

GRADE 5

At the end of fifth grade children will be able to:

Understand the Creed

Explain man's relationship to God CCC 1-3
Explain man's desire for God CCC 27-30, 44
Tell the story of the creation, fall and promise
CCC 355, 385, 410-411
Describe God's Covenant with the human family
CCC 64, 70
Tell the covenant story of Noah CCC 56-58, 71
Tell covenant story of Abraham CCC 59-60, 72
Tell the covenant story of Moses CCC 62-64, 72
Define faith CCC 150-165, 179

Know God reveals Himself as One God in Three Persons

Explain God's revelation of Himself as one true
God CCC 32-35, 47
Explain how God reveals Himself to us
CCC 50-64, 68-72
Explain how God is revealed through Sacred
Tradition CCC 84-87, 96-98
Explain how God is revealed Scripture
CCC 84-87, 96-98
Define Trinity CCC 253-256, 261

God the Father

Describe God as truth and love
CCC 214-221, 231
Describe the way God acts as loving parent
CCC 270, 275-278
Tell how male and female were created in the
image of God CCC 369, 373, 383
Tell how creation is God's gift of love
CCC 295, 321
Describe the role of angels as servants and
messengers CCC 329, 350
Tell how the world was created for the glory of
God CCC 293-294

Describe how we become co-creators with God
CCC 372

Jesus Christ

Tell mystery of Jesus' birth, death, and
resurrection CCC 525-526, 571-655
Birth - Matthew, 1:18-12; Luke 2:1-20
Death - Matt 27:33-61;
Mark 15:22-47; Luke 23:33-50;
John 19:16b-42
Resurrection - Matt 28:1-10;
Mark 16:1-8; Luke 24:1-12;
John 20:1-29
Tell mystery of Jesus' ascension CCC 659-679

Acts 1:6-12

Know the story of John the Baptist
Matthew 3; Mark 1:1-8; Luke 3:1-20
CCC 717-720

Know the story of the Baptism of Jesus
Matt 3:13-17; Mark 9:11; Lk 3:21-22

Describe the beginning of Jesus' public
life/ministry CCC 535-560
The Sermon on the Mount Matt 5-7
The Transfiguration Matt 17:1-8;
Mark 9:2-8; Luke 9:28-36

Tell stories of Jesus' parables CCC 546
Tell stories of Jesus' miracles CCC 547-550

The Wedding at Cana John 2:1-11

The Feeding of the Five Thousand
Matthew 15:31-21
Mark 6:34-44

The Feeding of the Four Thousand
Mark 8:1-10

The Return of the Twelve and the
Feeding of the Five Thousand
Luke 9:10-17

The Multiplication of the Loaves and
Fishes John 6:1-15

The Raising of Lazarus John 11:1-44

Tell stories of Jesus' healings CCC 739, 1502
The Cleansing of the Leper

Matthew 8:1-4

Mark 1:40-45

Luke 5:12-16

The Healing of a Paralytic

Matthew 9:1-8

Mark 2:1-12

Luke 5:17-26

Cure on a Sabbath John 5:1-18

The Man Born Blind John 9:1-41

Tell of Jesus' Exorcisms

The Cure of a Demoniac

Mark 1:21-28

Luke 4:31-37

The Healing of a Boy with a Demon

Matthew 17:14-20

Mark 9:14-29

Luke 9:37-43

Describe how Jesus is still present to us
CCC 737-741, 747

Describe how Jesus healed and forgave others
CCC 517, 587-589, 594, 1507

Describe how and why Jesus suffered and died
for us CCC606- 608, 618-623

Describe Jesus as model CCC 520, 561
Explain how Jesus fulfills the covenant
CCC 422-424, 452-453

Holy Spirit

Identify the Holy Spirit CCC 685
Describe the role of the Holy Spirit CCC 688
Describe the presence of the Holy Spirit at the
Baptism of Jesus CCC 717-720
Describe the presence of the Holy Spirit at
Pentecost CCC 731-732
Acts 2:1-13
Describe presence of the Holy Spirit in the
Church today CCC 737-749
Identify the Holy Spirit as unifier and sanctifier
CCC 737-739, 747

Holy Catholic Church

Identify the Catholic Church as founded by Christ

Describe the Church as founded by Christ
CCC 763-766, 778-779
Life in the early Church
Acts of the Apostles CCC 2623-35
Acts 2:42-47; 4:32-37
Paul's conversion CCC 442
Acts 9: 1-9
Paul's epistles/communities
I & II Corinthians, Galatians,
Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, I &
II Thessalonians, I & II Timothy, Philemon
Paul's 3 Missionary journeys
Acts 13-14
Acts 15:36-18:22
Acts 18:23-20:38
Martyrdom of Peter and Paul
CCC 1258, 2473
Martyrdom of Stephen Acts 6-7
Persecutions of the Church Acts 8:1-3

Identify leaders of the Catholic Church

Identify Church as hierarchical society
CCC 871-892, 934-945
Explain the role of Pope, bishop, cardinal, priest,
deacon, laity CCC 871-945
Know the names of our present Pope, Bishop,
parish pastor, associate(s) deacon(s),

Define Church as Body of Christ
CCC 787-796, 805-807
Describe the Church as Temple of the Holy
Spirit CCC 797-798, 809
Define the Church as People of God
CCC 781-782, 802-804

Name and explain the Four Marks of the Church
CCC 811-870, 866-869
Explain the missionary nature of the Church
CCC 830-856, 866-869
Know the names and mission of the twelve
apostles Mark 3:13-19
CCC 858
Explain Church as a sign of the Kingdom of God
CCC 769-780

Mary

Explain Mary as a model of faith
CCC 494, 967-968
Define the Immaculate Conception
CCC 490-493, 508
Define the Assumption CCC 966, 974
Define the Annunciation CCC 484, 490-494
Explain why we call Mary the Mother of All
CCC 963-970, 974-975
Name Mary as Mother of Jesus, Mother of God
CCC 466, 480-509
Explain Mary's role in the Church today
CCC 971

Communion of Saints

Knows the lives of the saints (including)

St. Joseph
St. Juan Diego
St. Gianna Beretta Molla
St. Thomas Aquinas
Explain communion of saints CCC 946-962
Define canonized saint CCC 828, 867

Resurrection of the body and life eternal

Define eternal life CCC 1023
Define purgatory CCC 1030-1032, 1054
Define hell CCC 1033-1037, 1056-1058

Understand Scripture

Explain Bible as a collection of sacred books

Explain God's revelation of Himself as one true
God CCC 32-35, 47
Explain how God reveals Himself to us
CCC 50-64, 68-72
Explain how God is revealed through Sacred
Tradition CCC 84-87, 96-98
Explain how God is revealed through Scripture
CCC 84-87, 96-98
Explain the Bible as a collection of books
CCC 105-108, 120

Demonstrate knowledge of the divisions of the

Bible

Explain the main divisions of the Bible
CCC 120-130

Know the meaning of Gospel
CCC 571, 124, 514

Know the Synoptic Gospels
Matthew, Mark, Luke

Know the Characteristics of the
Evangelists/Gospels
Sts. Matthew and John were
disciples of Jesus; Sts. Mark and
Luke were disciples of the Apostles
Each wrote for a different audience –
Matthew and John wrote for Jewish
Christian audience. Mark for the
Christians of Rome and Luke for
Gentile Christians

Understand Worship and the Sacraments

Define the signs, rites, and effects of each of the seven sacraments

Define sacrament CCC 774

Describe sacraments as a special kind of sign
CCC 1087, 1131

Describe sacraments as having specific rites
CCC 1134, 1140-1142

Define sacraments as holy actions giving
strength CCC 1076, 1116, 1123, 1133, 1151

Define sacrament remembering Jesus' presence
CCC 1088, 1084-85, 1115, 1127

Name the seven sacraments of the Catholic
Church CCC 1113, 1210

Name signs, rites, minister and effects of
Baptism CCC 1234-1244, 1256, 1284

List and define the signs of Confirmation
CCC 1293-1296

Describe the specific rites of Confirmation
CCC 1297-1301

Describe the effects of Confirmation
CCC 1302-1305

Explain/define the signs of Eucharist
CCC 1333-1336

Describe the signs of Reconciliation
CCC 1449, 1480

Define the effects of the Sacrament of
Reconciliation CCC 1468-1470, 1496

Explain the effects of the celebration of the
Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick
CCC 1520-1523

List and explain the visible signs of Holy Orders
CCC 1538

Describe the rites of the Sacrament of Holy
Orders CCC 1573, 1586-1589

Explain the effects of the Sacrament of Holy

Orders CCC 1581-1584,

Describe the married couple as a sign of God's
deep love CCC 1644-1647, 2360-2372

Identify sacrament categories: initiation, healing and vocation

Name the three sacraments of Christian

Initiation CCC 1212, 1533

Name the two sacraments of Healing CCC 1421

Name the two sacraments at the Service of
Communion CCC 1534

Baptism

Define the sacrament of Baptism CCC 1213

Explain Baptism as an initiation into new life
CCC 1214-1215, 1236, 1275-1277

Explain Baptism as a sacrament of welcome
CCC 1213, 1277

Identify who is eligible to be baptized
CCC 1246-1249

Explain role of godparents, parents, parish in the
celebration of Baptism CCC 1253,
1255-1256, 1277, 1279-1284

Discuss Baptism as entering into a relationship
with God CCC 1265

Explain Baptism as being freed from sin through
water and the Spirit CCC 1262-1266

Describe the responsibility of the baptized
CCC 1269-1271, 1273

Identify the Baptismal promises CCC 1237

Confirmation

Define the sacrament of Confirmation CCC 1285

Describe the responsibility of the confirmed
CCC 1309-1311

Identify the responsibility of the confirmation
sponsor CCC 1311

Explain who administers the sacrament of
Confirmation CCC 1312-1314

Define Holy Chrism and explain its use
CCC 1297

Eucharist

Define the sacrament of Eucharist CCC 1322

Define Eucharist as memorial of Jesus' passion,
death, resurrection CCC 1323

List and define the different names we use for
Eucharist:

Lord's Supper CCC 1329

Breaking of bread CCC 1329

Eucharistic Assembly CCC 1329

Memorial CCC 1330

Holy Sacrifice CCC 1330

Holy Communion CCC 1331

Holy Mass CCC 1332

Define Eucharist as a reminder of our unity with

one another in Christ CCC 1324-1327
 Tell the story of the first Eucharist, Last Supper
 CCC 1337-1344
 Explain Eucharist as the new Passover Meal
 CCC 1339
 Describe Eucharist as a celebration
 CCC 1345-1347
 Define Eucharist as thanksgiving and praise to
 the Father CCC 1359-1361
 Define Eucharist as sacrificial memorial of
 Christ and His Body CCC 1362-1372
**Understand the real presence of Jesus in the
 Eucharist (Adoration)**
 Understand Christ's presence in the Eucharist
 CCC 1373-1381
 Tell who may receive Eucharist
 CCC 1244, 1384-1390
 Describe how frequent Holy Communion helps
 keep us close to Jesus CCC 1391-1405

Identify the Church as the proper place for the
 liturgical prayers of the Church
 community and for adoration of the real
 presence of Christ in the Blessed
 Sacrament CCC 2691, 2696

Know the meanings of all parts of the Mass
 Explain parts of the Mass CCC 1345-1355
 Explain gestures, vestments, vessels of the Mass
 CCC 1189, 1145-1162
 Explain why we kneel and genuflect or bow in
 Church CCC 1155

Actively participates at Mass
 Shows proper respect and reverence for the
 Eucharist

**Understand the liturgical seasons and feast
 days**
 Name the colors for the Liturgical Seasons
 CCC 1163-1171

Identify basic Catholic Symbols
 List the visible signs evident in the physical
 Church CCC 1182-1186

Penance and Reconciliation
 Define Penance as a sacrament CCC 1423, 1442
 Define Penance as the sacrament of conversion
 CCC 1423, 1426-1432
 Define Penance as the sacrament of Confession
 CCC 1424
 Define Penance as the sacrament of forgiveness
 CCC 1424
 Define Penance as the sacrament of
 Reconciliation CCC 1424

Define the 3 forms of Penance in Christian life:
 fasting, prayer, and almsgiving
 CCC 1434-1439
 Explain why people confess to a priest
 CCC 1441-1442, 1455-1467
 Explain how the Sacrament of Reconciliation is
 celebrated CCC 1480-1484

Anointing of the Sick
 Define Anointing of the Sick as a sacrament
 CCC 1499
 Explain who may receive this sacrament
 CCC 1511-1515
 Explain who ministers the Sacrament of
 Anointing of the Sick CCC 1516
 Explain how the Sacrament of Anointing of the
 Sick is celebrated CCC 1517-1519
 Define and explain Viaticum CCC 1524

Holy Orders
 Define the Sacrament of Holy Orders CCC 1536
 Name the degrees of Holy Orders
 CCC 1536-1554
 Describe the role of bishop, priest, and deacon
 CCC 1555-1571
 Explain who is eligible to receive the Sacrament
 of Holy Orders CCC 1577-1580

Matrimony
 Define the Sacrament of Matrimony CCC 1601
 Explain who is eligible to receive the Sacrament
 of Matrimony CCC 1609-1617
 Describe the celebration of the Sacrament of
 Matrimony CCC 1621-1632
 Define divorce and its relationship to the Church
 CCC 1639-1640, 1644
 Define the family as the "domestic Church"
 CCC 1655-1658, 1666

Sacramentals
 Define the term sacramental CCC 1667
 Define the characteristics and forms of
 sacramentals CCC 1668-1673

Understand Morality

Beatitudes

Know and demonstrate the Beatitudes
 Explain Beatitudes as the central proclamation of
 Jesus' teaching CCC 1716
 Matthew 5:1-12
 Explain how Beatitudes reveal the meaning and
 goal of human acts CCC 1718-1729
 Catholic Social Teaching – 7 Themes
 CCC 2419-2436
 Life and Dignity of the Human Being
 Call to Family, Community,
 Participation
 Rights/Responsibilities

Option for the Poor
Dignity of Work
Solidarity
Care for God's Creation

Dignity of Human Being

Know and understand the meaning of sin, forgiveness and penance

Know that each person is made in the image and likeness of God CCC 1700
Understand sin as making wrong choices
CCC 1730, 1849-50, 1868-69, 1872-76
Understand sin as a free and deliberate violation of moral law CCC 1849-1853, 1874
Determine the difference between venial and mortal sin CCC 1854-1864, 1871-1876
Understand the three conditions for a sin to be mortal CCC 1857-1859
Understand the relationship between sin and penance CCC 1450-1460, 1490
Describe how original sin affects all nature
CCC 400-409, 418-419

Demonstrate Christian values through actions

Define conscience CCC 1777-1782, 1795
Describe the ways and means to develop a well-formed conscience CCC 1783-94, 1798
Define virtue CCC 1803-1804, 1833
List and define the cardinal virtues
CCC 1805-1809, 1834-1838
List and define the theological virtues
CCC 1812-1829, 1840-1844

Moral Law and Grace

Identify Grace

Define grace as God's presence in us
CCC 1996-1997, 2017, 2023-2024
Identify grace as an effect of sacraments
CCC 1996-2005
Define sanctifying grace, actual grace and habitual grace
CCC 1999-2000, 2023-2024

Understand the Church as the teaching authority of moral law

Understand the teaching authority
(Magisterium) of the Church regarding moral laws CCC 2032-36, 2049
Name the authentic teachers of the Church
CCC 2034, 2050-2051
Understand the six precepts of the Church
CCC 2041-2046, 2048

Greatest Commandment

Identify the two great commandments
CCC 2055, 2083
Identify scripture reference for the two greatest commandments CCC 2055

Identify and explain the Ten Commandments

Name the Ten Commandments CCC 2051-52
Describe the relationship of the commandments to the covenant CCC 2060-2063

First Commandment

Identify the first commandment CCC 2083
Define adoration/honor as it relates to God
CCC 2095-2097
Define idolatry CCC 2112-2113, 2141
Define atheism CCC 2123-2126, 2140
Define superstition CCC 2111, 2138

Second Commandment

Identify the second commandment CCC 2142
Identify what the second commandment prescribe CCC 2142-2146
Define blasphemy CCC 2148, 2162
Define false oaths CCC 2150, 2163
Define perjury CCC 2152, 2163

Third Commandment

Identify the third commandment CCC 2168-89
Describe the importance of going to Mass
CCC 2175-2186
Identify ways of keeping the Lord's Day holy
CCC 2180-2188
Name holy days of obligation CCC 2177

Fourth Commandment

Identify the fourth commandment
CCC 2196, 2247
Define the primary obligation of the fourth commandment CCC 2197
Identify the duties of children CCC 2214-2220
Identify the duties of parents CCC 2221-2231
Identify the duties of civil authority
CCC 2235-2237
Identify the duties of citizens CCC 2238-2243

Fifth Commandment

Identify the fifth commandment CCC 2258
Explain why human life is sacred CCC 2258
Explain Church teachings on respect for health
CCC 2288-2291
Describe the effects of anger and hatred
CCC 2302-2303
Describe the effects of scandal CCC 2284-2287
Define peace according to God's law
CCC 2304-2305

Define the strict conditions for legitimate defense by the military force CCC 2309

Sixth Commandment

Identify the sixth commandment CCC 2331

Define chastity CCC 2338, 2348-2350, 2395

Explain God's plan for human sexuality
CCC 2331-2336

Seventh Commandment

Identify the seventh commandment
CCC 2401

Explain what the seventh commandment requires
CCC 2451

Identify various forms of theft
CCC 2409-2414

Explain the moral obligation to take care of
God's creation

CCC 2415-2418, 2456-2457

Name the spiritual and corporal works of mercy
by which we care for our neighbor
CCC 2447

Eighth Commandment

Identify the eighth commandment
CCC 2464, 2504

Define truth CCC 2467-2468

Name and define the various offenses against
truth CCC 2475-2487

Define martyrdom CCC 2473

Ninth Commandment

Identify the ninth commandment CC 2514, 2528

Define purity CCC 2520

Define modesty CCC 2521-2524

Tenth Commandment

Identify the tenth commandment CCC 2534

Identify when it becomes wrong to desire
pleasant things we do not have
CCC 2535

Define greed CCC 2535-2537

Define avarice CCC 2535-2537

Define envy CCC 2538-2540

Teaching Safety: Empowering God's Children

Understand Prayer

Show reverence during prayer time

Define prayer as a personal relationship with
God CCC 2559-2565

Prayer in Scripture

Give examples from the Old Testament in which

God spoke to individuals and the
individuals responded CCC 2566-2584

Explain how the Psalms are prayers which are
both personal and communal
CCC 2585-2589

Name various times and places in which Jesus
prayed CCC 2598-2606

Name several teachings of Jesus on how to pray
CCC 2607-2616

Explain specific phrases of the Our Father
CCC 2759-2865

Identify prayers of Mary in the New Testament
CCC 2617-2619

Recognize prayers and its forms

Prayer in the Church

Define/give examples of the basic forms of
prayer: blessing, petition, intercession,
thanksgiving, and praise
CCC 2644-2649

Clarify roles in the way of prayer:

Prayer is primarily addressed to the
Father CCC 2680

Prayer can be addressed to the Son
CCC 2680

We pray in communion with the Virgin
Mary CCC 2682

We pray that the saints, as our guides,
will intercede for us CCC 2692

Name those within the Church who assist us in
the practice of prayer: family, priests,
deacon, religious, catechists, prayer
groups CCC 2685-2690

Know and say prayers including:

Know the liturgical and traditional prayers of
the Church CCC 2698

Sign of the Cross

Angel of God

Glory Be

Grace Before and After Meals

Hail Mary

Hail Holy Queen

Act of Contrition (Traditional)

Morning Offering

Our Father

I Confess (Confiteor)

Nicene Creed

Holy, Holy, Holy

Lamb of God

Apostles Creed

Rosary

Angelus

Act of Contrition (Contemporary)

Memorare

Queen of Heaven (Regina Coeli)

Experience:
Stations of the Cross
Act of Faith
Act of Hope
Act of Love
Come, Holy Spirit
Divine Praises
Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Litany of the Saints
Magnificat
Queen of Heaven (Regina Coeli)
Latin Prayers: Kyrie eleison, Sanctus, Agnus
Dei