

INTRODUCTION LESSON

Confirmed in the Spirit (Getting to Know Each Other)

- **Video** - Parrish Hall
- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - This month - **Sign of the Cross** and **Our Father**
 - Discuss with the students the list of prayers that they will learn and recite before they are Confirmed. Let them know that we will work on certain ones during the month, but they may be asked to recite (any of the old ones) at any time during the year.
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Discuss with the students that we will be learning our Catholic faith.
 - Parts of the Mass, Holy Days, Saints, Sacraments, etc...
- **Lesson** **15 minutes**
 - Students need to bring each week
 - Spiral
 - Pen, pencil
 - Textbook
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 - **Confirmed in the Spirit** - We will work through the Chapters each week.
 - Video - We will watch some from time to time and they will come from:
 - YouTube
 - Textbook
- **Activity/Application** **10 minutes**
 - Get to Know you Activity
 - Partner up and have students introduce each other
 - Game: Have students write something about themselves on a sheet of paper. Collect the papers (make sure they have their name on it), read one of the papers aloud and have students figure out who it is. (repeat)

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Discuss the 92 questions test that the students will take at in May. Let the students know that we will work on some of the questions during each class, but they need to work on them at home.

 - **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - Ask the students to tell you one thing that they have learned today?
 - Answer any questions that the students may have about the year.

 - **Homework**
 - Work on the **Sign of the Cross** and the **Our Father**,
 - Select a **Saint** from this week or next week and discover why they became a saint. Write your findings in your spiral and share with us next week.
 - Start lookin over **questions 1 - 14** on the 92 Question handout

 - **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
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This is the link and code to our textbook online.

Curriculum Link: “Confirmed in the Spirit”

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LESSON 1

Confirmed in the Spirit (Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross - make sure students know
 - Our Father - all students need to be able to recite by the end of the month
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Precepts of the Church
 - Attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation
 - Confess sins at least once a month
 - Reception of Holy Communion at least once a week
 - Observance of the days of fast and abstinence
 - Provide for the needs of the Church
 - Holy Days of Obligation
 - Jan. 1 - Solemnity of Mary the Holy Mother of God
 - May 26 - Ascension of Jesus
 - Aug. 15 - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 - Nov. 1 - All Saints Day
 - Dec. 8 - Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary
 - Dec. 25 - Christmas Day
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in the Spirit
 - **Activity 1** - Read each question and allow students time to reflect on their answer. Then, allow students to share their responses.
 - Have you ever felt all alone in the world?
 - Have you ever faced a difficult situation and didn't know what to do?
 - Whom did you ask for help?
 - Have the students look up and read the following scripture passage.
John 14:15-18
 - Ask the students about the meaning of the passage.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 2.

- **Activity 2** - Have students complete “Reflecting on God’s Word” on page 2 of their book. Give them a few minutes to complete, then allow them to share their responses.
- Let students volunteer to read aloud pages 3 and top of page 4.
- **Activity 3** - Have students complete My Turn: “The Spirit at Work” on page 4 of their book. Give them a few minutes to complete, then allow them to share their responses.

- **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 1-5 of the 92 questions:
 - Who made us?
 - Why did God make us?
 - Why are humans more important than animals and the rest of creation?
 - How many Gods are there?
 - How many Persons are there in God? What are their names?

- **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What are one of the Precepts of the Church?
- What is one thing that you learned today?
- Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father
 - Questions 1 - 5 of the 92 questions

- **Homework**

- Work on the **Sign of the Cross** and the **Our Father**,
- Select a **Saint** from this week or next week and discover why they became a saint. Write your findings in your spiral and share with us next week.
- Start lookin over **questions 1 - 14** on the 92 Question handout

- **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 2

Confirmed in the Spirit (Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross - make sure students know
 - Our Father - all students need to be able to recite by the end of the month
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Sacraments of Initiation
 - **Baptism** - we are born into new life in Christ; takes away Original Sin and makes us members of the Church.
 - **Confirmation** - seals our life of faith in Jesus.
 - **Eucharist** - nourishes our life of faith. We receive the Body and Blood of Christ under the appearance of bread and wine.
 - Order of the Mass - **Introductory Rites**
 - **Entrance Chant** - we gather as a community praising God in song
 - **Greeting** - We pray the Sign of the Cross, recognizing the presence of Christ in the community.
 - **Penitential Act** - we acknowledge our sins and ask God for mercy.
 - **Gloria** - we praise God in song
 - **Collect Prayer** - the priest gathers all our prayers into one.
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in the Spirit
 - **Activity 1** - Give the students 2 minutes to think of something that they learned in class last week and have them write it down in their spiral.
 - Then with a partner or in a group, have them share what they wrote down. Tell them to come up with more than one item.
 - Next, ask a group to share one thing that they remember from last week.
 - Then ask another group to share one thing that they remember, except they can not repeat something that has already been said.
 - Repeat until all groups have shared.

- **Activity 2** - Have students share their research on a Saint.
- **Turn to** page 4 and ask a student to read “Father, Son, and Spirit with Us”. Then continue reading on page 5.
 - **Activity 3** - Have students complete “My Turn” on page 5 of their book. Give them a few minutes to complete, then allow them to share their responses.
- **Let students** volunteer to read aloud pages 6 and 7.
 - **Activity 4** - Have students complete “My Turn” on page 7 of their book. Give them a few minutes to complete, then allow them to share their responses.
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 6 - 10 of the 92 questions:
 - Is the Father God?
 - Is the Son God?
 - Is the Holy Spirit God?
 - What do we call the mystery of three persons in one God?
 - Which Person of the Holy Trinity became man?
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What are the sacraments of initiation?
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
- **Homework**
 - Work on the **Sign of the Cross** and the **Our Father**,
 - Select a **Saint** from next week and discover why they became a saint. Write your findings in your spiral and share with us next week.
 - Keep looking over **questions 1 - 14** on the 92 Questions handout.
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 3

Confirmed in the Spirit (Part 3)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross - make sure students know
 - Our Father - all students need to be able to recite by the end of the month
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Saints
 - In the Catholic Church, only after death can someone be called a saint, even though while alive the person lived a saintly, holy life. Mother Teresa of Calcutta, for example, who was revered around the world by people of every religion, couldn't be given the title of saint until after her death and only after a thorough investigation of her life *and* only after what the Church believes to be some undisputed miracles that took place through her intercession.
 - Francis of Assisi once told his monks that if they were in the midst of the Beatific Vision and a tramp knocked at their door asking for a cup of cold water, turning away from the heavenly vision to help the tramp would be the real heaven, and turning away from the tramp to keep the blissful vision would be turning from God's face.
 - A saint is one who sees who the tramp is: Jesus.
 - The Catholic Church believes that saints are ordinary and typical human beings who made it into heaven. In the broader sense, everyone who's now in heaven is technically a saint. Saints are human beings who lived holy lives in obedience to God's will and are now in heaven for eternity.
 - Saints aren't born saints. Saints are born sinners in the state of original sin and were sinners throughout their lives. Saints are ordinary people. They weren't born with a halo around their head, and they didn't glow in the dark. What separated them from those who weren't given the title is that saints never gave up and never stopped trying to be and do better.
 - The Holy Family
 - Jesus, Blessed Virgin Mary, and St. Joseph
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in the Spirit
 - On page 8, read about a Confirmed Commitment and the story of St. John the Evangelist.
 - **Activity 1** - Choose one of the following Questions and write about it in your journal.
 - How can I plan to be a better person?

- How can I make good choices?
- How do I prepare for the future when I don't
Understand what's happening today?

- Ask for volunteers to read page 9 and 10.
- Go through the summary with the students on page 11.
- On page 12 give students some time to work together on a section and then go over their answers before moving on to the next section.

- **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 11 - 14 of the 92 questions:
 - What name was given to the Second Person of the Holy Trinity when He became man?
 - When the Son became man, did He have a human mother?
 - Who is Jesus' mother?
 - Why do we honor Mary?

- **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is a Saint?
- Have more students share about their Saint.
- What is one thing that you learned today?

- **Homework**

- Work on the **Sign of the Cross** and the **Our Father**,
- Select a **Saint** from next week and discover why they became a saint. Write your findings in your spiral and share with us next week.
- Start lookin over **questions 1 - 14** on the 92 Question handout

- **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 4

Confirmed in Discipleship

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross
 - Our Father
 - Hail Mary
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Precepts of the Church **(REVIEW)**
 - Attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation (p. 99)
 - Confess sins at least once a month
 - Reception of Holy Communion at least once a week
 - Observance of the days of fast and abstinence
 - Provide for the needs of the Church
 - Saints **(NEW)**
 - Who are they?
 - How do you become one?
 - Read about a Saint for next week.
 - Order of the Mass - **Introductory Rites** (page 104)
 - Entrance Chant
 - Greeting
 - Penitential Act
 - Gloria
 - Collect Prayer
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Discipleship
 - **Activity 1**
 - Allow students 2 minutes to review last week's lesson.
 - **Journal Entry** - Have students answer the following questions in their spiral. Allow time between each question.
 - Do you sometimes feel that you don't belong or fit in to a particular group?
 - Are you looking for a place where you can be yourself?
 - What would that place be like?
 - Who would be there with you?
 - Ask for volunteers to share
 - **Read** - p. 14 "Gathered Together as God's People"
 - Discuss - impurities, idols, ..

- **Read** - continue the rest of p. 14
 - Discuss - Original Sin and Sacraments of Initiation
 - **Activity 2** - "Reflecting on God's Word"
 - Have the students close their eyes.
 - Remind them that they are in the presence of God
 - Re-read the passage at the top of the page from Ezekiel
 - Tell the students to keep their eyes closed
 - Then ask them
 - "Of what do you want to be washed clean?"
 - "What distractions keep you from worshipping God?"
 - "Pray that you will be open to the Holy Spirit, so that your heart may be filled with God's love."
 - "Thank God for the Spirit he has given you to help you follow his plan."
 - "Now, take a moment to listen to God and speak to him about whatever you would like."
 - **Read** - p. 15
 - What is a disciple?
 - What is Pentecost?
 - What is a Spirit-Filled Community?
 - **Read** - p. 16 "The Church Blossoms"
 - **Activity 3** - Committed to Christ
 - Complete the "My Turn" at the bottom of p. 16
 - Allow student time to complete
 - Let students share their responses
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- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 15-18 of the 92 questions:
 - **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is a Saint?
 - Have more students share about their Saint.
 - What are the Sacraments of Initiation?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father and Hail Mary
 - Questions 15-18 of the 92 questions
 - Researching a Saint
 - **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 5

Confirmed in Discipleship

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross
 - Our Father
 - Hail Mary
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Holy Days of Obligation **(REVIEW)**
 - Attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation
 - Sacraments of Initiation
 - Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist
 - Sacraments of Healing **(NEW)**
 - Anointing of the Sick and Penance & Reconciliation
 - Order of the Mass - Liturgy of the Word (page 104)
 - First Reading
 - Responsorial Psalm
 - Second Reading
 - Gospel Acclamation
 - Gospel Reading
 - Homily
 - Profession of Faith
 - Prayer of the Faithful
 - Holy Family
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Discipleship (continued)
 - Activity
 - Allow students 2 minutes to review last week's lesson.
 - Activity
 - Have students share the information on a Saint
 - Read - p. 16-17 "Initiation Today"
 - What is a Sacrament?

"They help us realize that there is more to life than simply satisfying our own desires."

- What Sacraments have we received or are working to receive?
- What are our desires?

“Use your time, talent, and energy for the benefit of God and others.”

- What does this mean?

■ **Read** - “Baptism”

- What does Baptism do for us?
- What is Original Sin?
- What is sanctifying grace?

■ **Activity**

- Complete “My Turn” on p. 17.
- Allow students to share their answers

■ **Read** - “Confirmation” (p. 18)

- Give the students a moment to reflect on what they have just read. In their spiral have the students write their thoughts on what the Sacrament of Confirmation means.
- Allow students the opportunity to share

■ **Read** - “Eucharist”

- What are we receiving when we receive the Eucharist?
- What are we participating in when we receive the Eucharist?

■ **Read** - “A Closer Look at Confirmation” (p. 19)

- **Homework** - Have students complete “**My Turn**” at home with their parents.

• **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 19-22 of the 92 questions:

• **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is a Sacrament?
- What are the Sacraments of Initiation? Of Healing?
- What is the Liturgy of the Word?
- Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father and the Hail Mary
 - Questions 19-22 of the 92 questions
 - Researching a Saint

• **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

Lesson 6

Confirmed in Discipleship

(Part 3)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross
 - Our Father
 - Hail Mary
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Sacraments **(REVIEW)**
 - Initiation
 - Healing
 - Order of the Mass **(NEW)** - Liturgy of the Eucharist (page 104-105)
 - Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts
 - Prayer over the Offerings
 - Eucharistic Prayer
 - Preface Dialogue
 - Preface Acclamation
 - Institution Narrative
 - The Mystery of Faith
 - Ten Commandments
 - (page 97)
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Discipleship (continued)
 - **Activity 1**
 - Allow students 2 minutes to review last week's lesson.
 - **Activity 2**
 - Have students share the information on a Saint
 - **Read** - "Centering on Jesus" (p. 20)
 - Ask the students if they are "**Ready**" to live their life as a disciple of Jesus?
 - Can they commit themselves to the 4 ways listed on p. 20?
 - How can you Live the Gospel?
 - Do you have someone to turn to for support and guidance?
 - **Read** - "Your Sponsor"
 - What do you think about the classified ad?
 - Would you answer it for someone else?

- What does it mean that the Pay is Immeasurable?
- **Read** - p. 21
 - What is dignity?
- **Review** - Summary (p. 23)
- **Activity** - Complete p. 24 (may want to omit the 1st section unless you have bibles available)
- **Read** - p. 22 together

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 23-27 of the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Liturgy of the Word?
 - What is the Liturgy of the Eucharist?
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father and the Hail Mary
 - Questions 23-27 of the 92 questions
 - Researching a Saint

- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 7

Confirmed in Faith

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross
 - Our Father
 - Hail Mary
 - Act of Contrition
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Holy Days of Obligation **(REVIEW)**
 - Attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation
 - Sacraments of Initiation
 - Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist
 - Sacraments of Healing
 - Anointing of the Sick and Penance & Reconciliation
 - Saints
 - Who are they?
 - How do you become one?
 - Holy Family
 - Works of Mercy **(NEW)**
 - Corporal Works of Mercy (p. 98)
 - Spiritual Works of Mercy (p. 98)
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Faith
 - Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.
 - **Activity 1**
 - Think about different groups that you belong to.
 - They may be clubs, sports teams, groups of friends...etc.
 - What helps you feel like a part of the group?
 - What do these groups have in common?
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 26.
 - **Activity 2**
 - Have the students close their eyes. Then read (slowly) the “Reflecting on God’s Word” on page 26.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 27 and 29 (A Sanctifying Spirit).

- **Activity 3**

- Have students complete MY TURN on page 28.

- **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 28-34 of the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What are the Sacraments of Initiation and Healing?
- Who are the Saints?
- What is one thing that you learned today?
- Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary and the Act of Contrition
 - Questions 28-34 of the 92 questions

- **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 8

Confirmed in Faith

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Sign of the Cross
 - Our Father
 - Hail Mary
 - Act of Contrition
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Sacraments of Healing (**REVIEW**)
 - Anointing of the Sick and Penance & Reconciliation
 - Order of the Mass - Introductory Rites (page 104)
 - Entrance Chant
 - Greeting
 - Penitential Act
 - Gloria
 - Collect Prayer
 - Order of the Mass - Liturgy of the Word (page 104)
 - First Reading
 - Responsorial Psalm
 - Second Reading
 - Gospel Acclamation
 - Gospel Reading
 - Homily
 - Profession of Faith
 - Prayer of the Faithful
 - Sacraments at the Service of Communion (**NEW**)
 - Matrimony
 - Holy Orders
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Faith
 - Activity 1
 - Complete the MY TURN on the bottom of page 29.

- Let students volunteer to read aloud page 29 (The Catholic Church)
- Continue with volunteers reading on page 30-31.
 - **Activity 2**
 - Complete the MY TURN on the bottom of page 31.
- Ask for a volunteer to read page 32-33.
- **Activity 3**
 - Recite p. 34 together “Praying the Creed”
- **Activity 4**
 - Have students work together to complete p. 36.
 - Allow some time to complete.
 - Then go over together.

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 35 - 40 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites
 - Liturgy of the Word
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary and the Act of Contrition
 - Questions 35-40 of the 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 9

Confirmed in Love

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Glory Be- make sure students know
 - Angel of God - all students need to be able to recite by the end of the month
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Sacraments of Healing (**REVIEW**)
 - Anointing of the Sick and Penance & Reconciliation
 - Order of the Mass - Introductory Rites (page 104)
 - Entrance Chant
 - Greeting
 - Penitential Act
 - Gloria
 - Collect Prayer
 - Order of the Mass - Liturgy of the Word (page 104)
 - First Reading
 - Responsorial Psalm
 - Second Reading
 - Gospel Acclamation
 - Gospel Reading
 - Homily
 - Profession of Faith
 - Prayer of the Faithful
 - Sacraments at the Service of Communion
 - Matrimony
 - Holy Orders
 - Advent (**New**)
 - Order of the Mass - Liturgy of the Eucharist (page 104)
 - The Holy Family
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Love
 - Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.
 - Activity 1
 - How many choices do you make each day?

- How often do you make a really important choice?
 - Where do you turn for help in making those important choices?
 - Have the students look up (or read p. 38) the following scripture passage.
Matthew 5:3-10
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 38.
 - **Activity 2** - "Reflecting on God's Word"
 - Have the students close their eyes.
 - Read "Reflecting on God's Word" p. 38
 - Tell the students to keep their eyes closed and read The Beatitudes again
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 39 and 40.
 - **Activity 3** - My Turn
 - Have the students complete the My Turn activity on p. 40
 - Allow time to complete then discuss
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- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 41-53 of the 92 questions:
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- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites
 - Liturgy of the Word
 - Liturgy of the Eucharist
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God
 - 92 questions
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- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 10

Confirmed in Love

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** **2.5 minutes**
 - Greet students and ask about their week
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Glory Be- make sure students know
 - Angel of God - all students need to be able to recite by the end of the month
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - Sacraments of Healing (**REVIEW**)
 - Anointing of the Sick and Penance & Reconciliation
 - Order of the Mass - Introductory Rites (page 104)
 - Entrance Chant
 - Greeting
 - Penitential Act
 - Gloria
 - Collect Prayer
 - Order of the Mass - Liturgy of the Word (page 104)
 - First Reading
 - Responsorial Psalm
 - Second Reading
 - Gospel Acclamation
 - Gospel Reading
 - Homily
 - Profession of Faith
 - Prayer of the Faithful
 - Sacraments at the Service of Communion
 - Matrimony
 - Holy Orders
 - Advent (**New**)
 - Order of the Mass - Liturgy of the Eucharist (page 104)
 - The Holy Family
- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Love
 - Review
 - Tell me something that you learned last week.
 - Have a student read “Christian Love” at the top of p. 41

- **Activity 1** - My Turn p. 41
 - Read, or have a volunteer read, the Gospel passages
- Let students volunteer to read p. 42 and 43.
 - **Activity 2** - My Turn
 - Complete at the bottom of p. 43
- Let students volunteer to read aloud pages 44-45.
 - **Activity 3** - Pray
 - Ask for a volunteer to be the Leader.
 - Recite “Showing Love” on page 46.
- Discuss the “Summary” on p. 47
- Have students complete p. 48

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 41-53 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites
 - Liturgy of the Word
 - Liturgy of the Eucharist
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 11

Confirmed in Holiness

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Act of Contrition
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites**
 - Entrance Chant, Greeting, Penitential Act, Gloria, Collect Prayer
 - **Liturgy of the Word**
 - First Reading, Responsorial Psalm, Second Reading, Gospel Acclamation, Gospel Reading, Homily, Profession of Faith, Prayer of the Faithful
 - **Liturgy of the Eucharist**
 - Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts, Prayer over the Offerings, Eucharistic Prayer, Preface Dialogue, Preface Acclamation (Holy, Holy, Holy), Institution Narrative, The Mystery of Faith
 - The Holy Family
 - Advent
 - Epiphany
 - **NEW**
 - Order of the Mass - (page 104)
 - **Communion Rite**
 - The Lord's Prayer, Sign of Peace, Lamb of God, Communion, Prayer after Communion
 - **Concluding Rites**
 - Final Blessing, Dismissal
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal** - Kind acts by which we help our neighbors with their material and physical needs.
 - **Spiritual** - Acts of compassion that serve people's emotional and spiritual needs.
 - Virtues
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Holiness
 - Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.
 - **Activity 1**
 - What are some of your talents?
 - What are some things that you do to improve them?
 - What are some ways that you are putting your talents to good use?
 - Have a volunteer read the scripture passage at the top of page 50 (Romans 8:14-16, 26-28)
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud the rest of page 50.
 - **Activity 2** - On a sheet of paper, have the students write their own definition of the words: Faith, Hope, and Charity. (allow time then share)
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 51.
 - Discuss how well they did on their definitions.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 52.
 - **Activity 3** - Have students complete My Turn: "How Virtues Help Us" on page 52.
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 54-66 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites
 - Liturgy of the Word
 - Liturgy of the Eucharist
 - Communion Rite
 - Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 12

(Bible Needed)

Confirmed in Holiness

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Act of Contrition
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites**
 - Entrance Chant, Greeting, Penitential Act, Gloria, Collect Prayer
 - **Liturgy of the Word**
 - First Reading, Responsorial Psalm, Second Reading, Gospel Acclamation, Gospel Reading, Homily, Profession of Faith, Prayer of the Faithful
 - **Liturgy of the Eucharist**
 - Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts, Prayer over the Offerings, Eucharistic Prayer, Preface Dialogue, Preface Acclamation (Holy, Holy, Holy), Institution Narrative, The Mystery of Faith
 - The Holy Family
 - Advent
 - Epiphany
 - **NEW**
 - Order of the Mass - (page 104)
 - **Communion Rite**
 - The Lord's Prayer, Sign of Peace, Lamb of God, Communion, Prayer after Communion
 - **Concluding Rites**
 - Final Blessing, Dismissal
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal** - Kind acts by which we help our neighbors with their material and physical needs.
 - **Spiritual** - Acts of compassion that serve people's emotional and spiritual needs.
 - Virtues
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others

- How to make a good confession
- Mary - Mother of God

• **Lesson**

25 minutes

○ Confirmed in Holiness

- Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.

• **Activity 1**

- What are the Theological Virtues?
- What are the Cardinal Virtues?
- How have you used these Virtues this week?

- Have the students volunteer to read “Unwrapping the Gifts of the Spirit” on page 53.

• **Activity 2**

- Before reading the definitions of each gift, have the students write their own definition for each gift of the Spirit.
- Call out one word at a time and have someone share the definition that they wrote.
- Read the actual definition for clarity. (pages 53-56)

- Have a student volunteer to read the following scripture passage.

(Titus 3:1-2) **Need a Bible**

• **Activity 3**

- Complete My Turn: “Signs of the Spirit” on page 53.
- Complete My Turn: “Prayer to the Holy Spirit” page 55.
- Share responses

• **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 54-66 of the 92 questions:

• **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
- What are the Works of Mercy?
- Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God
 - 92 questions

• **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 13

Confirmed in Holiness

(Part 3)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Act of Contrition
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites**
 - Entrance Chant, Greeting, Penitential Act, Gloria, Collect Prayer
 - **Liturgy of the Word**
 - First Reading, Responsorial Psalm, Second Reading, Gospel Acclamation, Gospel Reading, Homily, Profession of Faith, Prayer of the Faithful
 - **Liturgy of the Eucharist**
 - Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts, Prayer over the Offerings, Eucharistic Prayer, Preface Dialogue, Preface Acclamation (Holy, Holy, Holy), Institution Narrative, The Mystery of Faith
 - The Holy Family
 - Advent
 - Epiphany
 - **NEW**
 - Order of the Mass - (page 104)
 - **Communion Rite**
 - The Lord's Prayer, Sign of Peace, Lamb of God, Communion, Prayer after Communion
 - **Concluding Rites**
 - Final Blessing, Dismissal
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal** - Kind acts by which we help our neighbors with their material and physical needs.
 - **Spiritual** - Acts of compassion that serve people's emotional and spiritual needs.
 - Virtues
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Holiness
 - Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.
 - **Activity 1**
 - What are the Theological Virtues?
 - What are the Cardinal Virtues?
 - What are the Gifts of the Holy Spirit?
 - How have you used them this week?
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 57.
 - **Activity 2**
 - On page 58 assign Group A and Group B.
 - Read the page together
 - Read through the Summary on page 59.
 - **Activity 3**
 - Complete “Gifts and Virtues Gallery” page 60
 - Allow the students time to complete and then go over answers.
 - Complete “Gifts from God” page 60
 - Allow the students time to complete and then go over answers.
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 54-66 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - Work on:
 - Making the Sign of the Cross
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 14

Confirmed in the Church

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Prayer Before Meals & Prayer After Meals
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites**
 - **Liturgy of the Word**
 - **Liturgy of the Eucharist**
 - **Communion Rite**
 - **Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal**
 - **Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - **NEW**
 - Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit - (page 100)
 - **Gifts**
 - Wisdom, Counsel, Knowledge, Understanding, Fortitude, Fear of the Lord, Piety
 - **Fruits**
 - Love, Joy, Peace, Kindness, Generosity, Goodness, Gentleness, Self-Control, Modesty, Faithfulness, Chastity, Patience
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in the Church
 - Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.
 - **Activity 1**
 - What makes a celebration special for you?
 - Is it the people, the music, the food?
 - What can you do to help everyone feel included?
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 62.
 - **Activity 2**
 - Have the students close their eyes.
 - Read the scripture passage again on the top of page 62
 - Have the students reflect on the words:
 - Compassion
 - Kindness
 - Humility
 - Gentleness
 - Patience
 - Tell the students to think about which of these qualities that they want God to help them strengthen.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 63-64.
 - **Activity 3** -
 - Complete “My Turn” page 64
 - Allow the students time to complete and then go over answers.
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 67-79 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - How to make a good Confession
 - Work on:
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God, Prayers Before and After Meals
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 15

Confirmed in the Church

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Prayer Before Meals & Prayer After Meals
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites**
 - **Liturgy of the Word**
 - **Liturgy of the Eucharist**
 - **Communion Rite**
 - **Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal**
 - **Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - **NEW**
 - Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit - (page 100)
 - **Gifts**
 - Wisdom, Counsel, Knowledge, Understanding, Fortitude, Fear of the Lord, Piety
 - **Fruits**
 - Love, Joy, Peace, Kindness, Generosity, Goodness, Gentleness, Self-Control, Modesty, Faithfulness, Chastity, Patience
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in the Church
 - Give the students time to reflect on what we learned last week.
 - **Activity 1**
 - How are we united with the Church in Mexico or Italy?
 - What makes all these people one?
 - What does Baptism give to us?
 - What are the two main parts of the Mass?
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 65.
 - **Activity 2**
 - Complete the “My Turn” on page 65.
 - Allow students time to complete and then go over their answers.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 66.
 - Discuss the types of sins and have students give examples of each.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 67.
 - **Activity 3**
 - Complete the “My Turn” on page 67.
 - Allow students time to complete and then go over their answers.
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 67-79 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - How to make a good Confession
 - Work on:
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God, Prayers Before and After Meals
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 16

Confirmed in the Church

(Part 3)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - Prayer Before Meals & Prayer After Meals
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites**
 - **Liturgy of the Word**
 - **Liturgy of the Eucharist**
 - **Communion Rite**
 - **Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal**
 - **Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - **NEW**
 - Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit - (page 100)
 - **Gifts**
 - Wisdom, Counsel, Knowledge, Understanding, Fortitude, Fear of the Lord, Piety
 - **Fruits**
 - Love, Joy, Peace, Kindness, Generosity, Goodness, Gentleness, Self-Control, Modesty, Faithfulness, Chastity, Patience
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation

- **Lesson**

25 minutes

- Confirmed in the Church

- Give the students time to reflect on what we learned last week.

- **Activity 1**

- What are the two types of sins?
 - What is a mortal sin?
 - What is a venial sin?
 - How can we be forgiven for these sins?

- Let students volunteer to read aloud page 68.

- **Activity 2**

- Ask for volunteers to role play the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
 - Allow students to use their paper.
 - Try to allow everyone to take a turn

- Let students volunteer to read aloud page 69-70.

- Read through the Summary on page 71.

- **Activity 3**

- Complete "Review" on page 72
 - Allow the students time to complete and then go over answers.

- **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 67-79 of the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is the Order of the Mass?

- Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites

- What is one thing that you learned today?

- What are the Works of Mercy?

- How to make a good Confession

- Work on:

- Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God, Prayers Before and After Meals

- 92 questions

- **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 17

Confirmed in Witness

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - **Faith, Hope and Charity**
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - Lent
 - **Ash Wednesday**
 - Fasting
 - **Friday's**
 - Abstinence
 - **Holy Week**
 - Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday (Fasting), Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
 - Reconciliation
 - **Examination of Conscience**
 - **Absolution**
 - **Penance**

- Holy Eucharist
 - **Body and Blood of Christ**

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**

- Confirmed in Witness
 - Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.
 - **Activity 1**
 - How do your friends know what is most important to you?
 - If you asked them to name three things that really express who you are, what would they say?
 - Have students volunteer to read aloud on page 74.
 - **Activity 2** - Reflecting on God's Word
 - Have students close their eyes.
 - Think about your friends.
 - Think about the different gifts that they have to offer.
 - Thank God for this variety.
 - Now, think about the gifts that you have to offer.
 - Ask God to help you use your gifts to the best of your ability.
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 75-76.
 - **Activity 3** - My Turn
 - Have students complete this activity on p. 76.

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**

- Work on questions 80-92 of the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**

- What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
- What are the Works of Mercy?
- How to make a good Confession
- Work on:
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God, Prayers Before and After Meals
 - 92 questions

- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 18

Bible Needed

Confirmed in Witness

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - **Faith, Hope and Charity**
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - Lent
 - **Ash Wednesday**
 - Fasting
 - **Friday's**
 - Abstinence
 - **Holy Week**
 - Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday (Fasting), Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
 - Reconciliation

- Examination of Conscience
- Absolution
- Penance
- Holy Eucharist
 - Body and Blood of Christ

• **Lesson**

25 minutes

- Confirmed in Witness
 - Let students volunteer to read aloud page 76 “Fruits of the Spirit”.
 - **Activity 1** - Fruits of the Spirit
 - As you read aloud each Fruit of the Spirit, have the students write the Fruit in their spiral and then describe a time when others saw this Fruit being exhibited by them.
 - As you work through the Fruits of the Spirit, allow students time to:
 - Complete the My Turn activity on p. 77. **(Need a Bible)**
 - As you work through the Fruits of the Spirit, allow students time to:
 - Complete the My Turn activity on p. 79.

• **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on questions 80-92 of the 92 questions:

• **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
- What are the Works of Mercy?
- How to make a good Confession
- Work on:
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God, Prayers Before and After Meals
 - 92 questions

• **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 19

Confirmed in Witness

(Part 3)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - **Faith, Hope and Charity**
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - How to make a good confession
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - Lent
 - **Ash Wednesday**
 - Fasting
 - **Friday's**
 - Abstinence
 - **Holy Week**
 - Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday (Fasting), Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
 - Reconciliation
 - **Examination of Conscience**
 - **Absolution**
 - **Penance**

- Holy Eucharist
 - **Body and Blood of Christ**

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Witness
 - Give the students time to reflect on what was discussed last week about the Fruits of the Spirit.
 - **Activity 1** - Solidarity
 - Read the “ACT” at the top of page 81 to the students.
 - Ask the students to give a definition of **Solidarity**.
 - Continue with “PRAY” on page 81.
 - Fruits of the Holy Spirit.
 - **Activity 2** - Read page 82 as a group. Ask someone to be Reader 1, Reader 2, and Reader 3.
 - Discuss the Summary on page 83 together.
 - **Activity 3** - Have students complete page 84. Allow time for them to work on each section and then discuss the answers.
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on questions 80-92 of the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - How to make a good Confession
 - Work on:
 - Reciting the Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition, Glory Be and Angel of God, Prayers Before and After Meals
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 20

Confirmed in Grace

(Part 1)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - **Faith, Hope and Charity**
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - **Examination of Conscience**
 - **Absolution**
 - **Penance**
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - Lent
 - **Ash Wednesday**
 - **Friday's** - Abstinence
 - **Holy Week** - Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday (Fasting), Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
 - Holy Eucharist
 - **Body and Blood of Christ**
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - Beatitudes - page 98
 - The Holy Family

- **Lesson**

25 minutes

- Confirmed in Grace

- Give the students time to reflect on the following questions.

- **Activity 1**

- What can you do now that you couldn't do when you were seven?
 - How are things different for you now?
 - What do you like best about who you are now?

- Have students volunteer to read aloud on page 86.

- **Activity 2** - Reflecting on God's Word

- Have students close their eyes.
 - Think about your Baptism.
 - Think about your parents and godparents.
 - Think about the priest as he baptizes you.
 - Thank God for the gift of Baptism.
 - Ask God to help you use this gift to the best of your ability.

- Let students volunteer to read aloud page 87.

- **Activity 3** - Reflect on the commitment

- Have students compare their Baptismal experience to what they are experiencing now. Are they the same? Why or Why not?
 - What are you committing to?
 - What is your promise?

- **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - How do we show love to the World?
 - How to make a good Confession
 - Work on:
 - Reciting Prayers
 - 92 questions

- **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 21

Confirmed in Grace

(Part 2)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - **Faith, Hope and Charity**
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - **Examination of Conscience**
 - **Absolution**
 - **Penance**
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - Lent
 - **Ash Wednesday**
 - **Friday's** - Abstinence
 - **Holy Week** - Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday (Fasting), Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
 - Holy Eucharist
 - **Body and Blood of Christ**
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - Beatitudes - page 98
 - The Holy Family

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**
 - Confirmed in Grace
 - Allow students the opportunity to reflect on last week's lesson.
 - Baptism/Confirmation
 - Ask for a volunteer to read p. 88
 - **Activity 1** - Complete the My Turn on page 88.
 - Ask for a volunteer to read p. 89
 - **Activity 2** - Complete the My Turn on page 89.
 - Ask for a volunteer to read p. 90-91.
 - **Activity 3** - Complete the My Turn on page 91.
 - Ask for a volunteer to read p. 92-95.
 - **Activity 4** - Discuss the finding of St. Ignatius
 - Where is God in everything?
 - Where is God in every place?
 - Where is God in everyone?
- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**
 - Work on the 92 questions:
- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**
 - What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
 - What are the Works of Mercy?
 - How do we show love to the World?
 - How to make a good Confession
 - Work on:
 - Reciting Prayers
 - 92 questions
- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 22

Confirmed in Grace

(Part 3)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
 - Virtues
 - **Faith, Hope and Charity**
 - Reconciliation - With God and Others
 - **Examination of Conscience**
 - **Absolution**
 - **Penance**
 - Mary - Mother of God
 - Lent
 - **Ash Wednesday**
 - **Friday's** - Abstinence
 - **Holy Week** - Palm Sunday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday (Fasting), Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday
 - Holy Eucharist
 - **Body and Blood of Christ**
 - Showing Our Love to the World - (page 101)
 - Life and Dignity of the Human Person
 - Call to Family, Community, and Participation
 - Rights and Responsibilities
 - Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - **Ascension of Jesus** - Jesus ascends into Heaven Forty days after his resurrection.

- **Pentecost** - Holy Spirit descends upon the apostles Fifty days after the resurrection of Jesus.

- **Lesson**

25 minutes

- Confirmed in Grace
 - Allow students the opportunity to reflect on last week's lesson.
 - Confirmation
 - What is our commitment?
 - What will happen at mass?
 - Ask for volunteers to read a different section of the Chapter Summary on p. 95
 - **Activity 1**
 - Answer the questions in the **REACH OUT** section?
 - Complete the Review on page 96.
 - Reconciliation
 - **Activity 2**
 - Allow students to practice going to Confession
 - Confirmation
 - **Activity 3**
 - Practice the procedures of Confirmation

- **Questions for the Week**

10 minutes

- Work on the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion**

2.5 minutes

- What is the Order of the Mass?
 - Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites
 - What is one thing that you learned today?
- What are the Works of Mercy?
- How do we show love to the World?
- How to make a good Confession
- Work on:
 - Reciting Prayers
 - 92 questions

- **Ending Prayer**

2.5 minutes

LESSON 23

Confirmed in Grace

(Part 4)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
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 - The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers
 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - **Ascension of Jesus** - Jesus ascends into Heaven Forty days after his resurrection.

- **Pentecost** - Holy Spirit descends upon the apostles Fifty days after the resurrection of Jesus.

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**

- Confirmed in Grace
 - Allow students the opportunity to reflect on last week's lesson.
 - Confirmation
 - What is our commitment?
 - What will happen at mass?
 - Reconciliation
 - **Activity 2**
 - Allow students to practice going to Confession
 - Confirmation
 - **Activity 3**
 - Practice the procedures of Confirmation

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**

- Work on the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**

- What is the Order of the Mass?
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 - What is one thing that you learned today?
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- How to make a good Confession
- Work on:
 - Reciting Prayers
 - 92 questions

- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**

LESSON 24

Confirmed in Grace

(Part 5)

- **Introduction/Welcome** (Greet Students) **2.5 minutes**
- **Opening Prayer** **2.5 minutes**
- **Prayer of the Month** **5 minutes**
 - St. Michael the Archangel
- **The Church** **10 minutes**
 - **REVIEW**
 - Sacraments (**Initiation, Healing, Service of Communion**)
 - Order of the Mass (page 104)
 - **Introductory Rites, Liturgy of the Word, Liturgy of the Eucharist, Communion Rite, Concluding Rites**
 - Works of Mercy (page 98)
 - **Corporal and Spiritual**
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 - Solidarity
 - Care for God's Creation
 - **NEW**
 - **Ascension of Jesus** - Jesus ascends into Heaven Forty days after his resurrection.

- **Pentecost** - Holy Spirit descends upon the apostles Fifty days after the resurrection of Jesus.

- **Lesson** **25 minutes**

- Confirmed in Grace
 - Allow students the opportunity to reflect on last week's lesson.
 - Confirmation
 - What is our commitment?
 - What will happen at mass?
 - Reconciliation
 - **Activity 2**
 - Allow students to practice going to Confession
 - Confirmation
 - **Activity 3**
 - Practice the procedures of Confirmation

- **Questions for the Week** **10 minutes**

- Work on the 92 questions:

- **Conclusion** **2.5 minutes**

- What is the Order of the Mass?
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- **Ending Prayer** **2.5 minutes**