

3rd Grade Scope & Sequence

Lesson	Objectives	Literature	Task of Catechesis	Scripture	TOB Standard	TOB Ref	CCC	Saint	Materials	SEL connection	Task of the Family	Catholic Social Teaching	Family Life Standard Themes
1 Gift of Self (part 1)	Explain what happens when you view creation as a gift	Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters, by John Steptoe (Story overview on page 92)	Promote Knowledge of the Faith		CCC 221	3.6.1	TOB 32:4		Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters (Story overview on pg. 92)	Self awareness	Sharing in life and mission of Church	Care for Creation	
									Characters and Pronunciation worksheet: TG pg. 11 (SAB pg. 3)				
									The Eyes of the Queen Worksheet: TG pg.12 (SAB pg. 4)				
									Pencils and coloring materials				
2 The Body Reveals the Person	Connect the fruits of the spirit to Nyasha and the results of selfishness to Manyara.	Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters, by John Steptoe (Story overview on page 92)	Forming for Life in Christ	Galatians 5:22-23		3.8.1, 3.10.1			Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters (Story overview on pg. 92)	Self management	Serving Life	Call to Family, Community and Participation	Virtues
	The student will state the fruits of the spirit that are revealed through the body.								Fruits of the Spirit T-Chart: TG pg. 19 (SAB pg. 7)				
	State ways to grow in the fruits of the spirit.								The Body Reveals the the Fruits of the Spirit worksheet: TG pg. 20 (SAB pg. 8)				
3 Sin Distorts the Gift	State that sin is a failure to love.	Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters, by John Steptoe (Story overview on page 92)	Forming for Life in Christ				TOB 32:2	Saint Faustina (Divine Mercy Sunday)	Restoring our Relationships activity: TG pg. 29 (SAB pg. 11)	Social Awareness, Relationship skills, Responsible Decision Making	Forming a Community of Persons	Life and Dignity of the Human Person	Moral decision making
	Recognize that sin distorts our ability to to recognize the gifts from God.		Teaching Prayer						Coffee filters, permanent markers, washable markers, cup of water and a water dropper, writing utensils, coloring materials				
	State ways to reconcile relationships between people and God.												

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4 Families are a Gift from God	State that God created families as a gift.	Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters, by John Steptoe (Story overview on page 92)	Introduction to Community Life				TOB 9:3		Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters (Story overview on pg. 92)	Social Awareness, Relationship skills	Forming a Community of Persons	Call to family, community, and Participation	Family
	State that members of a family help each other get to heaven.								Blindfold maze activity sheet: TG pg. 35 (SAB pg. 15)				
	Give examples of ways that family members give and receive love.								Writing utensils, Red/blue marker for each child Blindfold for each child (optional)				
5 Body-Soul Unity	State that the human person is a unique combination of body and soul		Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Luke 1:26-38	CCC 1015	3.8.1	TOB: 67:2 TOB 19:4	St. Gabriel the Angel (Annunciation) St. Michael the Arcangel	Angel News Report: TG pg. 42 (SAB pg. 19)	Self awareness	Serving life	Life and Dignity of the Human Person	
	Recognize the body makes the soul visible												
6 Gift of Self (part 2)	Recognize the different characteristics of Christ's gift of self on the cross.		Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	John 10:10,18, 15:13	CCC 221				Characteristics of Jesus' Gift posters 1-4 : TG pgs. 49-52 (SAB pgs. 23-29)	Self Awareness, Responsible decision making	Sharing in life and mission of Church	Call to family, community, and Participation	Friendships and relationships
				Mt:28:20					We Can Love Like Jesus student sheet: TG pg. 53 (CPB pg. 31)			Care for the Poor and Vulnerable	
	State ways that that he or she can be like Jesus by making a gift of self to others.								Optional Lesson Materials: Make Jesus' Love Visible activity sheet: TG pg. 54 (SAB pg 32) ; Coloring materials				

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7 Original Solitude (part 1)	State that giving gifts leads to happiness.		Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Gen 2:4-9, 15-20		3.2.1	TOB 6:1, TOB 6:2, TOB 5:4, TOB 6:3-7:2	Our Lady of Guadalupe, Juan Diego	In the Beginning student packet: TG pgs. 61-65 (SAB pgs. 35-39), Bible (optional)	Relationship skills	Sharing in life and mission of Church	Call to family, community, and Participation	
	Will explain why Adam was so happy when God created Eve.	Bible (optional)							Pencils and coloring materials, scissors and glue				
8 Original Solitude (part 2)	Will explain what caused the wounded relationship between God and human persons.	Bible (optional)	Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Gen 2:16-17			TOB 6:1, TOB 6:2, TOB 5:4, TOB 6:3-7:2	St. Ambrose, St. Augustine (Lectio Divina)	Where Are We Now student packet: TG pgs. 73-77 (SAB pgs. 43-47), Bible (optional)	Relationship skills	Forming a Community of Persons	N/A	
	Will explain how human persons can restore their relationship with God.		Teaching Prayer	John 6:3					Pencils and coloring materials, scissors and glue				
9 Original Solitude (part 3)	Will state that death separates the body and soul.	Bible (optional)	Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Gen 2:7, 2:16-17, Cor 15:20-22, Acts 1:9-11			TOB 6:1, TOB 6:2, TOB 5:4, TOB 6:3-7:2	Saint Pope John Paul II	Our Destiny student packet: TG pgs. 85-89 (SAB pgs. 51-55), Bible	Self awareness	Sharing in life and mission of Church	N/A	
	Will state that after death the body will be reunited with the soul in Heaven.		Teaching Prayer						Pencils and coloring materials, scissors and glue				