

**St. Paul on the Lake Religious Education Program**

2/14/21

**2021-2022**

**Grade 8**

**Mondays 4:15- 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 – 7:45 p.m.**

Year Focus: Confirmation Preparation

Prayer: Nicene Creed

<b>Date</b>	<b>Chapter #</b>	<b>Lesson Title and Instruction</b>
09/27/2021	<b>Parent Meeting</b>	<b>All Parents, Catechist and Student Meeting on Zoom, led by St. Paul Staff. Additional information will be provided.</b>
10/04/2021	12	“Who is the Holy Spirit?” (Meeting the Third Person of the Trinity) pgs. 105-114
10/11/2021	13	“What does the Holy Spirit do for me?” (Gifts for the Journey) pgs. 114-124
10/18/2021	<b>Fire Drill</b> 14	<b>Fire Drill</b> “Why have I been <i>Chosen</i> ?” (Sealed and Sent in Confirmation) pgs. 125-134
10/25/2021	14.5	“Why have I been <i>Chosen</i> ?” (Sealed and Sent in Confirmation) pgs. 125-134
11/01/2021	<b>Lockdown Drill</b> All Saints Day	<b>Lockdown Drill</b> All Saints Lesson (Lesson plan & materials will be provided.)
11/08/2021	Vocations	Vocations Presentation for all Grades (30 min). Students will continue with their “vocation to be a saint” lesson following the presentation.
11/15/2021	15	“Why do I have to go to Mass?” (Encountering Jesus in the Eucharist) pgs. 135-144
11/22/2021	<b>ADORATION</b>	<b>Eucharistic Adoration during Advent (All students and families will be invited to attend during class time –no classes will be held in school.)</b>
11/29/2021	15.5	“Why do I have to go to Mass?” (Encountering Jesus in the Eucharist) pgs. 135-144
12/06/2021	16	“What does it mean to say, ‘I do’?” (Marriage, a Sign of God’s Love) pgs. 145-154
12/13/2021	<b>Reconciliation</b>	<b>Reconciliation in the Church (Grades 6-8), more information will be provided.</b> Confirmation Name and Sponsor forms due.
12/20/2021	<b>No Class</b>	<b>Christmas Break</b>
12/27/2021	<b>No Class</b>	<b>Christmas Break</b>
01/03/2022	18	“Are you talking to me?” (Getting to know God Through Prayer) pgs. 165-174
1/10/2022	19	“Who is Mary?” (Meeting the Mother of God- and Your Heavenly Family) pgs. 175-184
01/17/2022	<b>No Class</b>	<b>MLK Holiday</b>
<b>1/22/2022 OR 1/23/2022</b>	<b>Candidate and Sponsor Workshop</b>	<b>Confirmation Candidates and Sponsors will attend a workshop following either the 4:30pm Mass on Saturday or 12:00pm on Sunday.</b>

01/24/2022	19.5	“Who is Mary?” (Meeting the Mother of God- and Your Heavenly Family) pgs. 175-184
01/31/2022	22	“Why wait?” (God’s Plan for Love and Sex) pgs. 205-214
02/07/2022		
02/14/2022		
02/21/2022	<b>No Class</b>	<b>Winter Break</b>
<b>02/28/2022</b>	TOB  Letter Writing	Theology of the Body Presentation- Please meet in your classroom and take attendance. Boys will be called to room 100 and girls will be called to room 202. Letter Writing will be discussed at the end of the presentation.
<b>3/07/2022</b>	Flex Day	Catch up on Chosen lessons if needed OR give your students time to work on their letters and ask questions. Write 3 questions for Fr. Colin (visiting 3/21)
<b>Sat. 3/12/2022</b>	<b>RETREAT</b>	<b>Confirmation Retreat at St. Paul on the Lake.</b>
03/14/2022	<b>Reconciliation</b>	<b>Reconciliation in the Church (Grades 6-8), more information will be provided.</b> “Letter to the Pastor” and Mass Selection Form due
<b>03/21/2022</b>	21	“Do I have what it takes?” (Building Virtue- Your Spiritual Workout) pgs. 195-204 Fr. Colin will be stopping in for a 15 minute Q and A session
03/28/2022	<b>No Class</b>	<b>Spring Break</b>
<b>04/01/2022</b>	<b>Christian Service</b>	<b>Christian Service Packet (with 20 hours recorded) is due to the RE office.</b> Packets were provided in November and are available on the St. Paul Website.
04/04/2022	<b>Confirmation Interviews</b>	<b>Confirmation Interviews in the Church.</b>
04/11/2022	<b>Stations of the Cross</b> 23	<b>Stations of the Cross</b> “How do I build the kingdom?” (Saying “yes” to the Mission of Christ and His Church) pgs. 215-224
04/18/2022	<b>No Class</b>	<b>Easter Break</b>
04/25/2022	<b>Confirmation Prep in Church</b> 24	<b>Confirmation preparation, including music, in the Church during the first half of class.</b> “Where do I go from here?” (The Journey Continues) pgs. 225-233
<b>04/28/2022</b>	<b>Confirmation Rehearsal</b>	<b>Rehearsal for BOTH Confirmation Masses. 6:30-7:30p, in the Church.</b>
<b>05/02/2022 OR 05/03/2022</b>	<b>Confirmation, No Class</b>	<b>Students will be confirmed on one of two days; May 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup>.</b>
05/09/2022	<b>Youth Ministry</b>	<b>Youth Ministry event will take place during class.</b>

## **Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Catechists are also encouraged to incorporate other common prayers and prayer experiences into class.

Prayer journal, Lectio Divina, Act of Contrition, Our Father, Hail Mary, etc.