

7th 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 Man of Concupiscence	Discuss the account of original sin and its effects.	The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe, by C.S. Lewis	Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Gen 1:31, 2:15-17, 3:1-7, Rom 5:8, 5:19, John 8:32, Mark 9:24	7.1.2, 7.9.1	TOB 3:4-4:3, 26:1-27:4, 29:4-5, 30:5, 32, 45:5, 107:2	CCC 144-175, 402-406	St. Mary Magdalene	Laptop and projector or copies of the book, Common Place Books and pens	Social Awareness, Responsible Decision Making			Moral Decision Making; Virtue; Friendships and Relationships
	Compare and contrast the burden of sin with the freedom of Adam and Eve had before sin.		Teaching prayer						Experience: None				
	Describe "concupiscence".												
2 Redeemed and Called	Discuss God's response to Adam and Eve's sin.		Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Gen 3:7-21, Rom 5:8, 5:20b-6:2, 6:20-23, John 1:29	7.1.1, 7.10.1	TOB 3:4-4:3, 45:5, 46, 49:4, 99:5-7, 102, 107:2, 6	CCC 312, 1422-1498, 1849-1851, 2090-2092	St. Columba of Ireland		Relationship Skills, Self-Management			
	Explain that Christ takes away our sin, he doesn't cover it up or push it side.		Teaching prayer						Experience: Chipped or broken dishware, or other brightly-colored ceramic, paper bags, hammer, tile adhesive, grout, plastic trowel or spackle brush, 8"C8" squares of either sturdy cardboard or wood, large drop-cloths, or tarp, paper towels or sponge				
	Discuss the importance of the sacraments, especially Baptism.												

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3 Law and Love	Discuss the original purpose of God's law.		Forming for life in Christ	Psalms 119:89-105, 172-176, 119:35, 1John 5:3, Gen 2:17, Is 29:13, Matthew 5:21-24, 11:30, Gal 5:1, 2Cor 12:9	7.10.1	TOB 15:2, 24:1-25:2, 34-35, 43:5-6, 46:4, 58:5, 59, 118:5	CCC 618	St. Thomas Aquinas		Responsible Decision Making	Participating in the development of society		Moral Decision Making; Virtue; Friendships and Relationships
	Compare and contrast the attitudes of living by the letter of the law and allowing the law to transform one's heart.		Teaching Prayer						Experience: Laptop and projector or small individual copies of the picture, large pieces of construction paper, paints or colored pencils, refreshments and background music (optional)				
	Discuss how Christ gives us the ability to live the law even when it is difficult.												
4 Life According to the Spirit	Discuss what it means to put off the "old self" and take on the "new self"		Initiating into the celebration of the Mystery	Rom 8:1-15, 11, 31-34, 37-39, Eph 4:22-24	7.10.1, 7.10.2	TOB 15:1, 23, 45:1, 49:4-50:4, 51:5-6, 52:4-5, 54:2-4, 57:1-3, 101:4		St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen	Kalos: Video clip of any famous musician, artist, sports player, interviewer, etc., index cards. Suggestion: Yo-Yo Ma Bach Cello Suite No. 1 in G Major at the BBC Prom 2015."	Self-Awareness, Responsible Decision Making			Virtue
	Discuss how the sacraments are the foundation of our life in the Spirit.		Forming for life in Christ						Experience: Common Place Books, Pens, index cards (optional)				
	List some of the gifts of the Holy Spirit.		Teaching Prayer										

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5 The Heroism of Love	Explain what "self-mastery" is and why it is important	The Chronicles of Narnia: The Voyage of the Dawn Treader, by C.S. Lewis	Forming for life in Christ	1 Ptr 2:1, 16, 3:8-9, 14-21, John 15:13, Phil 4:13, Mark 12:29-31, 1 John 4:16	7.6.1	TOB 13:24, 15:1-4, 16:1-2, 23, 32:6, 46:4, 48:3, 49:4, 120:4-6, 121:1-6, 123:1-5, 126:5, 27:4	CCC 1763-1770	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross	Kalos: Laptop and projector, film and/or copies of the book The Voyage of the Dawn Treader, Common Place Books and pens	Self-Management, Responsible Decision Making	Sharing in the Life and Mission of the Church	Rights and Responsibilities; Solidarity	Friendships and Relationships
	Recognize the difference between love and use.								Experience: Common Place Books, Pens, index cards (optional)				
6 Spousal Meaning of the Body	Explain what the "language of the body" means.		Leading to Knowledge of the Faith	Rom 12:1-2, 4-21, 1 Cor 6:19, Eph 5:25-30	7.5.1, 7.8.1, 7.11.1	TOB 9:2-5, 14:206, 15:1-5, 16:1-2, 21:2-6, 23, 29:4, 46:4, 103-108, 123:4-5, 125:1-2, 127:1, 4	CCC 1790-1794	St. John Bosco	Kalos: 4 or 5 candles, a small cake, cookie, brownie, etc., cake-cutter, Common Place Books/pens, slips of paper	Self-Awareness	Forming a Community of Persons		Marriage
	Discuss the filial and spousal meanings of the body.		Teaching Prayer						Experience: Slips of paper, Common Place Books, pens				
	Examine the spousal analogy of Christ's love for the Church												