreciation for racial, ethnic, and age differences.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we need to examine our choices in light of the Christian message.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Christians give love, respect, and appreciation to others.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are to live as faithful followers of Jesus.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are capable of intimacy and trust of others.</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b>Basal Textbook Series</b></p>



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that life is precious, especially as it is found in one's own body and that of others.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus reached out to the poor, the lonely, and the suffering.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus heals others through us.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church teaches that we must work for a more just and fair world.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the sacraments provide us with God's healing and nourishment.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we reach out to those who suffer.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Church teaches that we must help the poor and needy.</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 9</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we should work to protect life and promote love of neighbor.</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 5</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit enables us to grow and act in a Christian manner.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are responsible for our own actions.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our conscience helps us know what is right and do what we believe is right.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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Prayer (5)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Psalms are prayers found in the Old Testament that Jesus liked to pray.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Christians pray daily to talk to God and to listen to God's will.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in sacramental ritual prayers.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in spontaneous and meditation prayers.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to participate in liturgical responses.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to pray the rosary.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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Objectives for Grade 6

Creed (6)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Bible tells us that God and God's goodness prevail over sin and evil.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God chose to send Jesus to us for our salvation.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are called to be God's chosen ones.</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 1</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that faith is a gift from God.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that there are 46 books in the Old Testament and 27 books in the New Testament.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the experience of God's people is recorded in the Scriptures.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Old Testament contains the roots of our faith.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Old Testament is fulfilled in Jesus Christ.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God the Father creates out of love.</li> </ul>	 <b>Circle of Grace Lesson 2</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is the Messiah who came to serve and liberate.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series


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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit is the breath of life and the fire of love.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God is revealed to us in the Bible.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the mystery of the Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit was revealed in the person, words, and works of Jesus Christ.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit inspired the authors of the Bible.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit is always present and active in the lives of people.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Church was born on the day of Pentecost.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Church is rooted in many signs and symbols of the Old Testament.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God dwells within the Church, the body of Christ.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Pope is the leader of the Roman Catholic Church.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Church is the Body of Christ, Head (Jesus Christ) and members.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that God's people are called to continual reform and renewal.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that sin can destroy God's good creation.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are called to overcome evil and to be responsible stewards.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
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Sacraments (6)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that sacraments are symbols and realities instituted by Jesus Christ that make God's grace present to us.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that sacramental actions of the Church originated in Jewish rituals.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Eucharist is central to Catholic life.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the sacred is experienced in the liturgical year, sacramentals, symbols, and rituals.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that through our Baptism, we are called to follow Jesus.</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 6</b>

Christian Living (6)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Christians are to be missionaries, bringing the Good News to the ends of the earth.</li> </ul>	 <b>Family Life Lesson 4</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we are all children of the covenant God made with Abraham.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the varied ethnic cultures make significant contributions to the Church.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we show we are God's people by living the commandments, the sign of the covenant.</li> </ul>	<b>Basal Textbook Series</b>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Holy Spirit calls all people to conversion and faithfulness.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Scriptures help guide us in the moral pathways of the reign of God.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that human sexuality is a precious gift from God.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus Christ, the model of chastity, calls every baptized person to lead a chaste life.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 3
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our God is a God of freedom.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Bible explores the mysteries of life: suffering, injustice, and death.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the prophets spoke out against injustice and suffering.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we see that the way to the reign of God is a way of justice and peace.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Lesson 10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is the center of God's plan for the world.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we receive a heritage of faith from those who have gone before us.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we receive wisdom and understanding from God's Spirit in the Church to know how to act.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we learn how to live good lives through the teachings of Scripture.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God sends prophets into our midst to call us to the justice and mercy of God's reign.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that all people are called to be faithful to God's love.</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 3

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The learner will be able to understand that worship belongs to God alone.</li></ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharistic liturgy is the community's central act of worship.</li></ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The learner will be able to understand that prayer provides a deepening awareness of our covenant relationship with God.</li></ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The learner will be able to understand the elements of the Lord's Prayer.</li></ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The learner will be able to understand that the psalms are an example of prayers in the Old Testament</li></ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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Objectives for Grade 7 and 8

Creed (7 & 8)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God knows us and calls us by name.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God is revealed to us through Jesus.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Christian faith is a personal response to Jesus and requires a relationship with Jesus.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Bible is a collection of many books written under God's inspiration.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Scriptures teach us about the person of Jesus and the meaning of following Jesus and living the Good News.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that key themes of the Good News are found in Scripture.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus teaches about God, prayer, justice and peace, service, and moral life.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that reading Scripture can be prayer.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that as Catholics, we can recall and explain the Nicene Creed.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus' dying, rising, and sending of the Spirit to live forever with God's people is called the Paschal Mystery.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we celebrate Jesus returning to God the Father on the Feast of the Ascension.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Catholics honor Mary as the mother of God.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Father, the Son, and the Spirit as one God is called the Holy Trinity.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series




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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that God came into our world to save us.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus is both divine and human.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we celebrate the Holy Spirit's coming to the disciples on Pentecost Sunday.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Church is the People of God and the body of Christ.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus' mission and ministry are continued today through the ministries of the word, worship, community-building, and service.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our beliefs are sound and rooted in Scripture and Tradition.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Catholics are involved in the life, mission, and work of the parish community and family.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that some Catholics are called to liturgical ministries.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Catholics support the Church financially.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we come to know God through the faith community.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 8 Lesson 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that new adult members are welcomed into the Church through a faith-formation process called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we care for the world and all that is in it by respecting and protecting it.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<p>The learner will be able to understand that as Christians we examine the distribution and use of resources in light of the theology of stewardship.</p>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we promise stewardship.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series







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Sacraments (7 & 8)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Sacraments signify and make present God's grace.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Catholics gather in the Eucharist to hear God's Word and celebrate God's presence with us.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Catholics confess their sins and celebrate God's forgiveness in the sacrament of penance/reconciliation.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharistic celebration (Mass) in part reminds us of the Last Supper.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Eucharist is the sacrifice of the body and blood of the Lord.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

Christian Living (7 & 8)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that there are a variety of Christian vocations that reflect our baptismal call to discipleship.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 8 Lesson 8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that priesthood is a unique role in the Church.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that religious life is a special type of discipleship.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that life is sacred from conception to natural death.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that injustices are caused by discrimination and prejudice.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that our Church is enriched through diverse cultural expressions.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series





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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that pro-life activities are encouraged and fostered in the Church.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 8 Lesson 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus told us that the greatest commandments of all are to love God with our whole heart and to love our neighbors as ourselves.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 7 Lesson 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Jesus taught us that relationships should be based on a life of service to others.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we develop skills for being a friend and for handling peer pressure and specific problems.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 8 Lesson 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we learn to develop responsible relationships with an emphasis on honesty, love, and respect.</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 1 Cover in Grade 7 or 8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that skills such as listening, self-disclosure, and compromise are necessary for communication with adults and peers.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 7 Lesson 4
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that sexuality is integral to one's personal identity.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that Catholic Christians have specific sexual moral values.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 7 Lesson 8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Scriptures teach us the importance of working for justice, peace, equality, and stewardship in our lives.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that the Beatitudes challenge us to continual conversion in our personal and social lives.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Jesus taught us about carrying a cross and living a life of loving service.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 8 Lesson 7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that service is an essential element of discipleship.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that service is action rooted in and flowing from prayer.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the dignity of the human person is the foundation of Catholic Christian morality.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 7 Lesson 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that we identify moral values in the teachings of Jesus.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that as we grow in faith we build a strong and realistic concept of self with an emphasis on growing autonomy and self-determination.</li> </ul>	 Family Life Grade 7 Lesson 9
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that the context of moral decision-making within the Catholic Christian tradition is human dignity, God's grace, the virtues and the Holy Spirit.</li> </ul>	 Circle of Grace Lesson 2 Cover in Grade 7 or 8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that we can habitually know and do what is good with the help of the theological and cardinal virtues.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The learner will be able to understand that Christ invites us to deny self and take up the cross.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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Prayer (7 & 8)	
<u>When Teaching This Objective:</u>	<u>Use This Resource:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we develop our relationship with God through personal prayer.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we pray for openness and generous response to God's call in our lives.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we reflect on how the Gospel affirms and challenges our thoughts and actions.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to know and participate in the Rite of Reconciliation.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that prayer of imagination, especially in the context of meditation, is part of our prayer life.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to understand that we pray for vocations.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The learner will be able to know and participate in Catholic devotions such as Eucharistic adoration.</li> </ul>	Basal Textbook Series

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