CORRELATION

ALIVE IN CHRIST

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to the

Archdiocese of Cincinnati Graded Course of Study for Grades 5-8 Catechetical Programs

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Correlation of Alive in Christ Parish Edition Grades 5-6

This correlation of *Alive in Christ* Parish Edition Grades 5–6 provides page references for the Student Book. Other program components offer additional opportunities for instruction and development of the guidelines. The Catechist Editions include background content on Sacred Tradition and Sacred Scripture, as well as formation in developmental appropriateness. Lectionary connections for a three-year-cycle, assessments, and optional activities are also provided. Catholic Social Teaching and lessons for the feasts and liturgical year can be correlated with core chapters or stand alone.

The *Alive in Christ* website (<u>aliveinchrist.osv.com</u>) includes extensive online resources and interactive connections between the Student Book and the website, along with music, assessments, social media interaction, customized lesson planning, program support materials, a multimedia glossary, question of the week, and many other features.

Alive in Christ deepens children's experience of faith through song, with two unique components to meet diverse needs and developmental models. In some cases, this music is referenced.

Our Sunday Visitor has partnered with Oregon Catholic Press to provide music for children and catechists. This includes the *Alive in Christ* theme song and ageappropriate music for each grade at varying steps of the catechetical process.

Songs of Scripture: Deepening Children's Understanding of the Word of God is an original work of forty songs designed to teach and unfold the meaning of Scripture.

Songs from both of these resources may be sampled and downloaded at aliveinchrist.osv.com.

Take Note of the Following:

- A. Because of *Alive in Christ's* approach to its scope and sequence, which is structurally organized around seven foundational doctrines of the Church, many of the standards are presented at an earlier grade level and expanded in subsequent years, or will be treated at greater depth in a coming year.
- B. Alive in Christ Parish Edition contains an intentional use of activities to assess learning, aid in understanding, reinforce concepts, and apply learning to the child's life. In some cases, the activities are cited.
- C. The Vocabulary references in *Alive in Christ* are named "Glossary of Catholic Faith Words," and are cited in the sidebar and found in the Glossary of Catholic Faith Words in the Student Book.
- D. <u>Our Catholic Tradition: Faith Basics</u> is a reference section found in the back of the Student Book. This section is patterned on the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* and presents content divided into the four sections of We Believe, We Worship, We Live, and We Pray.

- E. If a standard is not specifically presented in *Alive in Christ* there may appear a suggestion for the catechist about where it would be most appropriate to add this content in a lesson.
- F. In each grade level *Alive in Christ's* Catechist Editions present a developmental overview of a child at this age and discuss the content in relationship to the catechetical readiness of the child.
- G. Kindergarten correlations for our Kindergarten programs Allelu! and Call to Faith

Correlation of Alive in Christ Parish Edition Grades 7-8

This correlation of *Alive in Christ*, to Catechetical Curriculum Guidelines, Grades 7-8 provides page references from only the *Student Editions*, grades 7 & 8. Other program components offer additional opportunities for instruction and development of the guidelines. The *Catechist/Teacher Editions* include optional activities, scripture background, connections for liturgy links, and lectionary links and justice and peace.

Take Out: Family Faith on the Go, a monthly Family magazine, offers practical family touch points, Catholic conversation starters, family faith-builders with prayers, saints and the Sunday readings and positive reinforcement for deepening Catholic identity in the home. The Alive in Christ website (aliveinchrist.osv.com) provides additional class and family activities for the young person as well as a faith glossary; faith-sharing questions based on the Sunday cycle of readings; and supplemental instructional resources for the catechist or teacher to help implement word, worship, and service in the classroom.

Unique to *Alive in Christ* Grade 7 & 8 and cited in the correlation are such features as:

- "Go to the Source" challenges the adolescent to go directly to Scripture and find out more about the passage.
- "In Summary: Catholics Believe" reiterates lesson objectives and key concepts presented in the chapter.
- "Where It Happened" explores the places where biblical or Church events took place and where the Saints lived and grew in holiness.
- "Catholic Faith Words" define core Catholic teachings and help the students know and articulate the teaching of the Church in precise theological language.
- "Catholics Today" introduces young people to customs, practices, and devotions of our Church as experienced and celebrated throughout the world.
- "The Church History Timeline" presents key people, places, and events in the Church's growth and development, along with secular events that affected the course of Church history and the life and work of Catholics around the world.

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P.5.1.6	Memorize and recite liturgical responses	The following chapters explain in depth the parts and the liturgical responses of the Mass: Chapter 16 Gathered as One, Chapter 17 Liturgy of the Word Chapter 18 Liturgy of the Eucharist We Worship- The Order of the Mass 313 Song, And with Your Spirit CD; - this CD opens the parts of the Mass and teaches the liturgical responses- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
P.5.2	Define Sacramentals as aides to devotion/prayer	180 and We Pray -Devotional Practices 324-327 We Believe- The Saints (1st paragraph) 310
MARY AND	THE SAINTS	Seasonal Lessons Chapter 12: Lives of Holiness Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics
P.5.3	Recognize Mary as the first disciple of Christ and Mediatrix of Grace	9, 10-11, 16, 20, 21, 46, 178, 181, 229 Catholic Faith Words 178 Our Catholic Life 180 Litany to Mary 182 Catholics Believe 183 We Believe 308, 310 We Pray 324 Songs, Mary, A Woman of Faith or Mary's Song of Praise - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com.
P.5.3.1	Recall the events and implications of the Immaculate Conception and Assumption	11, 178 Catholic Faith Words 178 Scripture and Discussion Question 178
P.5.3.2	Recognize Mary's unique role in the mystery of redemption	Refer to P.5.3 especially, Catholics Believe 183 Activity 11

P.5.4	Explain the Communion of Saints	We Believe- The Saints (2 nd paragraph) 310 224, 225 Catholic Faith Words 224
MEMORIZE	D PRAYER	Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Pray
Standard	Standard Description	
P.5.5	Memorize the following prayers and precepts: Angelus, Hail Holy Queen, Morning Offering, Fatima Decade Prayer, Archbishop's Prayer for Vocations, Liturgical Responses, Cardinal Virtues, Liturgical Feasts & Seasons, and Lead the Rosary	Angelus We Pray 325 Hail Holy Queen We Pray 324
		Morning Offering We Pray 323
		Fatima Decade Prayer 10, 11, 180, We Pray 324
		Archbishop's Prayer for Vocations Almighty Father, You have created us for some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path You have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous "Yes."
		Make our archdiocese, parishes, homes and hearts fruitful ground for Your gift of vocations. May our young people respond to Your call with courage and zeal.
		Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. Bless us with consecrated religious and those called to a chaste single life, permanent deacons, and faithful husbands and wives, who are a sign of Christ's love for His Church.
		We commend our prayer for vocations to You, Father, through the intercession of Mary our

Mother, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Archbishop Dennis M. Schnurr

Liturgical Responses

The following chapters explain in depth the parts and the liturgical responses of the Mass:

Chapter 16 Gathered as One, Chapter 17 Liturgy of the Word Chapter 18 Liturgy of the **Eucharist**

We Worship- The Order of the **Mass 313**

Song, And with Your Spirit CD; this CD opens the parts of the Mass and teaches the liturgical responses-lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com

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11, 12, 220, 272, Family + Faith 14, We Believe 306. We Pray 324

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Mysteries of the Rosary- 12, 180 181, 324

	ANCHOR STANDARD 5: LIVING IN COMMUNITY	OF THE CHURCH(C)
CHRISTIAN	LIVING	Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith Chapter 21: Bring the Good News Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
Standard	Standard Description	
C.5.1	State that Christ established the Church through St. Peter and sustains His holy Church through His Holy Spirit	Church 154-161, 165-168, 278-281 Catholic Tradition 154, 256 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 277 Catholic Faith Words 280 Share Your Faith 279 Live Your Faith 283 Our Catholic Life 160, 282 Marks of the Church 159 Catholic Faith Words 158, 168 Connect Your Faith 159, 281 Discussion Questions 159, 166 Catholic Believe 163, 173, 285 We Believe 309 Song, Upon This Rock - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Sustained by the Spirit 46-47, 91 101 Guidance of the Holy Spirit 169 Discussion Questions 46, 47, 91 Side Bar 46 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 45 Activity 47 Connect Your Faith 91, 101 Our Catholic Life 92 140 Celebrate Pentecost 48-49 Family + Faith Page 50 Song, Holy Spirit - lyrics and
		music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
C.5.1.1	Recognize that we are called to grow in knowledge and use our talents and abilities in serving others	Use our talents and abilities 108-111, 258-259 Scripture and Discussion Question 108, 258

CHURCH C.5.2 Explain that the Catholic Church is led by	We Believe – The Church 309 (2nd paragraph) Chapter 10: The Church's Message Chapter 11: The Teaching Church Chapter 12: Lives of Holiness Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
	We Believe – The Church 309
C.5.1.2 Acknowledge that Catholics are called to work and pray for full, visible unity in the Church because Jesus also prayed "that they all may be one"	156-159 Our Catholic Tradition 154 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 155 Essential Characteristics 158 Marks of the Church 159 Signs of Unity 159 Catholics Believe 163
	Discussion Questions 259 Essential Characteristics (2nd paragraph) 158 Our Catholic Life 160 Live Your Faith 161 Serving Others 278-281 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 277 Catholic Faith Words 280 Catholic Tradition 256 Share Your Faith 279 Connect Your Faith 281 Live Your Faith 283 Our Catholic Life 282 Catholics Believe 285 We Believe 309 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith 290-303 Songs, Serving Each Other, Least of My Brothers & Act Justly - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com

		Catholics Believe 173 We Believe 309 St Peter Read the Scripture on 166 followed by the Discussion Questions and add this point to the discussion Song, Upon This Rock - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
C.5.2.1	Recognize how the Pope speaks in the name of the Church to all her members and to the world	Catholic Faith Word 167, 168 Gold Star Activity 168 Our Catholic Life 170 Catholics Believe 173 We Believe 309 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 5 — Pope Francis descends Pope mobile to bless disabled man before Inaugural Mass & Pope Francis goes to Confession: Video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
C.5.2.2	Identify present Church leaders and their respective authority: Pope and authority as the head of the Catholic Church; Archbishop of Cincinnati and authority as the head of the Archdiocese; Pastor and authority in leading the parish	Pope and authority as the head of the Catholic Church 167-169 Catholic Faith Word 167, 168 Gold Star Activity 168 Our Catholic Life 170 Catholics Believe 173 We Believe 309 Archbishop of Cincinnati and authority as the head of the Archdiocese The Teaching Office 168 We Believe: The Church 309 For information about the Archdiocese and the Archbishop refer to www.catholiccincinnati.org Pastor and authority in leading the parish The Teaching Office 168

		We Believe: The Church 309 The catechist should share the name of the pastor of the parish with the class.
C.5.2.3	Recognize Vatican City as the administrative center of the hierarchical Church	The catechist should include this point when presenting 167-169 Catholic Faith Word 167, 168 Gold Star Activity 168 Our Catholic Life 170 Catholics Believe 173 We Believe 309 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 5 – Pope Francis descends Pope mobile to bless disabled man before Inaugural Mass & Pope Francis goes to Confession: Video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
C.5.3	Explain the Church as a community of believers united in Christ and guided by the Holy Spirit on its journey in human history	Refer to C.5.1
C.5.3.1	Explain the missionary nature of the Church	156-159, 166-169, 278-281 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 154 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 155, 165, 277 Share Your Faith 157, 167, 279 Connect Your Faith 159, 169, 281 Catholic Faith Words280 Marks of the Church 159 Our Catholic Life 160, 170, 282 Live Your Faith 161, 171, 283 Catholics Believe 163, 173, 285 We Believe 309 Song, Have You Ever Seen a Mustard Seed? - lyrics and music may at aliveinchrist.osv.com
C.5.3.2	Discuss the Catholic Church as the one, true Church founded by God through Christ and associate Pentecost with the visible beginning of the Church	The Church 154-161, 165-168, 278-281 Catholic Tradition 154, 256 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 277 Catholic Faith Words 280 Share Your Faith 279

		Live Your Faith 283 Our Catholic Life 160, 282 Marks of the Church 159 Catholic Faith Words 158, 168 Connect Your Faith 159, 281 Discussion Questions 159, 166 Catholic Believe 163, 173, 285 We Believe 309
		Pentecost 46-47, 280 Side Bar 46 Discussions Questions 46, 47 Activity 47 Celebrate Pentecost 48-49 Family + Faith Page 50 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 45
C.5.3.3	Describe the relationship between Christ and the Church in light of Jn. 15:5 "I am the vine, you are the branches"	The catechist should use this scripture and stress this point when presenting: 154-161, 165-168, 278-281 Catholic Tradition 154, 256 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 277 Catholic Faith Words 280 Share Your Faith 279 Live Your Faith 283 Our Catholic Life 160, 282 Marks of the Church 159 Catholic Faith Words 158, 168 Connect Your Faith 159, 281 Discussion Questions 159, 166 Catholic Believe 163, 173, 285 We Believe 309
	ANCHOR STANDARD 6: LIVING AS A CHRISTI	• •
	SOCIAL TEACHING	Chapter 1: God's Plan for all Creation Chapter 6: A Life of Virtue Chapter 21: Bring the Good News Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith
Standard	Standard Description	

CS.5.1	Explain how Jesus reached out to the poor, the lonely, and the suffering and that the Church teaches us that we must do the same	6, 108-111, 122-125, 132-135 Share Your Faith 109, 123 Connect Your Faith 111, 125 Catholic Tradition 120 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 107, 121, 131 Our Catholic Life 126 Catholics Believe 115, 129, 139 We Believe 306- 308 Scripture revealing the life and teachings of Jesus and how he is an example on how to live. Scripture: 7, 9,14, 17, 22, 29, 31, 32, 36, 38, 39, 44, 64, 66, 87, 90, 95, 108, 122-123, 131, 133, 144, 149, 165, 166, 167, 172, 173, 175, 178, 199, 206, 209, 210, 216, 217, 233, 241, 244, 246, 257, 258, 265, 267, 268, 279 Refer to Our Catholic Life where the student is challenged to apply the content of the lesson to everyday life, fostering a life of discipleship and service
CS.5.1.2	Give examples of how Catholic Social Teaching can be applied to inform both personal and societal situations	280-281 Our Catholic Life 282 Live Your Faith 283 Catholics Believe 285 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith lessons (especially the activities) 290-303
CS.5.2	Explain that human life is sacred from the moment of conception, the God-given beginning to life until its natural end	Presented in Grade 4, however, the catechist should reemphasize and reinforced this when presenting 52-61, God's Image in You 125 Catholics Believe 129 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith- Life and Dignity of the Human Person 290-291

	ATION AND DISCIPLESHIP	Chapter 12: The Church's Message Chapter 21: Bring the Good News Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith
Standard CS.5.3	Standard Description Explain the meaning of discipleship; a	The teaching on discipleship has
	disciple is a student and intentional follower of Jesus, one who accepts and assists in spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ in both words and deeds	been presented in each grade since Grade 2 and it is expanded in Gr. 5 on 3, 40- 41, 167, 176, 258, 280 Growing as Disciples of Jesus 6 Activity 41
CS.5.3.1	Describe what Jesus meant when He asks His followers to "go therefore and make disciples of all nations"	Using the Scripture on 39 discuss what Jesus meant- also include in the discussion 40-41 Activity 41
CS.5.3.2	Explain that disciples of Jesus are called to continually change and reform their lives in light of the teaching of Jesus and share what they have learned from Him with others	Reform their lives in light of the teaching of Jesus Scripture: 7, 9,14, 17, 22, 29, 31, 32, 36, 38, 39, 44, 64, 66, 87, 90, 95, 108, 122-123, 131, 133, 144, 149, 165, 166, 167, 172, 173, 175, 178, 199, 206, 209, 210, 216, 217, 233, 241, 244, 246, 257, 258, 265, 267, 268, 279
		Share what they have learned from Him with others 278-281 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 77 Share Your Faith 279 Connect Your Faith 281 Catholic Faith Words 280 Marks of the Church 159 Our Catholic Life 160, 282 Live Your Faith 283 Catholics Believe 285 We Believe 309

CS.5.3.3	Explain evangelization as a call to be in a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and invite others to encounter Him	Catholic Faith Words 280 40-41 Activity 41
VOCATION		Opening Lesson- Growing as Disciples of Jesus Chapter 19: The Call to Serve Chapter 21: Bring the Good News Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
CS.5.4	Discuss vocation as "saying yes" to the call to the fullness of self-giving in marriage, priesthood, or consecrated life	258-261 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 256 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 257 Scripture and Discussion Question 258 Discussion Question 259 Catholic Faith Words 260 Our Catholic Life 262 Catholics Believe 265 Song, Come and Follow Melyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
CS.5.4.1	Recognize that our vocation is a response to our baptismal call to holiness	Responding to God's Call 258 Scripture and Discussion Question 258 Catholics Believe 265
CS.5.5	Examine a variety of Christian vocations as responses to the baptismal call and recognize vocations as particular calls in the Church to live the Christian life	260-261 Responding to God's Call 258 Scripture and Discussion Question 258 Catholics Believe 265
CS.5.5.1	Explain that some people are called to the priesthood, consecrated life, married life, or chaste single life	Refer to CS.5.4
CS.5.6	Discuss the differences between the priesthood of all the baptized and the ordained priesthood	The catechist should stress the differences when presenting 258-262
CS.5.6.1	List the degrees of Holy Orders as bishop, priest, and deacon	260-261 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 257 Diagram – 261

		Catholics Believe 265 We Believe 309 We Worship 312
CS.5.6.2	Describe the function of laity (897-913), religious (925-927), deacons (1569-1571), priests, bishops, cardinals, and popes (880-896)	258-261 Catholic Tradition 256
	ANCHOR STANDARD 7: THEOLOGY OF T	HE BODY (TOB)
THEOLOGY	OF THE BODY	Chapter 1: God's Plan for all Creation Chapter 2: Made to Be with God Chapter 6: A Life of Virtue Chapter 8: Proclaim the Kingdom Chapter 19: The Call to Serve Chapter 20: The Last Things Chapter 21: Bring the Good News Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live Our Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith
differently, A	TE: Because various Archdioceses and Dioceses Alive in Christ does not systematically and intention family life catechesis.	
TOB.5.1	State my purpose as being created by God out of love in order to love and to obtain heaven	Created by God In God's Image 55 Gold Star Activity 55 God's Image in You 125 Discussion Question 125 Catholic Faith Words 124 Catholics Believe 129 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Life and Dignity of the Human Person 290-291
		In order to love 6, 55, 108-112, 132-135, 167, 175-177, 204, 258-259, 272, 278- 283, We Live 316-319. Refer to the following activities Activity 11, 21, 41, 47,

		Share Your Faith 65, 109, 123, 245, 269,279 Connect Your Faith 111, 125, 169, 227, 271, 281 Live Your Faith 93, 113, 127, 161, 171, 205, 229, 239, 283 Also refer to Our Catholic Life (found in the LIVE section of the lesson) where the student is challenged to apply the content of the lesson to everyday life. Song Serving Each Other - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com. Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith lessons (especially the activities) 290- 303 To obtain heaven 268-269 Catholic Faith Words 269 Scripture and Discussion Question 268 Catholic Tradition 256 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 267 Catholic Believe 275 Song New Jerusalem - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com.
TOB.5.2	State "I am a son or daughter of God", in response to the question "Who am I"	In God's Image 55 Gold Star Activity 55 God's Image in You 125 Discussion Question 125 Catholic Faith Words 124 Catholics Believe 129 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Life and Dignity of the Human Person 290-291

TOB.5.3	Explain that we are created and called to be a mutual "help" to one another to live a good and happy life together	Same as above plus 3, 41, 167, 176, 258, 280- 281 Catholics Believe 285 Our Catholic Life 282 Growing as Disciples of Jesus 6 Connect Your Faith 281 Live Your Faith 283 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Call to Family, Community and Participation 292-293 Songs Serving Each Other and Least of My Brothers - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com.
TOB.5.4	Identify how every man and woman has a unique role to be son/daughter, brother/sister, etc.	The catechist should stress this point when presenting 258-258 Discussion Questions 258 In God's Image 55 Gold Star Activity 55 God's Image in You 125 Discussion Question 125 Catholic Faith Words 124 Catholics Believe 129 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Life and Dignity of the Human Person 290-291 Call to Family, Community and Participation 292-293
TOB.5.5	State that being with others in society implies giving ourselves as a gift to others and receiving others as a gift	Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Call to Family, Community and Participation 292-293
TOB.5.5.1	State that giving of ourselves to others includes little ways each day, through kind words and thoughtful deeds	Refer to TOB.5.3 plus: Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Call to Family, Community and Participation 292-293

TOB.5.5.2	Identify saints who demonstrated giving themselves as a gift to others	2, 6, 10, 11, 176-179, 234- 235, 259 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 175 We Believe 310 Live your Faith 181 Also refer to the People of Faith found at the end of each lesson and aliveinchrist.osv.com for addition information concerning saints who demonstrated giving themselves as a gift to others.

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1. Describe Mary as the 'Mother of God'	10-11, 46,166, Activity 11 Discussion Questions 11 Live Your Faith 147 Scripture 155 Honor Mary 13 Faith + Faith Page 14 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 9 We Prayer 326 We Believe 306 Song, Mary's Song of Praise - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
Identify those who made covenants with God in the Old Testament	The first 9 Chapters tell the story of God's covenant made in the Old Testament with the Patriarchs. Catholic Faith Words 75
3. Define the importance of the Eucharistic Liturgy	The importance of the Eucharistic Liturgy is presented in all grades and can be reemphasized when presenting 157, 188 The Church's Precepts 193 Our Catholic Life 194 Eucharist 227
4. Define the Theological Virtues	We Live 318
5. Create a personal prayer including praise, petition, thanksgiving and adoration	Use the following to create a personal prayer: Ways of Praying See the prayer rituals found in the Seasonal lessons in the front of the student's text. Prayer of Blessing & Adoration - 70, 250 Prayer of Petition- 114, 172, 240, 274 Prayer of Intercession - 162, 196
	Prayer of Intercession - 162, 196, 206, 262

	Prayer of Thanksgiving & Praise - 60, 104, 128, 138
6. Identify how the Holy Spirit works in the lives of God's people	46-47, 166-167 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 45 Discussion Questions 46, 166 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 167 Fruits of the Spirit and Gold Star Activity 47 Activity 47 Celebrate the Holy Spirit 48-49 Share Your Faith 167 Catholics Believe 173 Family + Faith Page 50 We Believe 306-307 Song, Holy Spirit- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
7. Explain the 7 Catholic Social Teachings	Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith 290-303 We Live 318, 319
8. Explain what it means to be 'Made in the Image and Likeness of God'	64-68 Catholic Tradition 52 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 65 Gold Star Activity 64, 67 Scripture and Discussion Question 65 Share Your Faith 65 Connect Your Faith 67 Live Your Faith 69 Discussion Question 66 Our Catholic Life 68 Catholics Believe 71 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith - Life and Dignity of the Human Person 292-293 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 6 – God's Creation Part 1- Song/Video - at aliveinchrist.osv.com
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CREED	All of Unit 1: Revelation

		Chapter 11: The Early Church Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
Standard	Standard Description	
K.6.1	Describe that God communicates with people, revealing His plan for us and that God reveals Himself through Sacred Scripture and the Tradition of the Church	God reveals Himself through Sacred Scripture and the Tradition of the Church has been presented in Grades 1-5 and expanded in Gr. 6 on 54-55, 166-167 Share Your Faith 55, 167 Connect Your Faith 57 Live Your Faith 59 Our Catholic Life 58 Catholics Believe 61 We Believe 307, 308
		Take Note: Every lesson begins with the invitation to encounter God's Self-Revelation through his Word. The entire catechetical process of Alive in Christ mirrors the Divine Pedagogy, God's gradual and relational revelation of self. Song, Yes Lord, I Believe - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
K.6.1.1	Identify revelation as God's self-communication, the communication of His own divine life, the mystery of God's love and of His plan for salvation	54-57 Our Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 52 Scripture followed by What Do Your Wonder? 53 Share Your Faith 55 Connect Your Faith 57 Live Your Faith 59 God's Message 57 Catholic Faith Words 55 Discussion Question 54 Catholics Believe 61
		Take Note : Every lesson begins with the invitation to encounter God's Self-Revelation through his

		Word. The entire catechetical process of <i>Alive in Christ</i> mirrors the Divine Pedagogy, God's gradual and relational revelation of self.
K.6.2	Describe Mary as the Mother of God because she is the Mother of Jesus and Jesus is both true God and true man	Mary as the Mother of God because she is the Mother of Jesus 10-11, 46,166, Activity 11 Discussion Questions 11 Live Your Faith 147 Scripture 155 Honor Mary 13 Faith + Faith Page 14 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 9 We Prayer 326 We Believe 306 Song, Mary's Song of Praise - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Jesus is both true God and true
		man 156-158 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 155 Share Your Faith 157 Catholic Faith Words 158 Discussion Question 156 Scripture and the Gold Star Activity 157 Our Catholic Life and Gold Star Activity 1160 Catholics Believe 163 We Believe 305
		Song, <i>The Incarnate One</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
K.6.3	State that the Trinity is revealed in Scripture and Tradition and stated in the Creed	166, 224, 225, 259, 260 Catholic Faith Words 166 Creed
		We Believe 307, 308

K.6.5	Explain redemption and salvation through the revelation of God's Word in Sacred Scripture	Redemption 32-33, 156,
REVELATIO Standard	Standard Description	All of Unit 1: Revelation Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
K.6.4	Describe Jesus' life, death, and resurrection as Jesus' desire to embrace His Father's plan of redeeming the whole world	32, 159 We Worship 312
K.6.3.3	Explain the following titles of the Holy Spirit: Breath of God, Giver of Life, Source of all Holiness, and Spirit of Truth	Explain these titles when presenting: 46-47, 166-167 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 45 Discussion Questions 46, 166 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 167 Fruits of the Spirit and Gold Star Activity 47 Activity 47 Celebrate the Holy Spirit 48-49 Share Your Faith 167 Catholics Believe 173 Family + Faith Page 50 We Believe 306-307
K.6.3.2	Describe the meaning of the following titles of Jesus: Rabbi, Suffering Servant, and Word of God	77, 101, 125, 144, Catholic Faith Words 76, 101, 125, 144 We Believe -Titles of Jesus in Scripture 305
K.6.3.1	Describe God as the creator of the universe and of humanity and creation as the beginning of the history of salvation	64-68 Catholic Tradition 52 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 65 Gold Star Activity 64, 67 Scripture and Discussion Question 65 Share Your Faith 65 Connect Your Faith 67 Live Your Faith 69 Discussion Question 66 Our Catholic Life 68 Catholics Believe 71 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 6 – God's Creation Part 1- Song/Video -at aliveinchrist.osv.com

K.6.5.1	Identify biblical images which portray the nature of the Church Vine and branches: Jn. 15:1-17 Body of Christ: 1 Cor. 12-14; Eph. 4:1-16 Temple of the Holy Spirit: 2 Cor. 6:16; 1 Cor. 3:16-17; Eph. 2:21 Bride of Christ: Eph. 5:22-33 Identify the books of both the Old and New Testaments	Salvation 3, 90-91 Catholic Faith Words 3, 90 Sacred Scripture 4-5, 55 Catholic Faith Words 5, 55 Many of these images are used in other grades Vine and branches: Grade 7 Scripture 188 Body of Christ: Scripture: 182 Temple of the Holy Spirit: Grade 8 Scripture 118 Bride of Christ: Grade 8: Read and Discuss 109 2, 3, 4, 5, 54-57, 156-159 Catholic Tradition 52, 154 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 53, 155 Our Catholic Life 58, 160 Share Your Faith 55 Connect Your Faith 57 Live Your Faith 59 Celebrating God's Word 60 Catholics Believe 61, 163 Catholic Faith Words 5, 55
		Catholics Believe 61, 163 Catholic Faith Words 5, 55 We Believe 304, 305, 306 Also refer to the many activities using scripture throughout the student text
	AND REDEMPTION	First 9 Chapters
Standard	Standard Description	
Word. In this God say to y	Take Note: Each lesson begins with the invitation to encounter God's Self-Revelation through his Word. In this reflection on a Scriptures passage, the catechist is directed to ask, "What did you hear God say to you today?" This helps the student listen for God's Word and deepen their experience of His presence in their lives. Scripture is reflected upon, studied, prayed and applied in each lesson. K.6.6 Discuss the need for continuing study of All of Chapter 1: Divine Revelation	
14.0.0	Sacred Scripture to encounter the living God and to gain a deeper understanding of Salvation History	and Our Catholic Life: A Simple Reading Plan 58

		In addition, all of the first 9 chapters trace the unfolding of God's revelation through the history of the Chosen People and helps the students gain a deeper understanding of Salvation History Take Note: Every lesson begins with the invitation to encounter God's Self-Revelation through his Word. The entire catechetical process of Alive in Christ mirrors the Divine Pedagogy, God's gradual and relational revelation of self.
K.6.6.1	Explain how God made covenants with the Chosen People as a sign of His faithfulness and trace the unfolding of God's revelation through the history of the Chosen People of Israel (Noah: Gen. 9:8-17, Abraham: Gen. 17:1-14, Moses and the Israelites: Ex. 19:5-6; 3:4-10; 6:7, David and the Kingdom of Israel: 2 Sam. 7:8-19)	Covenant 4, 52, 74, 75, 88-89 Catholic Faith Words 75 Scripture, discussion Question and Share Your Faith 75 Noah 75 Abraham Scripture 88, 89
		Moses Other texts from Exodus are used: Scripture 98, 99, 108 David and the Kingdom of Israel Scripture 124
K.6.6.2	Explain the Old Testament events: Abraham and the Chosen People, the Exodus and covenant with the Jewish nation, Judges/tribes, Kings, Prophets, and Babylonian Exile	Abraham and the Chosen People 88-91 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 87 Catholic Tradition 86 Song, Abraham - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com The Exodus and covenant with the Jewish nation 4, 33, 98-101 Catholic Faith Words 98

		Scripture and the Discussion Questions 89 Share Your Faith 99 Scripture and discussion questions 98 Catholics Believe 105 Song, The Great I Am - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Judges/tribes 4, 122-123, Gold Star Activity and The Period of the Judges 122 Share Your Faith 123 Catholic Tradition 120 Kings 123-124 Scripture 124 Discussion Questions 123 Catholics Believe 129 Prophets 142-145 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 120 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 141 Catholic Faith Words 142 Who Are We? 143 Share Your Faith 143 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 144 Our Catholic Life 146 Catholics Believe 149 Babylonian Exile Repentance and Restoration 143
K.6.6.3	Show familiarity with the role of the patriarchs in the unfolding of God's revelation to His people	Through the use of scripture and story, the role of the patriarch is introduced: 4, 32, 88-90, 98-99, 108-109, 122-124, 131 Songs, <i>Abraham</i> and <i>Go Down, Moses</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com

K.6.6.4	Explain that the New Testament is the	New Testament
	fulfillment of the Old Covenant, and the	4, 5, 32, 58, 100, 120, 158
	significance of the Ark of the Covenant	Catholic Faith Words 158
		Navy Cayanant
		New Covenant
		86, 110-111
		Catholic Faith Words 110
		Connect Your Faith 111
		Scripture followed by What Do You
		Wonder? 107
		Catholics Believe 115
		Ark of the Covenant
		The Ark of the Covenant was
		presented in Grade 4; however, the
		teacher after reading the Scripture
		on 125, should remind the children
		that the Israelites carried the Ark of
		the Covenant wherever they went
		on their journey from Mt. Sinai to the
		Promised Land. The Ark of the
		Covenant was a sacred sign of
		God's presence that lived in their
		midst (See Exodus 25:10-22.)
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	HORD STANDARD 2: KNOWLEDGE OF SACRATS AND SACRAMENTALS	Our Catholic Tradition Faith
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LITURGY	Standard Description	All of the Seasonal Lessons Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Worship
SL.6.2.2	State that Sacraments are instituted by Christ as evidenced in Sacred Scripture	The scriptural references for the sacraments were presented in Grades 3-5, level and expanded in Gr. 6 on 212-213, 224-228, 234-238, 244-245 Catholic Faith Words 90
SL.6.2.1	Describe the sacraments as efficacious signs of God's grace, instituted by Christ and entrusted to the Church	
SL.6.2	Explain how the seven sacraments are entrusted to the Church and accompany a person from life to death	90-91, 212-213, 226-227, 236, 244- 245 Catholic Faith Words 90, We Live 318
		explain that Jesus passed on his mission to the Church and gave the Church the power to do his work in the world; the sacraments are one way the Church accomplishes Christ's work. Song: The Seven Sacraments - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com.
	Spirit, continues Christ's saving work, especially through the Sacraments	245 Catholic Faith Words 90, We Live 318 Added Reference: When discussing the definition of Seven Sacraments on 90-91,
SL.6.1.1	Identify that the Church, guided by the Holy	We Believe 309 Song, Somos el Cuerpo de Cristo/We Are the Body of Christ – music and lyrics at aliveinchrist.osv.com 90-91, 212-213, 226-227, 236, 244-
		Catholics Believe 163, 173, 183, 207, 231, 241

SL.6.3	Recognize the Eucharistic Liturgy as the community's central act of worship Identify the function of ordained and non-	27, 101, 169, 225-227, 228, 256, 258, Catholic Faith Word 226 Song, <i>Take This and Eat</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.0.4	ordained ministers at Mass and explain the difference in their roles	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, the functions of ordained and non-ordained ministers at Mass were presented in Grades 2,3,5; however, the catechist may revisit this topic when presenting Eucharist- 227 We Worship 313
SL.6.5	Describe and demonstrate how Sacred Scripture is to be read during Mass	We Worship 313; Reading scripture at Mass was presented in Gr. 2 - Gr. 5
	ANCHOR STANDARD 3: MORAL FO	RMATION (M)
MORAL LIVI	NG	All of Unit 5: Morality Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
Standard	Standard Description	
M.6.1	Describe that Christian living is the gift of active discipleship in Jesus Christ	Opening Lesson- Growing as Disciples of Jesus 6, 190-193, 200- 203 Catholic Faith Words 192, 201, 202 Gold Star Activity 190 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 189, 199 Catholics Believe 197, 207 Common Good 203 We Live 315-319
M.6.1.1	Identify the theological virtues: faith, hope, and charity	We Live 318
M.6.1.2	Discuss how we can respect the rights and responsibilities of individuals and families in regards to their human dignity, freedom, property, and possessions	Examples/Activities that encourage and show how we can respect the rights of others Live your Faith 59, 79, 113, 181, 195, 205, 229, 239, Share Your Faith 109, 177, 191, 202, 225, 235 Connect Your Faith 111, 193, 203 Our Catholic Life 68, 78, 102, 112, 146, 170, 180, 194, 204, 228, 238, 248

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		Also refer to the Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith lessons 290-303
M.6.1.3	Describe how the Bible explores the mysteries of life: suffering, injustice, and death	Refer to the following scriptural passages found on: 64, 65, 74, 75, 76, 87, 89, 90, 98, 99, 104, 107, 108, 111, 123, 135, 143, 157, 159, 167, 190, 191, 201, 202, 204, 234, 238
M.6.2	Describe that God gives human beings free	Free Will
	will to love and serve Him out of free choice	212
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		To love and serve Him 108-111, 190-193, 201-203 Connect Your Faith 111 Catholic Faith Words 110, 192, 201, 202 Discussion Questions 111 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 188 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 189, 199 Share Your Faith 191, 201 Connect Your Faith 193, 203 Live Your Faith 195, 205 Gold Star Activity 190, 192 Scripture 192 Our Catholic Life 194, 204 Catholics Believe 197, 204 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 202 The Common Good 203 Songs, Have You Ever Seen a Mustard Seed? Serving Others; You've Got to Love them; Least of My Brothers; Act Justly, The Beatitudes and The Great Commandment - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Use OSVCD- You Tube Grade 6-The Beatitudes video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com

		Use OSVCD- You Tube Grade 6- The Ten Commandments video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
M.6.2.1	Explain that in God's providence, He desires that each person live in union with Him	All of Chapter 3: God's Faithfulness
M.6.2.2	Compare and contrast the God-given gifts of free will and freedom	76, 212
M.6.2.3	Identify that sin is a misuse of our freedom and hurts our relationship with God	27, 76, 77, 102, 125, 179, 180, 209- 210 Scripture followed by <i>What Do You</i> <i>Wonder?</i> 209 Catholic Faith Words 210 Discussion Question 210
CONSCIENC	CE	Chapter 15: Sin and Forgiveness Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
Standard	Standard Description	
M.6.3	Explain that we receive wisdom and understanding from God which informs our conscience and helps us to know how to act	2, 42, 46,91, 101, 102, 111, 112, 125, 136, 145, 154, 159, 166, 169, 170, 179, 193, 212, 214, 224, 225, 227, 261, 271, 280 Catholic Faith Words 133 Song, <i>The Holy Spirit</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
M.6.3.1	Identify that we are called to overcome evil so as to be responsible stewards of all that God has given us	We are called to overcome evil 132, 200-201, 247, 260 Catholic Faith Words 201 Catholics Believe 207 We Live 318 Responsible stewards 64-68, 194 Catholic Tradition 52 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 65 Gold Star Activity 64, 67 Scripture and Discussion Question 65 Share Your Faith 65 Connect Your Faith 67 Live Your Faith 69 Discussion Question 66 Our Catholic Life 68

M.6.3.2 M.6.4	Explain how God shows deep love and care for all persons regardless of our sinfulness Define the three sources of a moral act: object, intention, and circumstances	Catholics Believe 71 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith -Care for God's Creation 302-303 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 6 – God's Creation Part 1- Song/Video - at aliveinchrist.osv.com All of Chapter 3: God's Faithfulness Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, the three sources of a moral act were presented in Grades 2 and 4 and it will be taught in depth
		in Grade 7. In Grade 6 use 212-213 We Live 315
M.6.4.1	Identify that the Holy Spirit informs our conscience through Scripture and Tradition and helps us to live a life of happiness	Guidance of the Holy Spirit 55, 228, 262 Conscience 212-213 Catholic Tradition 188 Catholic Faith Words 212 Our Catholic Life 214 Live Your Faith 215 Catholics Believe 217 Scripture and Tradition 54-55 Catholic Faith Words 55
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PRAYER		Chapter 4: Journeys of Faith Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Pray All of Unit 6: Sacraments
Standard	Standard Description	
P.6.1	Recognize that Catholic prayer is grounded in the Word of God as found in Scripture and Tradition	2, 6, 11, 26, 58, 91, 92, 112, 125, 136, 146, 159, 194, 204, 214, 228, 261- 262, 268, 272, Live your Faith 93, We Pray 320-327
P.6.1.1	Recognize that prayer is friendship with and personal communication with God in which we hear and respond to His love and His will	2, 6, 11, 26, 58, 91, 92, 112, 125, 136, 146, 159, 194, 204, 214, 228, 261- 262, 268, 272,

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		Live your Faith 93, We Pray 320-327
P.6.1.2	Compare and contrast personal prayer and communal prayer	Include a discussion of personal prayer and communal prayer 2, 6, 11, 26, 58, 91, 92, 112, 125, 136, 146, 159, 194, 204, 214, 228, 261-262, 268, 272, Live your Faith 93, We Pray 320-327
P.6.2	Demonstrate how to pray using Scripture and identify the Gospels, wisdom books, and psalms as particularly helpful for prayer	Psalms Since Grade 1- each lesson's opening prayer has contained a psalm prayer 4, 56, 125, 133 Catholic Faith Words 125 Gospels 155-158 Wisdom Books 131-137 Scripture Each session of Alive in Christ opens with modified Scripture reflection for children developing skills for contemplation and meditation.
P.6.2.1	Describe the essential elements of Liturgy of the Hours and define Liturgy of the Hours as an official liturgical prayer of the Church	We Pray 323
P.6.2.2	Identify the elements of the Lord's Prayer as blessing, adoration, petition, intercession, thanksgiving, and praise	We Pray 321
P.6.3	Describe types of prayer: praise, petition, thanksgiving, and adoration	Types of Prayer See the prayer rituals found in the Seasonal lessons in the front of the student's text. Prayer of Blessing & Adoration - 70, 250 Prayer of Petition- 114, 172, 240, 274 Prayer of Intercession - 162, 196, 206, 262

		Prayer of Thanksgiving & Praise - 60, 104, 128, 138
MARY AND	THE SAINTS	Seasonal Lesson Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
Standard	Standard Description	
P.6.4	Recognize the humility and faith of Mary as our model for prayer	10-11, 46,166, Activity 11 Discussion Questions 11 Live Your Faith 147 Scripture 155 Honor Mary 13 Faith + Faith Page 14 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 9 We Prayer 326 We Believe 306
		Song, Mary's Song of Praise - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
P.6.4.1	Identify and list the mysteries of the Rosary: Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful, and Glorious	We Believe 306 We Pray 326
MEMORIZE	D PRAYER	
P.6.5	Memorize the following prayers and precepts: Memorare, Mysteries of the Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Prayer to St. Michael, and Liturgy of the Hours (knowledge of)	Memorare Presented in Grades 4, 5 7, and 8 Mysteries of the Rosary We Pray 326 Stations of the Cross
		Prayer to St. Michael Added Reference Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do you, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who

CHRISTIAN		prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen Liturgy of the Hours We Pray 323 Y OF THE CHURCH (C) Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live All of Unit 4: The Church Chapter 12: The Body of Christ Chapter 19: The Communion of Saints
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C.6.1	Acknowledge that the Holy Spirit calls all people to conversion and faithfulness	224-225 Catholic Faith Words 224 Our Catholic Life- How can you be an agent of love for God? 228
C.6.2	Identify the Catholic Church as the universal church and as the beginning seed of the kingdom of God on earth	159, 166-169, 176-179, 200-203, 224-227, 234-237 Our Catholic Tradition 154, 222 Discussion Questions 166, 226 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 167, 202 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder?175, 233 Share Your Faith 177, 201, 235 Gold Star Activity 178, 237 Connect Your Faith 159, 179, 203, 227, 237 Catholic Faith Words 179, 201, 226 Our Catholic Life and Gold Star Activity 160, 170, 180, 204, 228, 238 Scripture and Discussion Question 234 Live Your Faith 161, 181, 229, 239 Catholics Believe 163, 173, 183, 207, 231, 241 We Believe 309 Songs, Song, Have You Ever Seen a Mustard Seed? Or Somos el Cuerpo de Cristo/We Are the Body of Christ - music at aliveinchrist.osv.com

C.6.3	Explain the Church's visible signs and bonds of unity: profession of faith, celebration of divine worship especially of the sacraments, and the pope	159, 166-169, 178-179 Share Your Faith 167 Catholic Tradition 154 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 167 Gold Star Activity 178 Catholic Faith Words 168, 179 Discussion Question 168 Catholics Believe 173, 183 We Believe 309 Song, <i>Upon This Rock</i> - music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
C.6.3.1	Illustrate how the Church is both a sign and instrument of unity and peace to the world	202-203, 224-226 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith Solidarity of the Human Family 300-301
C.6.3.2	Explain that the communion of saints is communion in holy things and among holy persons	258-259 Catholic Faith Words 258 Gold Star Activity 259 Share Your Faith 259 Our Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 256 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 257 Catholics Believe 265
	ANCHOR STANDARD 6: LIVING AS A CHRIS	TIAN IN SOCIETY (CS)
	SOCIAL TEACHING	Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith
Standard	Standard Description	
CS.6.1	State that we are made in the image and likeness of God and created to love one another as Christ loves us	64-68 Catholic Tradition 52 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 65 Gold Star Activity 64, 67 Scripture and Discussion Question 65 Share Your Faith 65 Connect Your Faith 67 Live Your Faith 69 Discussion Question 66 Our Catholic Life 68 Catholics Believe 71

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		Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith - Life and Dignity of the Human Person 292-293
CS.6.1.1	Define that love is willing the good of the other	Freedom to Love 193 Catholic Faith Words 192 Our Catholic Life 194
CS.6.1.1	Identify human sexuality as a gift from God that allows us to love as God loves in total self-giving	The term sexuality was presented in Gr. 4. The catechist is encouraged to incorporate this concept when presenting the following pages 243-250 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith; Call to Family, Community and Participation 300-301
CS.6.2	Explain the major principles of Catholic Social Teaching: 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 Rights of the Worker; Solidarity; Care for God's Creation	We Live 318-319 Our Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith 290-303
CS.6.2.1	Research the lives of Saints who worked for social justice	2, 6, 93, 170, 261 We Believe 311 Litany of the Saints 264 Refer to the People of Faith for more examples of Saints and in addition go to aliveinchrist.osv.com for more examples of Saints who worked for social justice
CS.6.2.2	Illustrate that individuals, as well as society and culture, are called to continual conversion and reform in light of the teaching of Jesus	Conversion/Change 93, 224, 225, 226, 272 Catholic Faith Words 224 Change and reform in light of the teaching of Jesus. 192-193, 200-203, 260-261 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 189, 199 Gold Star Activity 190, 192, 202 Share Your Faith 191, 201 Connect Your Faith 193, 203

		Catholic Faith Words 261 Live Your Faith 195, 205 Our Catholic Life 194, 204 Catholics Believe 197, 207
		Refer to Our Catholic Life (in the Live section of the lesson) where the student is challenged to apply the content of the lesson to everyday life, fostering a life of discipleship and service.
	ATION AND DISCIPLESHIP	Chapter 16: Baptized for Mission Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
Standard	Standard Description	
CS.6.3	State evangelization as central to the mission of the Church in which all Catholics have a role	224-227 Catholic Tradition 222 Family + Faith 231 Share Your Faith 225 Live Your Faith 229 Celebration of the Word 230 Our Catholic Life 170, 180 Chapter Review 232 Catholics Believe 231 We Believe 309
CS.6.3.1	Give examples of how Christians are to be missionaries, bringing the Good News to the ends of the Earth	Examples of how Christians are to be missionaries, bringing the Good News to the ends of the Earth Steps to Standing Strong 146 Be A Good Witness 170 What Does it mean to keep the Great Commandment? 194 What Does it mean to promote Human Dignity? 204 How can you be an agent of love for God? 228 How can you follow the example of Jesus in serving God and others? 238
CS.6.4	Describe how Scripture depicts discipleship and evangelization	See Scripture on 163, 165, 188, 192, 201, 209, 234
CS.6.4.1	Outline how Christian discipleship is an essential part of being Catholic	Opening Lesson- Growing as Disciples of Jesus 6, 190-193, 200- 203

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VOCATION CS.6.5	Explain that a Vacation is a call from Cod	Chapter 17: Lives of Service 234-236, 244-245
03.0.3	Explain that a Vocation is a call from God that each person receives based on His plan for us	Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 222 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 233 Share Your Faith 235 Connect Your Faith 235 Live Your Faith 237 Scripture and Discussion Question 234, 244 Catholic Faith Words 235, 236, 245 Gold Star Activity 237 Our Catholic Life 238 Catholics Believe 241 Song, Come and Follow Me, - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
CS.6.5.1	State that we learn of God's definite plan for our life through personal prayer and listening to His call	Your Vocation 235 Share Your Faith 235

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CS.6.5.2	Recognize and examine a variety of Christian vocations in the Church as a response to our baptismal call	Living the Call- How people live out their baptismal Call 236
CS.6.5.3	Explain that God calls us to love and serve others in whatever vocation we live	Refer to CS.6.5
CS.6.5.4	Define discerning as praying, seeking God's will, and relating to the Catholic faithful who live out their vocational call	The term discernment is presented in Gr. 7 pg. 296; however, the catechist can present the term when presenting in 234-236, 244-245 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 222 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 233 Share Your Faith 235 Connect Your Faith 235 Live Your Faith 237 Scripture and Discussion Question 234, 244 Catholic Faith Words 235, 236, 245 Gold Star Activity 237 Our Catholic Life 238 Catholics Believe 241
CS.6.6	Describe how the vocations of Marriage and Holy Orders are sacraments of service	Sacraments of Communion and Service Song, Come and Follow Me - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Holy Orders 178-179, 233-238 Song, Upon This Rock - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Matrimony 244-248 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 243 Scripture and Discussion Question 244 Live your Faith 249 Cotholica Policy 251
		Catholics Believe 251 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith - Call to Family, Community and Participation 292-293
CS.6.6.1	Describe how Marriage unites a man and a woman in a union that is faithful, permanent, exclusive, and open to children	244-248 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 243

		Scripture and Discussion Question 244 Live your Faith 249 Catholics Believe 251
CS.6.6.2	Identify the priesthood as a gift to the Church to which God calls men to lay down their lives as Christ did for the Church	178-179, 233-238
CS.6.6.3	State that a man receives the sacrament of Holy Orders from the bishop who calls him to a life of service to the Church	Refer to CS.6.6.2
CS.6.6.4	Identify the promise of obedience and celibacy to the bishop as unique to the life of the priesthood in the Catholic Church	178-179, 233-238
CS.6.6.5	List the two types of priests: diocesan priest and religious priest	The catechist should stress this when presenting 178-179, 233-238
CS.6.6.6	Describe the diaconate as a vocation of service for both married and unmarried men	The catechist should include the different types of deacons when presenting 236
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TOB.6.1	State that God is a generous giver, who loves the world into existence	64-68 Catholic Tradition 52 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 65 Gold Star Activity 64, 67 Scripture and Discussion Question 65 Share Your Faith 65 Connect Your Faith 67 Live Your Faith 69 Discussion Question 66 Our Catholic Life 68 Catholics Believe 71 Prayer of Adoration 70
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TOB.6.1.1	Explain that the world is a good gift	64-65 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? the first question 63 Prayer of Adoration 70 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 6 – God's Creation Part 1- Song/Video - at aliveinchrist.osv.com
TOB.6.2	State that man is created unique and different from the rest of creation	64-67 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? the second question 63 Gold Star Discussion Question 64 Catholic Faith Words 64 Discussion Question 66 Catholics Believe 71
TOB.6.2.2	Explain that because man has been created as a gift in the image of the Trinity, he learns about himself through a gift of himself	The catechist should include this point when presenting TOB.6.2 plus Catholic Faith Words 166 Any examples of when you give of yourself you learn more about yourself
TOB.6.2.3	Identify the two ways in which the human person has been created in the image of God: male and female	64-67 Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? the second question 63 Gold Star Discussion Question 64, 67 Catholic Faith Words 64, 67 Connect Your Faith 67 Discussion Question 66 Catholics Believe 71
TOB.6.3	Explain what it means that the "body reveals man"	Alive in Christ does not use this exact language; however, the catechist may incorporate this point when presenting 64-67

		Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? the second question 63 Gold Star Discussion Question 64, 67 Catholic Faith Words 64, 67, 166 Connect Your Faith 67 Discussion Question 66 Catholics Believe 71
TOB.6.4	State that St. Paul calls the human body the "temple of the Holy Spirit" (1 Cor. 6:15) and exhorts us: "Therefore glorify God in your body" (1 Cor. 6:20)	The catechist may include this teaching of St. Paul when presenting 111, 192-193, 201-203, 247 Catholic Tradition 86, 188, Catholic Faith Words 110, 202, Scripture followed by What Do You Wonder? 107, 199 Live Your Faith 113 Connect Your Faith 111 Scripture and Gold Star Activity 202 The Common Good 203 Discussion Question 111, 226 Commandment Connection 111 Our Catholic Life 68, 112, 160, 170, 180, 194, 204, 248 Steps to Standing Strong 146 Catholics Believe 115, 207, We Live 316-319 Songs, Raise Your Voice for Justice, Act Justly, Serving Each Other and Walk with Your God-lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
TOB.6.5	Define the virtue of reverence as treating God, His creation, and other people with deep respect and honor because God is all good and His creation is a good gift	Refer to TOB.6.1.1 and the following: Activity – Gifts of the Holy Spirit 47 We Live 317 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith - Life and Dignity of the Human Person 292-293 Care for God's Creation 302-303

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GRADE 7	Alive in Christ Parish Student Edition
Exiting Skills: At the end of 7 th grade students will be able to:	
Describe the Holy Trinity as the central mystery of the Christian faith	94-97, 98 Catholic Tradition 90, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 91, Activity 92, Diagram on 97, Catholic Faith Words 96, Go to the Source 96, Our Catholic Life 100, Reflect on the Trinity 101, Chapter Review 102, In Summary 99 We Believe 366
Explain, using Biblical context, how Jesus is a priest, prophet and king	Priest Scripture 155, 160 Prophet Scripture or Go to the Source 136, 138, 149, 150 and all the scripture on 138 King Jesus the King 161 and scripture on 188
3. Give examples of how each of the 7 sacraments is a visible sign of God's grace	Chapter 16: God's Masterworks Song, <i>The Seven Sacraments</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
4. Identify the five precepts of the Church	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, The Precepts of the Church were presented in: Grade 6 Chapter 13 Grade 5 Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live Chapter 4 Chapter 12; and reviewed in Grade 7 on Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live 373
5. List the seven petitions of the Our Father	80-81, 202 Describe 81, We Believe 366, We Pray 382, 383;

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K.7.1	Express belief in the resurrection of the dead and explain that we have already risen with Christ in our Baptism and participate in the life of the Risen Christ	318-321 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought315 Getting Started 317 Catholic Faith Words 321 Scripture 318, 321 In Summary 323 Our Catholic Life 324 We Believe 369 Song, <i>The New Jerusalem</i> – music and lyrics at aliveinchrist.osv.com
K.7.1.1	Discuss the significance of Christ's second coming, the Resurrection of our bodies, and the Last Judgment	Same as above, especially, How Late is too Late? 320 We Believe Life After Death 369
K.7.1.2	Explain the Paschal Mystery as Christ's suffering, death, resurrection, and ascension	Jesus brings New Life 162 Jesus Continues to Save 163 Catholic Faith Words 162 In Summary 163 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – The Paschal Mystery /Video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
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K.7.2	Describe how we are called to respond to God's revelation through the gift of faith	94- 98, Catholic Faith Words 95, Help from Heaven 95 Go to the Source 94 Reflect 93, Share 95
K.7.2.1	Demonstrate the supernatural virtue of faith as reasonable and certain because it is a gift from God	94- 98, Catholic Faith Words 95, Reflect 93, Share 95
K.7.2.2	Explain that we are called to entrust ourselves to God through a free assent in faith	Same as K.7.2
K.7.2.3	Show understanding that faith is a gift that we receive from God through the Church and as a	77-178, 94-98 238-239 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought235,

	Church we profess our faith together to the world	Helping Habits 237 Scripture and Go to the Source 238, Catholic Faith Words 95,239 Reflect 93, Share 95 We Live 377
K.7.3	Explain what it means to say that God's revelation is "economic" that God reveals Himself over time and in human history	Take Note: Every lesson begins with the invitation to encounter God's Self-Revelation through his Word. The entire catechetical process of <i>Alive in Christ</i> mirrors the Divine Pedagogy, God's gradual and relational revelation of self. 54-59 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought51 Catholic Tradition 50 Getting Started 52 Identify 53, Scripture and Go to the Source 54 Notice, Connect, Pray 57 Go to the Source 54, 56 Discussion Questions 54 Reflect 55 Catholic Faith Words 55, 57, 58 The Attributes of God 59 In Summary 59 We Believe 366
K.7.3.1	Describe that the Church continues to interpret the Word of God in Sacred Scripture and in Tradition	4-7, 66-71, 176-177 We Receive Guidance 176 Match 177 Catholic Tradition 50, Activity 64, 65, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 63, Outline 67, Catholic Faith Words 55, 66, 69, 177 Read & Discuss 69, In Summary 71, Catholics Today 71, Our Catholic Life 72, Closing Prayer 73, Chapter Review 74 We Believe 364

K.7.3.2	Describe the natural ways of coming to know God: the world and the human person	54-57, 294-295 Catholic Tradition 50, Activity 52, 53, Scripture 4 Reflect 55, Notice, Connect, Pray 57 In Summary 59, Catholic Faith Words 55, Attributes of God 59, Prayer 61,
K.7.4	Show understanding of God's revealing word in Sacred Scripture, as unfolding throughout the Old and New Testaments, and in Sacred Tradition, as unfolding through the Church	4-7, 66-71, Catholic Tradition 50, Activity 50, 64, 65, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 63, Outline 67, Catholic Faith Words 66, 69, Read & Discuss 69, In Summary 71, Catholics Today 71, Our Catholic Life 72, Closing Prayer 73, Chapter Review 74 We Believe 364 For songs from scripture refer to the Songs of Scripture Deepening Children's Understanding of God's Word - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Old Testament 6, 7, 66-67 We Believe 364 New Testament 6, 7, 9, 66, 67, 270, We Believe 364
K.7.4.1	State the meaning of divine inspiration in relationship to biblical authorship	66-67 Catholic Faith Words 66 The Gospels and their Authors 69 In Summary – 1 st bullet 71

K.7.5	Explain that the Magisterium has the authority to teach and interpret Sacred Scripture	We Believe- The Church 368 Interpreting Scripture 66-67
K.7.5.1	Differentiate between divinely inspired truth and literal fact when interpreting Sacred Scripture	We Believe - Senses of Scripture 364
K.7.5.2	Recognize that God is the principal author of the Bible and He uses human authors to reveal the truths He intends	Same as K.7.4.1 ; especially, God Inspires 66
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K.7.6	Articulate that the central mystery of the Christian faith is the Holy Trinity: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit	Holy Trinity 94-97, Catholic Tradition 90, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 91, Activity 92, Diagram on 97, Catholic Faith Words 96, Go to the Source 96, Our Catholic Life 100, Reflect on the Trinity 101, Chapter Review 102, In Summary 99
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		Song, The Baptism of Jesus – lyrics and music found at aliveinchrist.osv.com OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – John 1:1-5, 8-12/Video- found at aliveinchrist.osv.com God the Holy Spirit 118-119, 122-123, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 115, Scripture 118, Catholic Faith Words 118, List 121, Explain 123, Our Catholic Life 124, Prayer Ritual 125, In Summary 123, Chapter Review 126, We Believe 366
K.7.6.1	Describe the Trinity as a complete unity without confusing the Persons or dividing the substance of God	8, 94-97, Catholic Tradition 90, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 91, Activity 92, Diagram on 97, Catholic Faith Words 8, 96, Go to the Source 96, Our Catholic Life 100, Reflect on the Trinity 101, Chapter Review 102, In Summary 99 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – What is the Trinity? /Video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
K.7.6.2	List the following characteristics of God: eternal, omniscient, omnipotent, and omnipresent	The Attributes of God and Gold Star Activity 59
K.7.6.3	State understanding that although God is named Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, God transcends the human distinction between the sexes, He is neither man nor woman: He is God	Refer to K.7.6

K.7.6.4	Explain the meaning of "Paraclete" as a title for the Holy Spirit	The catechist should include this title when presenting 118-119, 122-123, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 115, Scripture 118, Catholic Faith Words 118, List 121, Explain 123, Our Catholic Life 124, Prayer Ritual 125, In Summary 123, Chapter Review 126, We Believe 366
K.7.7	Articulate that our Salvation is connected to the saving work of Jesus Christ through His life, passion, death, and resurrection.	38-39 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought38 Jesus brings New Life 162 Jesus Continues to Save 163 Catholic Faith Words 162 In Summary 163
K.7.7.1	Describe the three aspects of Jesus' saving ministry: priest (celebrating the sacred mysteries), prophet (proclaiming God's Word in the midst of this world), and king (serving the people, especially the poor and suffering)	Priest 38-39 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought38 Jesus brings New Life 162 Jesus Continues to Save 163 Catholic Faith Words 162 In Summary 163 Prophet Chapter 7: The Way
		Chapter 8: Model of Wisdom King Chapter 7: The Way Chapter 8: Model of Wisdom Chapter 9: Christ Our Savior
K.7.7.2	Define miracles as signs of salvation, worked by Jesus that manifest that the Kingdom is present in Him CHOR STANDARD 2: KNOWLEDGE OF SACRAI	Signs of God's Power and Live 110-111 Catholic Faith Words 110 Discussion Questions 110 In Summary 3 rd bullet 111 Diagram and Gold Star Activity 111

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SL.7.1	Explain sacraments as visible signs of God's grace and actions of the Holy Spirit at work in the Church	254- 255 Catholic Tradition and Big Question 250 Activity 252 Solve 255 Catholic Faith Words 255 Identify 257 In Summary 259 We Worship 370-371 Song, <i>The Seven Sacraments</i> -lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.1.1	Explain that the Eucharist calls each communicant to a greater love of God and neighbor as we share in the saving effects of the crucifixion and resurrection of Christ	270-271 Catholic Faith Words 270 Effects of Eucharist 271 In Summary 271 We Worship 370 Song, <i>Take This and Eat-</i> lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.1.2	Explain why Reconciliation is called the sacrament of conversion, because the penitent takes the first step in returning to the Father after straying through sin	256, 278-281 Go to the Source 281 Create 281 Sacrament of Reconciliation 280 Catholic Faith Words 256, 279, 280 Describe 279 Scripture 278 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 275 Catholic Tradition 250 Activity 252, 276, 277 Identify 257 In Summary 283 Our Catholic Life 284 We Worship 370 Song, The Prodigal Son-lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.1.3	State the belief that the Church has the power to forgive sins through the sacraments in a	Baptism The Effects of Baptism 267

	particular way through Baptism: all sin and temporal punishment, Reconciliation: all sin,	Reconciliation 278-279
	Anointing of the Sick: all sin, and Eucharist: all venial sin	Anointing of the Sick 282-283 Eucharist The Effects of Eucharist
SL.7.1.4	Describe how Christians participate in the priesthood of Christ, especially through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Orders	Sacrament of Baptism 160, 198-199, 266-267 Fill in the Blanks 267 Effects of Baptism 267 Go to the source 266 Catholic Faith Words 199 In Summary 271 We Worship 370 Song, The Baptism of Jesus - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Sacrament of Confirmation 268-269 Catholic Faith Words 269 Effects of Confirmation 268 Catholics Today 269 Our Catholic Life 272 In Summary 271 We Worship 370 Songs, Walk with Your God and The Holy Spirit- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Sacrament of Holy Orders 256, 258, 296-297 Catholic Tradition 290 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 291 Getting Started 252, 292 Write and Reflect 293 Getting Started 250 Catholic Tradition 250 Catholic Faith Words 257
		Identify 257 We Worship 370 We Live 380 We Believe 368

		Song, Come and Follow Me-lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.1.5	Discuss the Baptism of all Christians as a sign of communion	160, 198-199, 266-267 Fill in the Blanks 267 Effects of Baptism 267 Go to the source 266 Catholic Faith Words 199 In Summary 271 We Worship 370 Song, The Baptism of Jesus - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.1.6	Describe the Sacrament of Confirmation: the symbols, rites, and ministers, especially the elements of laying on of hands and sealing with sacred chrism	268-269 Catholic Faith Words 269 Effects of Confirmation 268 Catholics Today 269 Our Catholic Life 272 In Summary 271 We Worship 370 Songs, Walk with Your God and The Holy Spirit- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.2	Recognize that every baptized person is called to lead a chaste life, regardless of one's vocation/state in life	240-241, Modesty and Chastity 240
SL.7.2.1	Analyze what is needed to live a chaste lifestyle and differentiate between abstinence, chastity, and celibacy	Show the difference when presenting 299
SL.7.2.2	Connect how one's moral decisions positively or negatively affect their human sexuality	Sexuality 240-241, Modesty and Chastity 240 TAKE NOTE: Because various Archdioceses and Dioceses treat human sexuality guidelines differently, Alive in Christ does not systematically and intentionally address human sexuality and family life catechesis Decision Making 214-219 Scripture followed by have you ever thought211

		Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 210 Freedom and Responsibility 212 Everyone's Doing it 213 Identify and Plan 36 Catholic Faith Words 215 Scripture 214 Name and Discuss 215 Discussion Questions 217, 218 Think and Write 217 Steps in Making a Moral Decision 219 In Summary 219 Our Catholic Life 220
SL.7.2.3	Identify masculine and feminine aspects of human sexuality, noting their differences and complementarity	Catechist can discuss this standard when presenting p. 56, 226, 240
SL.7.2.4	Define sexual attraction as part of God's plan to bring about the purposes of marriage: unity of the spouses and procreation of children	240-241, 299 We Worship Matrimony 370
SL.7.3	Define rites as being prescribed actions of the Church	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum this standard was presented in Grades 5 & 6 and will be revisited in Grade 8 on 254-255
LITURGY		Seasonal Lessons Chapter 17: Sacraments of Initiation Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe and We Worship
Standard	Standard Description	
SL.7.4	Describe why every Catholic has the obligation to attend Mass on all Sundays and holy days of obligation	We Believe 368, We Live 372, 373
SL.7.4.1	Indicate how Catholics are called to participate in liturgical ministries and parish life	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum <i>the</i> liturgical ministries were presented in Grades 2-6; however, the catechist should revisit it when presenting- 251-259, 270-271, 295-296, We Worship 370-371 Also remind students of these

		chart, Lay People share in Jesus'
SL.7.4.2	Explain that in the Eucharistic celebration, Christ is present in His Church, in the person of the priest, through the ministry of the priest, the Word proclaimed, and especially in the Eucharistic species	Mission, 297. 270-271 Catholic Faith Words 270 Effects of Eucharist 271 In Summary 271 We Worship 370 Song, <i>Take This and Eat</i> -lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
SL.7.4.3	Describe that only validly ordained priests can preside at the Eucharist and consecrate the bread and the wine so that they become the Body and Blood of the Lord	258-259, 270-271 In Summary 259, 271, We Worship 370-371
SL.7.4.4	Name all of the holy days of obligation in the United States: Jan. 1: Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, Feast of the Ascension (40 days after Easter), Aug. 15: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Nov. 1: All Saints' Day, Dec. 8: Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Dec. 25: Christmas	We Worship: Holy Days of Obligation 372 Also refer to aliveinchrist.osv.com On-Line Seasonal lessons in every grade that developed in detail each of the Holy Days of Obligation.
SL.7.4.5	Identify Scripture readings for Sundays in the liturgical year and trace the life of Christ through these readings	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, the Lectionary was presented in Grades 2,3, and Grade 5. In Grade 7 refer to the following: Liturgical Year 18-49 We Believe 369 We Worship 372 Sunday Readings Refer to aliveinchrist.osv.com for the Sunday readings and the questions for reflection.
SL.7.5	Describe the funeral Mass as a liturgy of blessing for the departed and commendation to God of the deceased person by the Church	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum the funeral Mass was presented in Gr. 5; however, the catechist should revisit it when presenting- 315, 318-319, Activity 317
	ANCHOR STANDARD 3: MORAL FO	
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		Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
Standard	Standard Description	
M.7.1	Identify the 5 precepts of the Church 1. To attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation and resting from servile works 2. To observe the days of abstinence and fasting 3. To confess our sins to a priest, at least once a year 4. To receive Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist at least once a year during the Easter Season 5. To contribute to the support of the Church	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, The Precepts of the Church were presented in: Grade 6 Chapter 13 Grade 5 Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live Chapter 4 Chapter 12; and reviewed in Grade 7 on Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live 373
M.7.2	Recognize that God inscribes the natural law in our hearts so that we can differentiate good from bad in our actions	82-83, Catholic Faith Words 83, In Summary 83, Catholic Tradition 50, We Live 373
M.7.2.1	Explain that moral actions can be evaluated as good or bad in so far as they bring us closer to or further away from God	All of Chapter 13: Freedom and Responsibility
M.7.2.2	Recognize that the deadly sins weaken our ability to choose what is good and list them as pride, avarice, envy, anger, gluttony, lust, and sloth	Vices and Virtues 219 Keys to Excellence 242
M.7.3	Describe that Catholic morality is founded upon the dignity of the human person which finds its origin in creation and the Incarnation of Jesus Christ	Scripture followed by Have you ever thought223 Discussion Question 227, 229 Identify 229 Catholic Faith Words 229 Go to the Source 226, 228 Think 231 List 227, 232 Our Catholic Tradition 210 Our Catholic Life 232 In Summary 231 We Live 378, 379 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith – Life and Dignity of the Human Person 334-335 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – Sand Art: Your Face Is Like a Rose - at aliveinchrist.osv.com

M.7.3.1	Explain that Jesus Christ teaches us how to live through His words and deeds particularly through the Beatitudes	Catholic Tradition and the Big Question130 Catholic Faith Words 149, 150 Name 149 Where It Happened 148 Go to the Source 148, 150 Write 151 In Summary 151 Chapter Review 154 We Live 374 Song, The Beatitudes - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – The Beatitudes- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
M.7.4	Differentiate between original sin, personal sin, and social sin	Original Sin - 82, 130, 158- 159, 160, 198, 199, 267, Reflect 159, In Summary 163 Catholic Faith Words 158, We Live 376; Personal Sin- 158-159, Catholic Faith Words 158, We Live 376; Social Sin- Because of Alive in Christ's unique spiral approach to curriculum Social Sin was presented in Gr. 5 & 6. The catechist should revisit it when presenting Chapter 20, Catholic Social Teachings Live Your Faith 334-346, We Live 377
M.7.5	Discuss poverty, chastity, and obedience as guiding rules for every Christian	We Live 381 The Vows 299
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M.7.6.2	Identify conscience as a judgment of reason that allows us to evaluate the moral quality of an action	Refer to M.7.6
M.7.6.3	Describe how the Theological and Cardinal Virtues are utilized in moral decision making	Cardinal Virtues 219, 240-241, Cardinal Virtues 241, Activity 236, 237, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought235, In Summary 243 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 210, We Live 375, 377;
		Theological Virtues 40, 95, 210, 238-239, 243, 244, 319, Activity 236, 237, Catholic Faith Words 239, In Summary 243, Our Catholic Life 345, We Live 375
M.7.6.4	Show how the Beatitudes provide the foundation for understanding the moral teaching of Jesus	148-151 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question130 Catholic Faith Words 149, 150 Name 149 Where It Happened 148 Go to the Source 148, 150 Write 151 In Summary 151 Chapter Review 154 We Live 374 Song, The Beatitudes - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
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M.7.6.5	Identify the two greatest commandments	Jesus, the New Law 83 We Live: The Great Commandment 373

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M.7.6.6	Explain how the 10 Commandments are a guide for forming one's conscience and moral decision making	82-83 Catholic Faith Words 83 Discussion Question 83 Write 83 We Live: The Ten Commandments 373
	ANCHOR STANDARD 4: PRAYING WIT	TH CHRIST (P)
PRAYER		Chapter 2: The Word of God in Scripture Chapter 6: Holy Spirit, Comforter and Guide Chapter 10: Disciples in Community Chapter 12: Source of Life Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Pray
Standard	Standard Description	
P.7.1	Explain how prayer provides a deepening awareness and living of our covenant relationship with God	4, 5, 69, 70-71, 100, 122-123, 124,178-179, 202-203, 281, 295-296, Catholic Tradition 290, Our Catholic Life 152, 180, In Summary 71, 179, 203, 219, 299, 311, Schools of Prayer 179, We Pray 382-390
P.7.1.1	State steps you can take to develop a relationship with the Lord.	Refer to P.7.1
P.7.1.2	Explain authentic prayer/devotions as essential to living a Christian life	Types/ Forms of Prayer Litany 113, 181, 390 Intercession 181, 301 We Pray 382 Psalm 23, 285, 325 Also, every opening prayer ritual contains a psalm Traditions The catechist should discuss Church Traditions and Church Customs when presenting 18-49, We Worship 372 Ways of Praying See the prayer rituals found in the Seasonal lessons in the front of the student's text

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P.7.1.3	Describe the various forms and styles of meditation	Lectio Divina A modified Lection Divina has been practiced since grade 1 in the Invite step and was doctrinally presented in grade 4. See Scripture as part of Let Us Pray at beginning of each chapter. Refer to the Prayer at end of chapter - pages 11, 61, 193, 261, 325 Also see the closing prayer in each chapter

		Meditation 101, In addition, refer to the Opening Prayer experiences in each lesson where the catechist is directed to ask, "What did you hear God say to you today?" Examples in text: Write 40 Read and Discuss 69 Research 72 Reflect 93 Reflect on the Trinity 101 Contemplation- 180
P.7.1.4	Describe how God offers grace and strength to those who pray	35, 36, 98, 99, 139, 200, 250, 254, 266, 268, 283, Catholic Faith Words 98 Our Catholic Life 260 We Live 376 Songs, Alive in Christ and Healing Grace - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
P.7.2	Outline the steps for Lectio Divina and participate in this way of praying with Scripture	Lectio Divina A modified Lection Divina has been practiced since grade 1 in the Invite step and was doctrinally presented in grade 4. See Scripture as part of Let Us Pray at beginning of each chapter. Refer to the Prayer at end of chapter - pages 11, 61, 193, 261, 325 Also see the closing prayer in each chapter
P.7.3	Explain the seven petitions of the Our Father as outlined in the Catechism of the Catholic Church	Describe 81
P.7.3.1	Acknowledge that we are drawn closer to God through the Lord's Prayer	80-81, 202 Describe 81, We Believe 366, We Pray 382, 383;

		CD Our Family Prayer: The Lord's Prayer- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
P.7.3.2	Identify where the Lord's Prayer is found in Sacred Scripture	Describe 81
MARY AND	THE SAINTS	Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
Standard	Standard Description	
P.7.4	Explain how Mary and the Saints exemplify the work of evangelization and how we celebrate them in the Liturgical year	Mary 6, 27-28, 31-32, 108-109 Go to the Source 109 Catholic Faith Words 109 Identify and Design 109 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought26, 30 An Adoration Prayer 29 A Marian Prayer 33 In Summary 111 We Believe 366, 367, 369 We Worship 372 Song, Mary's Song of Praise – lyrics and music at
		Saints 120-121, 200 Catholic Faith Words 121 We Believe 369 Also refer to the People of Faith found at the end of each lesson or for additional information on the Saints at aliveinchrist.osv.com Liturgical Year 18-49 We Believe 372
P.7.4.1	Describe how feasts of Mary and the Saints are incorporated into the liturgical cycle	Same as P.7.4
P.7.4.2	Discuss the lives of the St. Isaac Jogues, St. Therese of Lisieux, Mother Cabrini, and others that lived a missionary vocation	St. Isaac Jogues Presented in Grade 3 St. Therese of Lisieux, Presented in Grade 1 and 2 Mother Cabrini
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		Presented in Grade 1 and Grade 6
		Others that lived a missionary vocation
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		St Matthew 72
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		St Theodore Guerin 180
		St Martin Tours 232 or refer to aliveinchrist.osv.com
		for additional saints that lived a
		missionary vocation.
P.7.5	Recognize that the Church names Mary as	We Believe: Column 1 last
	Mother of God and Mother of the Church	paragraph 369
P.7.6	Demonstrate the Biblical basis for the Hail	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique
	Mary	spiral approach to curriculum the
		Biblical basis for the Hail Mary was
		presented in Gr 3 – 74; Gr4- 15
		and Gr 5- 178; however, the catechist may revisit it when
		presenting We Pray 384
		processing trees any con-
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C.7.1.2	Identify the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and the Fruits of the Holy Spirit as signs of living in the life of Christ	Gifts of the Holy Spirit 269 Catholic Faith Words 269 Identify 269 Our Catholic Life and Discussion Question 272 In Summary 271 We Live 375
		Fruits of the Spirit 20, 24, 28, 32, 36, 40,44, 48 Explain 123 We Live 375
C.7.1.3	Identify the Church as People of God, Body of Christ, and Temple of the Holy Spirit	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum the Church as People of God, Body of Christ, and Temple of the Holy Spirit was presented in Grades 4, 5 and 6; however, the catechist may wish to review the terms and their meaning when presenting 174-177, 187-189, 198-199, 200-203 Catholic Faith Words 177, 200 Compare and Contrast 189 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 170 In Summary 179, 191, 203

C.7.1.4	Show understanding that all those living and faithfully departed, together form the Communion of Saints in the Church	Scripture 188, 201 We Believe 368 Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum the term and definition of Communion of Saints was presented in Grades 3 & 5, the catechist should revisit this teaching when presenting 120- 121,
C.7.1.5	Identify how Catholics may enculturate their faith through music, art, language, and celebration in light of their culture and way of life	We Believe 369 188-191 Discussion Question 190 List 191 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought183 Getting Started Gifts and Talents 184 Describe 185 Identify 193 List 191 Discussion Questions 190 In Summary 191 Our Catholic Life 192 We Live 378, 379
		Song Somos el Cuerpo de Cristo/We Are the Body of Christ - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 — John 1: 1-5; 8-12 (the languages of the Church) - at aliveinchrist.osv.com
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Standard	Standard Description	176 177 196 197
C.7.2	Explain that the Pope is the sign and instrument of Christian unity and the visible head of the Catholic Church throughout the world	176-177, 186-187, Catholic Faith Words 177, We Believe 368 Song <i>Upon This Rock</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com

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C.7.3	Explain that the Church is the universal sacrament of salvation	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum the Church as the universal sacrament of salvation of was presented in Grade 6, the catechist should revisit this teaching when presenting 174-177, 187-189, 198-199, 200-203 Catholic Faith Words 177, 200 Compare and Contrast 189 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 170 In Summary 179, 191, 203 Scripture 188, 201 We Believe 368
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Standard	Standard Description	
CS.7.1	Explain with examples how the principles of Catholic Social Teaching inform and critique personal and societal situations	All of Chapter 20- Act with Justice and the Catholic Social Teaching Lessons Live Your Faith 334-347 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – Words of Jesus: Catholic Social Teaching/video at aliveinchrist.osv.com
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CS.7.1.1	Explain that human rights and responsibilities are based on the equality of all persons, resting on their dignity as human persons, created in the image and likeness of God	56-57, 226-231 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought223 Discussion Question 227, 229 Identify 229 Catholic Faith Words 229 Go to the Source 226, 228 Think 231 List 227, 232 Our Catholic Tradition 210 Our Catholic Life 232 In Summary 231 We Live 378, 379 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith – Life and Dignity of the Human Person 334-335 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 7 – Sand Art: Your Face Is Like a Rose - at aliveinchrist.osv.com
CS.7.1.2	Define "common good" as the sum total of conditions which allow people as groups or individuals, to reach fulfillment more easily	Because of Alive in Christ's unique spiral approach to curriculum the common good was presented in Gr. 4 & 5 and expanded in Grade 7 in Chapter 20- Act with Justice, Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith

CS.7.1.3	Explain work as an expression of human	Rights and Responsibilities of the Human Person 338- 339, We Live 379 We Live Catholic Social Teaching
	dignity and participation in God's plan for human flourishing	379 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith: Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers 342-342
CS.7.2	Recognize the inherent dignity of and respect for human life in all its stages, from conception until natural death	56-57, 226-231 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought223 Discussion Question 227, 229 Identify 229 Catholic Faith Words 229 Go to the Source 226, 228 Think 231 List 227, 232 Our Catholic Tradition 210 Our Catholic Life 232 In Summary 231 We Live 378, 379 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith – Life and Dignity of the Human Person 334-335
CS.7.2.1	State that abortion is a grave matter, because it involves taking the life of an innocent human being	226-229 Catholic Faith Words 228
CS.7.2.2	State how natural law expresses the dignity of the person and is the basis for fundamental rights and duties	82-83, 217, Catholic Faith Words 83 We Live – The Law 373
	ATION AND DISCIPLESHIP	Chapter 10: Disciples in Community Chapter 12: Source of Life Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
Standard	Standard Description	
CS.7.3	Show an understanding that Christian discipleship requires following Jesus Christ as the way, the truth, and the life	138-139, 148-151, 226-231, 238- 243, 306-311 Scripture 308 Go to the Source 148, 150, 226, 238, 310

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CS.7.3.1	Explain the importance of personal witness and testimony in evangelization	Live the Good News 197 Identify 201 Text 204
CS.7.3.2	Identify that in Mt. 28:20, Christ is asking us as disciples to follow Him when He said: "Teach	Go to the Source 94 Help from Heaven 95

	them to observe all that I have commanded you."	Scripture 201 94-95, 138-139, 306-311 Discuss and decide 139 Scripture 201 Discussion Questions 201 Go to the Source 94 Discuss and Decide 139 Catholic Faith Words 139 Our Catholic Life 140 Examine 140 In Summary 139, 203, 311
CS.7.3.3	Recognize that the Church is missionary by nature: which includes catechesis, evangelization, and integral human development as a matter of justice	We Believe 368 174-178, 191, 201, 323, Scripture 201, Catholic Faith Words 177, Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 170, We Believe 368 See Grade 7 Church History
CS.7.3.4	Cite examples of how Jesus sent His disciples	Timeline 348-363 (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner) A Community of Believers 176
03.7.3.4	out to evangelize	In Summary 179
CS.7.3.5	State how the Gospel of Matthew views the conditions of discipleship	The Way to Live 138-139 Jesus' Example – 138 Catholic Faith Words 139 In Summary 2 nd bullet 111 Our Catholic Life 140 Examine 140
CS.7.3.6	State how Jesus challenges His disciples to be salt and light	Same as above
CS.7.3.7	Show awareness that at the end of time, Christ will return and we will be held accountable for how we helped build the Kingdom of God	318-321 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought315 Getting Started 317 Catholic Faith Words 321 Scripture 318, 321 In Summary 323 Our Catholic Life 324

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		Song, The New Jerusalem – music and lyrics at aliveinchrist.osv.com
CS.7.4	Explain that Catholics are called to work and pray for unity in the Church because Jesus prayed "that they all may be one"	Include this point when presenting 186-191 Go to the Source 187 Explain 187 Discussion Questions 186 Compare and Contrast 189 Catholic Faith Word 188 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought183 In Summary 191 We Believe 368
CS.7.4.1	List the Lutheran, Episcopal, Baptist, and Methodist churches as some of the churches who separated from the Catholic Church at the time of the Protestant Reformation	Add this point to 188 when presenting 186-189
CS.7.4.2	Explain that Catholics respect the elements of sanctification present in other separated Christian traditions, namely baptism in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit	Add this point to 188 when presenting 186-189
CS.7.5	State that evangelization involves the good stewardship of our God-given gifts of time, talent and treasure which witness to the world	200-202 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought195 Catholic Faith Words 200 Scripture and Discussion Question 201 Getting Started196 List 197
CS.7.5.1	Identify the gifts that you have received and describe what it means to be a good steward of these gifts in your family	The teacher should apply the lesson on gifts and talents to the family 186- 191, 294-295, 323 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought183, Scripture & Go to the Source 187, 294, Explain 187, Discussion Question 190 List 191 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought183 Getting Started Gifts and Talents 184

CS.7.5.2	State that Scripture and Tradition teach us the importance of stewardship in our lives	Describe 185 In Summary 191 Our Catholic Life 192 We Live 378, 379 Refer to the following Scripture- 131, 138, 149, 150, 183, 188, 211, 214, 217, 223, 228, 235, 238, 303, 308, 310, and the scripture part of the Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith lessons 334-347 Chapter 19: Called by God
		Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
CS.7.6	Standard Description Identify the practices of personal prayer and discernment, and a generous response to God's plan for our lives	296 Catholic Faith Words 297 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 290 Scripture followed by Have You Ever Thought291 Getting Started and Gold Star Activity 292 Write and Reflect 293 In Summary 1st bullet 299
CS.7.6.1	State that the call to religious life in the Church is identified in two forms: active and contemplative	Add this point to the discussion of religious life on 298-299
CS.7.6.2	Describe how apostolic religious orders provided teachers and catechists for parishes in the United States for over 150 years	296-299, We Live 380-381, This will be explored in depth in the Church History Timeline in Grade 8
CS.7.6.3	Examine a variety of Christian vocations as a response to the baptismal call	296-299 Catholic Tradition and Big Question 290 Scripture followed by Have You Ever Thought291 Lay People Share in Jesus' Mission and activity 297 List 297 In Your Own Words 292 Write and Reflect 293 In Summary 299 Our Catholic Life 300 Identify 300

		We Live 380-381
		Song, Come and Follow Me – lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
CS.7.6.4	Explain that religious life is a special type of discipleship	297-298 Listening to God's Call 298 Catholic Faith Words 298 The Vows 299 In Summary 299
CS.7.7	Describe service as action rooted in and flowing from prayer and give examples of how we can model Jesus' life of service in our relationship with others in our lives	Examples of how we can model Jesus' life of service in our relationship with others in our lives Lay People Share in Jesus' Mission and List 297 List and Identify 28 Brainstorm 48, 111 Define and Describe 239 In Summary 151, 231, 243, 299, 311 Think 231 Describe 185 Design 309 Discuss and Decide 139 Discuss 243 Getting Started 224, 236, 304 Consider 225, 307 Describe and Decide 139 Write 40, 99, 151, 213, 305 Identify 229, 237, 312 Our Catholic Life 140, 231, 244 Examine 140 List 227 What is Justice? 304 We Live 373- 382 Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith lessons 334-347
CS.7.7.1	Understand that Jesus taught us about carrying a cross and living a life of loving service	38-40, 43, 81, 160-163, Catholic Faith Words 162, We Believe 366
CS.7.7.2	Engage in service to the community (i.e. family, parish, local, national, and global) in response to the Gospel call	Use the activities associated with the following:

138-139, 148-151, 226-231, 238-243, 306-311 Scripture 308 Go to the Source 148, 150, 226, 238, 310 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought... 223, 235, 303 Teachings from the Mount 149 Catholic Faith Words 139, 149, 227, 239, 240, 306, 309, 310 Catholic Tradition 130, 210, 290 Lay People Share in Jesus' Mission 297 Define and Describe 239 In Summary 151, 231, 243, 299, 311 Think 231 Design 309 Discuss 243 Getting Started 224, 236, 304 Consider 225, 307 Describe and Decide 139 Write 151, 305 Identify 229, 237 Our Catholic Life 140, 231, 244 Examine 140 We Live 373-382

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Refer to Our Catholic Life where the student is challenged to apply the content of the lesson to everyday life, fostering a life of discipleship and service.

In addition, see the development of the Fruits of the Spirit, related to each Seasonal Lesson- 20, 24, 28, 32, 36, 40, 44 and 48. The Fruits are the exercise of a life of discipleship.

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CS.7.7.3	Articulate how service is an essential element of discipleship	178-179, Our Catholic Life 180, In Summary 179
CS.7.7.4	Identify those in need within communities and provide appropriate service to help them	Refer to CS.7.7.2 and use: We Live 379 and the Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith lessons 334-347
CS.7.8	Describe how both the vocations of Marriage and Holy Orders are important to the life of the Church as they are sacraments of the service of communion and mission	Sacraments of the Service of Communion and Mission Sacrament of Holy Orders 256, 258, 296-297 Catholic Tradition 290 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 291 Getting Started 252, 292 Write and Reflect 293 Getting Started 252 Catholic Tradition 250 Catholic Faith Words 257 Identify 257 We Worship 370 We Live 380 We Believe 368 Song, Come and Follow Me- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com Sacrament of Matrimony 256, 258, 294-297 Catholic Tradition 290 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 291 Getting Started 252, 292 Write and Reflect 293 Catholic Tradition 250 Catholic Faith Words 257 Identify 257 We Worship 370 We Live 380 Song, Come and Follow Me- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
CS.7.8.1	Describe the validity of the Sacrament of Matrimony under the following conditions:	256, 258, 294-297 Catholic Tradition 290

	baptized man and woman, free consent, intention to fulfill contract for good of spouses, openness to children, and life-long commitment	Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 291 Getting Started 252, 292 Write and Reflect 293 Catholic Tradition 250 Catholic Faith Words 257 Identify 257 We Worship 370 We Live 380
CS.7.8.2	Recognize the spouses as the ministers of the Sacrament of Matrimony through the expression of their marriage vows	256, 294-295, Identify 257, Catholic Faith Words 257, In Summary 299, We Worship 370, We Live 380
CS.7.8.3	Describe the validity of the Sacrament of Holy Orders for men who are baptized, prepared through seminary education, and called by their bishop to be ordained	256, 258, 296-297 Catholic Tradition 290 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 291 Getting Started 252, 292 Write and Reflect 293 Getting Started 252 Catholic Tradition 250 Catholic Faith Words 257 Identify 257 We Worship 370 We Live 380 We Believe 368
CS.7.8.4	Identify and describe the three ranks of Holy Orders: episcopate, presbyterate, and diaconate	254-257, Catholic Faith Words 257, Identify 257, Activity 252 We Believe 368, We Worship 370, We Live 380,
CS.7.8.5	Identify the priesthood as an apostolic call that comes from Jesus Christ, commissioning the apostles to continue to do the work of the Church	171, 174-177, In Summary 179, Scripture and Go to the Source 174 Catholic Tradition 170
THEOLOGY	ANCHOR STANDARD 7 – THEOLOGY OF OF THE BODY	Chapter 1: The Mystery of God
		Chapter 9: Christ Our Savior

	Chapter 13: Freedom and Responsibility Chapter 14: Respecting Life 223 Chapter 15: Being Virtuous Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live

TAKE NOTE: Because various Archdioceses and Dioceses treat human sexuality guidelines differently, *Alive in Christ* does not systematically and intentionally address human sexuality and family life catechesis.

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TOB.7.1	Explain that original sin happened because man distrusted and disobeyed God	82, 130, 158-159, 160, 198, 199, 267, Reflect 159, In Summary 163 Catholic Faith Words 158, We Live 376
TOB.7.1.1	Explain that the book of Genesis uses figurative language, but affirms a primeval event, a deed that took place at the beginning of the history of man	The catechist should remind the children of the figurative language of Genesis that expresses God's truth. In addition, use the following: Seeing God in the Works of Creation 54 Discussion Questions 54 Scripture and Go to the Source 54 Reflect 55 In Summary 59 Celebration of the Word 61
TOB.7.1.2	Explain that the Devil lied to Adam and Eve about God's good intentions	The catechist should incorporate this standard when presenting 82, 130, 158-159, 160, 198, 199, 267, Reflect 159, In Summary 163 Catholic Faith Words 158, We Live 376
TOB.7.1.3	Explain that as a result of original sin, we each experience concupiscence	The catechist should introduce this term on p. 158 and use the following: 34, 36, 82, 130, 158-159, 160, 198, 199, 267, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought34 Identify and Plan 36 Prayer of Petition 37 Reflect 159,

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		In Summary 163 Catholic Faith Words 158, We Live 376
TOB.7.1.4	Describe actions you can take in response to concupiscence, to bring your emotions and desires into harmony with what is truly good for you	34, 214-219, 238- 243 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought34, 211, 235 Identify and Plan 36 Identify 244 Identify- Holy Habits 237 Scripture and Go to the Source 238 Prayer of Petition 37 Write -Everyone's Doing it! 211 In Summary 219, 243 Our Catholic Life 220, 245 The Cardinal Virtues 241 Name and Explain 241 Practice 220 Getting Started and *activity 236 We Live 376-377
TOB.7.2	Explain "historical man" and the "redemption of the body"	Alive in Christ does not use this exact language; however, the catechist may incorporate this point when presenting the following: Historical Man 54-59 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 51 Seeing God in the Works of Creation 54 Discussion Questions 54 Identify 53 Scripture and Go to the Source 54 Reflect 55 In Summary 59 Celebration of the Word 61 Redemption of the Body 94-99, 106-107, 111, 160-163 Our Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 90

		Scripture followed by Have you ever thought91, 103, 155 Go to the source 96 Help from Heaven 95 Discussion Questions 97 Catholic Faith Words 162 Scripture 160 The Trinity Diagram and * activity 97 The Two natures of Jesus Christ 111 Describe 112 In Summary 99, 111, 163
TOB.7.3	Explain the difference between rightly ordered desire, given by God and disordered desire	214-219, especially p. 217. Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 210 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought211 Getting Started and * activity 212 Write 213 Think and Write 217 Steps in Making a Moral Decision 219 In Summary 219 We Live 373-379
TOB.7.4	State that self-mastery is needed for a person to make a gift of himself to the other	214-219 Vices and Virtues 219 Focusing on Self- Control 36 Identify and Plan 36 We Live 377
TOB.7.5	State that "life according to the Spirit" and following the law of God leads to true freedom and happiness	136, 138-139, 148-151 Catholic Tradition and the Big Question 130 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought131 Write 133, 151 Scripture and Go to the Source 136 Jesus Example 138 Discuss and Describe 139 Catholic Faith Words 139, 149, 150 Discussion Questions 149 Teachings from the Mount 149 Our Catholic Life 140 Examine 140

		In Summary 139, 151 We Live 373- 379
TOB.7.6	Explain the "spousal meaning of the body" and why the male/female difference is fruitful and good	Alive in Christ does not use this exact language; however, the catechist may incorporate this point when presenting: 54-59, 230, Modesty and Chastity 240-241 Sacred Gift from God 226 Scripture 226 Catholic Faith Words 57, 227

NOTES

	Alive in Christ
GRADE 8	Parish Student Edition
Exiting Skills: At the end of 8 th grade students will be able to:	
Summarize the events in the Acts of Apostles, including the beginning of the Church	Grade 7 Catholic Church History Timeline 348-349 (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner) All of Chapter 10: The Church is Apostolic
Connect the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation	Baptism 23, 47, 55, 90, 98, 107, 159, 161,
	198, 202. 254, 269 We Worship: Sacraments of Initiation 370
	Confirmation 47, 121, 161, 254, 269 We Worship: Sacraments of Initiation 370
3. Explain the difference between mortal and venial sins	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, this was presented in every grade since Grade 2; however, the teacher can review and reinforce when presenting We Live: Sin 375
4. Lead varies types of vocal prayer, including Lectio Divina	A modified Lection Divina has been practiced since grade 1 in the Invite step and was doctrinally presented in grades 4-7
	The student is often asked to lead the Seasonal Rituals/Prayer experience and also the Opening and Closing Prayer in each lesson.
5. Explain the influence the Church councils had on the history of the Church	68-69 All of Chapter 21: From Age to Age Grade 7 and 8- Catholic Church History Timeline (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History

		Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)
6. Identify Church	the major events in the history of the Catholic	All of Chapter 21: From Age to Age Grade 7 and 8- Catholic Church History Timeline (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)
7. Explaii	n how the church is 'universal'	All of Chapter 11: The Church is Catholic We Believe: The Marks of the Church 366
8. Descri	be the importance of spousal love	The Promises of Marriage 266-267
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CREED		Chapter 1: In God's Image Chapter 2: Revelation and Faith Chapter 4: The Trinity Made Known Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
Apostles and history is sequ timeline that s personal story journey of the	this section the guidelines deal with the Early Chwriting of the letters. Due to <i>Alive in Christ</i> 's spiral senced throughout grades 7 and 8. Church historits within a timeline of world history. The truth present of the student thus connecting the history of the young disciple. (Expansion of periods of Church be found in on-line lesson planner)	al scope and sequence, Church y is presented in a chronological esented is also situated in the Church to the world and to the faith
Standard	Standard Description	
K.8.1	Articulate understanding that God is holy and	214-217 Catholic Tradition and the Big

K.8.1.1	Show understanding of God as transcendent	Because of Alive in Christ's unique spiral approach to curriculum this was presented in Gr. 7; however, the catechist should revisit the understanding of this standard when presenting- Chapter 2-Revelation and Faith & Chapter 4-The Trinity Made Known. We Believe 364-366
K.8.1.2	Describe how we are attracted to the grandeur and beauty of God as seen in creation	Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith- Care for God's Creation 346-347, We Live 377 Also go to OSVCD- You Tube Grades 1-6 (at aliveinchrist.osv.com) for creation videos to enhance this standard.
K.8.1.3	Show understanding that there is no contradiction between faith and reason	The catechist should add this point to the discussion when presenting 54-55, 66-69, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought63, The Effects of Faith 70, In Summary 71
K.8.1.4	Show how faith helps us face the hardships of suffering, disappointment, and tragedy	66-69, 294, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 63, The Effects of Faith 70, In Summary 71, Catholic Faith Words 68, Our Catholic Life 72
K.8.1.5	Identify the Nicene Creed as a summary of the principal doctrines of the Church	31, 67, 98, 176-177 Catholic Faith Words 176 Where It Happened 177 Our Catholic Life 180 We Believe 365, 366
K.8.2	Identify the relationship between Sacred Tradition and Sacred Scripture as flowing from the same divine source	66-69 Our Catholic Tradition 50 In Summary: 1st bullet 71 Catholic Faith Words 67

K.8.2.1	Distinguish between Tradition as the teaching authority of the Church and tradition as local disciplinary, liturgical, or devotional	The catechist should stress this distinction when presenting 66-69 Our Catholic Tradition 50 In Summary: 1st bullet 71 Catholic Faith Words 67
K.8.2.2	Both Scripture and Tradition must be accepted and honored with equal devotion and reverence	66-69 Our Catholic Tradition 50 In Summary: 1 st bullet 71 Catholic Faith Words 67
K.8.2.3	State that God is the author of Sacred Scriptures, written down under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit	6-7, 66-67
K.8.2.4	Show familiarity with the Acts of the Apostles and the event of Pentecost as the beginning of the Church which continues Christ's mission	Pentecost 43, 46-48, 96-97 Catholics Today 97 Catholic Faith Words 96 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 8 – The Pentecost in 2 minutes-Video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com Acts of the Apostles Grade 7 Catholic Church History Timeline 348-349 (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner) Added Reference Acts of the Apostles Chapters 1-12 deal with the early Church in and around Jerusalem (with the exception of the Church in Antioch, 11:19-30). The book then follows Paul on his missionary travels, ending in Rome. In a little more detail: 1:1—2:13 preparation for the Christian mission 2:14—8:3 ministry/mission in
		Jerusalem 8:4—9:43 ministry/mission in Judea and Samaria 10:1—15:35 the gentile mission begins

		15:36—28:31 Paul takes the message of Jesus "to the ends of the earth"
K.8.3	Describe the preparation period for the mission of Jesus and His disciples, the replacement of Judas, Peter's leadership, Jesus' Ascension, and the role of the Holy Spirit (Acts 1:13-26)	174-175, In Summary 179 and skim Acts 1:6-12, 1:15-26, and 2:14-41
K.8.3.1	Recount the mission of the first witnesses in Jerusalem led by Peter (Acts 2:1-41)	174-175, In Summary 179 and skim Acts 1:6-12, 1:15-26, and 2:14-41
		Added Reference Scripture concerning the early Church 11, 37, 46, 139, 171, 183, 185, 198, 235, 251, 253,
K.8.3.2	State the significance of the story of Stephen in the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 6:8-8:3)	See Who Were They? 139; Grade 7 Church History Timeline page 348, and read Acts 6:8-15, 7:54-60. Stephen was the first Christian martyr, and the first persecution of the early Church began there after (Acts 8:1-30
K.8.3.3	Recount the mission in Judea and Samaria led by Peter and Saul's conversion (Acts 8:4-9:22)	Was presented in Grade 7 Church History Timeline page 348, and read Acts 8:4—9:19 when presenting Chapter 10: The Church is Apostolic
K.8.3.4	Recount the story of Peter's acceptance of Gentiles into baptism (Acts 11:1-18)	Was presented in Grade 7 Church History Timeline page 348, and read Acts 11: 1-18 when presenting Chapter 11: The Church is Catholic
K.8.3.5	Recount the gathering of the Council of Jerusalem and the question about circumcision (Acts 15:1-35)	Grade 7 Church History Timeline Council of Jerusalem and Go to the Source page 348, and read Acts 15.
K.8.3.6	Describe the missionary journeys of St. Paul	When presenting Chapter 9: One in Christ connect the diversity of Church with Paul's missionary journeys and baptism of Gentiles.

		Use a map that traces Paul's journeys. Read selected portion of his letter to various house churches. Also read Acts 15:36—21:26 and list the places Paul visited. Find these places on a map
REVELATIO	ON CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY	Chapter 2: Revelation and Faith Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
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K.8.4	Describe Sacred Scripture as a collection of books written under God's inspiration	2, 4, 5, 6, 66 We Believe 362
K.8.4.1	Identify how the Holy Spirit worked through the human authors to write Sacred Scripture	66-67
K.8.4.2	Discuss how the Church came to identify the canon of Sacred Scriptures	66-67 We Believe: Scripture 362
K.8.4.3	Show understanding that the Magisterium is the authentic interpreter of Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition	4-5, 66-68, 174-179 Catholic Faith Words 5, 67, 175, 176 Teaching from the Apostles 176 Identify 177 Where It Happened 177 In Summary 179 OSVCD- You Tube Grade 8 — Pope Francis: Unbreakable unity of Scripture and Tradition-Video- at aliveinchrist.osv.com
K.8.4.4	State that the inspired books of Sacred Scripture firmly, faithfully, and without error teach that truth which God wished to see represented in the Sacred Scriptures	2, 4, 5, 6, 66-67 We Believe 362
K.8.5	Identify to interpret Scripture correctly, the reader must be attentive to what the human authors truly wanted to affirm and what God wants to reveal to us through their words	We Believe Senses of Scripture 362
K.8.6	Describe how the stories of the early Church help us to understand the beginnings	Scripture concerning the early Church 11, 37, 46, 139, 171, 183, 185, 198, 235, 251, 253,

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		Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe
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K.8.7.1	State that God created us in a state of original holiness and justice	48, 54-56 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought51, We Live 375
K.8.7.2	Explain that in original sin, man preferred himself to God, and therefore went against his own good	48, We Live Sin- 375
K.8.7.3	Explain the effects of original sin as weakening our will, darkening our intellect	48, We Live Sin- 375
K.8.7.4	Recognize that God's permitting evil is a mystery that God helps us to address through His Son, Jesus Christ	The catechist should stress this point when presenting 54-59
K.8.7.5	State that the Incarnation is the mystery of the union of the divine and human natures in the person of Jesus Christ	31, 278 Scripture 31, 94 Reflection on Jesus 153 Discussion questions 31 Prayer experience 33 We Believe 364 Song, <i>The Incarnate One</i> - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
K.8.7.6	State belief that Jesus died for our sins, thus opening the possibility of eternal union with God	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum this was presented in Gr. 5-7; however, the catechist should revisit the understanding of this standard when presenting- 38-45, 54, 70-71, 146-149, 278-279, Catholic Faith Words 148,

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	whole redemptive work of her Son	310,
		In Summary 311,
		Catholic Tradition and the Big
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		and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
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		Basics We Worship
		basics we worship
		Song, The Seven Sacraments-
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		and music found at
		aliveinchrist.osv.com
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SL.8.1.5	Identify that children who have died without baptism are entrusted to the mercy of God and that those who have not yet heard the Gospel, but seek God's will can be saved even if they have not been baptized	The catechist should include these points when presenting 6, 23, 47, 55, 90, 98, 106108, 110, 120-121, 254, In Summary 111, Catholic Faith Words 108, We Worship 370
SL.8.1.6	Recognize confirmation as a Sacrament of Initiation carrying an indelible character sealing the confirmands with the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit	47, 120-121, 161, 200, 254, 269, We Worship 370
SL.8.1.7	State requirements for receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation and its essential elements	47, 120-121, 161, 200, 254, 269, We Worship 370
SL.8.1.8	Explain why the bishop is the ordinary minister of the Sacrament of Confirmation	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum this was presented in Gr. 5; however, the catechist should revisit the understanding of this standard when presenting- 47, 120- 121, 161, 200, 254, 269, We Worship 370
SL.8.1.9	State that in the holy sacrifice of the Mass, the bread and wine become the body, blood, soul, and divinity of Jesus Christ; this change is known as transubstantiation	Because of Alive in Christ's unique spiral approach to curriculum this was presented in Grades 2-6; however, the catechist should revisit the understanding of this standard when presenting- 43, 254, 258- 259, 280-281, Recall 281, We Worship 370 Grade 8 Church History Timeline – The Fourth Ecumenical Lateran council 349, and Go to the document 349

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SL.8.2.1	Explain that the Church professes that the Eucharist is the source and summit of our Christian life	Because of Alive in Christ's unique spiral approach to curriculum the Eucharist was presented in depth in Gr. 1-7: however, the catechist may revisit this topic again when presenting 43, 81, 109, 120, 158, 161, 254, 255, 258, 280-281, 282, 294, 295, Catholic Tradition 250 In Summary 259, 283 We Worship 370, 372

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SL.8.2.2	Articulate that the Mass makes present the	Refer to SL.8.2.1
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	forth to fulfill God's will in our lives	
SL.8.2.3	Articulate that the sacrifice of Jesus at	47, 278, 279
	Calvary, accomplishes our salvation	Our Catholic Tradition and the Big
		Question 250
		In Summary 1 st bullet 283
SL.8.3	Show understanding of public devotions	81, 254-255
	in parish life; especially Eucharistic	The catechist should refer to the
	adoration and benediction	Teacher Edition for more
		information concerning this
		standard.
		Added Reference
		Benediction highlights the
		presence of Christ in the Eucharist
		outside of Mass. The outline of the
		ceremony follows:
		Readings from the Word of God
		• Hymns
		• Prayers
		•Time for silent adoration
		Blessing of the people with the
		Sacred Host
SL.8.4	Explain the signs of the bishop's apostolic	Stress the signs of the bishop's
	ministry: the miter, crosier, pectoral cross,	apostolic ministry when discussing
	and ring	bishops on 199.
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M.8.1.2	Demonstrate the ability to explain the precepts of the Church	35, 112, 256, 257, 259, 260 Catholic Faith Words 256 Precepts of the Church and the Gold Star Activity 257 Identify and List 257 We Live: Precepts of the Church 373
M.8.1.3	Define the new covenant as the grace of the Holy Spirit that works through charity	40, 240, 241, 242 Catholic Faith Words 241 In Summary 243
M.8.1.4	Identify the law of God is taught as a way of life and truth, reminding us of what we should be before Him	58-59, 146, 238-241 In Summary 243 Our Catholic Life 60, 244 Scripture 303 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 235 Activity 236 The Common Good 239 Catholic Faith Words 59, 238 Identify 239 Research 241 Name 243 Catholic Social Teachings 334-347 We Live 376-377 and Discipleship We Live 379 Songs, Serving Each Other and Least of My Brothers - lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
M.8.1.5	Explain the law of the gospel fulfills the commandments of the Law as part of God's plan for human flourishing	Same as above
M.8.1.6	Describe that the theological virtues are the foundation of Christian moral activity; they animate it and give it its special character	70-71 Catholic Faith Words 68, 71 Effects of Faith 71

		In Summary 71 We Live 376
M.8.1.7	Describe that the moral virtues are habitual perfections of intellect that govern our actions, order our passions and guide our conduct according to reason and faith	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, moral virtues were presented in: Grade 2: Chapter 9: Grade 3: Chapter 14 and Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live Grade 4: Chapter 11 and Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live Grade 5: Chapter 6 and Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live Grade 6: Chapter 14 and Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live Grade 7: Chapter 15 and Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live and in Grade 8 Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live and in Grade 8 Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live and in Grade 8
M.8.1.8	Explain that justification establishes the connection between God's grace and our freedom	148-149, Catholic Faith Words 148, Scripture 149, Reflect 149, In Summary 151
M.8.2	State that mortal sin requires full knowledge, sufficient reflection, and full personal consent of the will	148-151 In Summary 151 Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live - 375
M.8.2.1	Identify that each human action is either morally right or wrong and that, as Christians, we are called to judge the action, not the person	238-241 In Summary 243 Our Catholic Life 60, 244 Scripture 303 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 235 Activity 236 The Common Good 239 Catholic Faith Words 59, 238 Identify 239 Research 241 Name 243

M.8.2.2	Explain that mortal sin extinguishes the life of grace within us, turns us away from God, who is our ultimate happiness	Catholic Social Teachings 334-347 We Live 376-377 and Discipleship We Live 379 148-151 In Summary 151 Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics: We Live - 375
M.8.2.3	Recognize that to receive God's mercy and forgiveness, we must admit our sins and be sorry for them	Because of Alive in Christ's unique spiral approach to curriculum this was presented in Gr. 1-7 and expanded in Gr. 8 on 230-231, 254, We Worship 370 Songs, The Prodigal Son and How Many Times, Lord -lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
M.8.2.4	State the conditions for abortion being a grave sin and the need for reconciliation and healing	The catechist should include this standard when presenting 238-241 In Summary 243 Our Catholic Life 60, 244 Scripture 303 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought 235 Activity 236 The Common Good 239 Catholic Faith Words 59, 238 Identify 239 Research 241 Name 243 Catholic Social Teachings 334-347 We Live 376-377 and Discipleship We Live 379
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M.8.3	Explain that God's grace, the virtues, and the Holy Spirit help us with moral decision-making	Moral Decision Making 54, 58-59, 146-151, 214-215, 230-231, 271, Our Catholic Life 60,

		In Summary 59, 151, 231, We Live 372-373
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		Role of the Holy Spirit 118-123, 150-151, 176-177, Our Catholic Life 204 In Summary 151
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M.8.3.1	Examine the meaning of Christ's invitation to deny self and take up the cross and how this is lived out in the moral life	34-36, 38-40
M.8.3.2	Describe free will as the ability to choose the good and how good choices lead to growth and maturity	54-55, 78, 256 Catholic Faith Words 54 In Summary 59 Catholic Tradition 50, We Live 373-375
M.8.3.3	Explain that the conscience makes judgments that help us see the moral quality of an action	230-231, Catholic Faith Words 230, We Live 376
M.8.3.4	Recognize and give examples of acts that are wrong regardless of how good the end or intention	Because of <i>Alive in Christ's</i> unique spiral approach to curriculum this was presented in Gr. 7 however, the catechist should revisit the understanding of this standard when presenting- 216-219, and Chapter 15- Dignity for All
M.8.3.5	Describe how we can habitually know and do what is good with the help of the Theological and Cardinal Virtues	Theological Virtues 70-71 Catholic Faith Words 68, 71 Effects of Faith 71 In Summary 71

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		Cardinal Virtues We Live 376
M.8.3.6	Define the virtue of temperance as that which inclines us to avoid every kind of excess	271, We Live 376
M.8.4	Define grace as the favor, the free and undeserved help that God gives us to respond to His call to become children of God	19, 98, 121, 151, 200, 256-257 Catholic Faith Words 98, 256 We Live 375
		Song, Alive in Christ- lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
M.8.5	Describe sanctifying grace as the grace that perfects the soul itself to enable it to live with God, to act by His love	68, 98, 200, 256-257 Catholic Faith Words 256 We Live 375
	ANCHOR STANDARD 4: PRAYING WI	
PRAYER		Chapter 3: The Church is holy Chapter 13: Honoring God Chapter 16: Worship and Grace Chapter 18: The Liturgical Year The Seasonal lessons Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Worship and We Pray
Standard	Standard Description	
P.8.1	State how the desire for God is written in the human heart because we are created by God and for Him	54-57 In Summary: 2 nd bullet 59
P.8.1.1	Discuss prayerful discernment and the need for openness to God's call in our lives	23, 110-111, 198-202, 228, In Summary 111, 203, Our Catholic Life 204, Offices of Christ 110, Getting Started 196, List and Pray 203 A Prayer for Guidance 205 We Live: Vocations 378
P.8.1.2	Demonstrate the ability to lead a prayer using one or more of the following types of prayer: blessing, petition, intercession, thanksgiving, and praise	Prayer 19, 78, 81-83, 98-99, 107, 254-255, 260, 278-281 282-284, 295-297 Catholic Tradition 50, 250, 290 Prayer and Worship 81 In Summary 83, 259, 283, 299 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought251

		We Pray 380-390
		Ways of Praying See the prayer rituals found in the Seasonal lessons in the front of the student's text We Pray 380 Prayer of Blessing We Pray 380-381 Examples of Prayers of Adoration and Blessings 101, 285 Prayer of Thanksgiving We Pray 380-381 Prayer of Praise We Pray 380-381 Examples of Prayers of Praise 33 Prayer of Petition/Contrition We Pray 380-381 Examples of Prayer of Petition 61, 181, 221, 273 Prayer of Intercession We Pray 380-381
		Examples of Prayer of Intercession 21, 25, 45, 85, 165 193
P.8.1.3	Define Sacramentals as religious objects, pious actions, and blessings that help us grow in holiness and prayer	164, 296, 297, 299 Catholic Faith Words 296 Gold Star Activity 297 Identify and Describe 297 In Summary 299 Our Catholic Life 300
P.8.2	Demonstrate a variety of prayer styles: vocal prayer, meditation, and contemplative prayer	Each session of Alive in Christ opens with modified Scripture reflection for children developing skills for contemplation and meditation See the Prayer Ritual found on 153, 261, 301
		Lectio Divina

		The practice of Lectio Divina has been taught since Grade 4-7 In Grade 8 -66-69 We Believe 362 Refer to the Opening Prayer experiences in each lesson; where the catechist is directed to ask, "What did you hear God in the scripture say to you today?" See also Prayer at end of chapter; see pages 125, 153, 261, 301 Meditation- 153, 261, 301, also refer to the Opening Prayer experiences in each lesson; where the catechist is directed to ask, "What did you hear God say to you today?" Prayer to the Holy Spirit 125 Prayer of Acknowledgement 193 Reflection on the Saints 301 Contemplation- Presented in Gr.
		7; however, the catechist may wish to revisit it when presenting 19, 78, 81-83, 98-99, 107, 254-255, 260, 278-281 282-284, 295-297, Catholic Tradition 50, 250, 290, Prayer and Worship 81, In Summary 83, 259, 283, 299, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought? 251, We Pray 380-390
P.8.2.1	Compose a spontaneous prayer	Write 203, 217, 293, 300 Identify 260 List and Pray 203 Reflect and Write 119 Consider 204
P.8.2.2	Describe specific Catholic devotions like a novena & litany	We Pray 386
P.8.2.3	Demonstrate the prayer form of Lectio Divina	A modified Lectio Divina has been practiced since grade 1 in the Invite step and was doctrinally presented in grades 4-7
P.8.2.4	Demonstrate how and why one participates in the Catholic devotion of Eucharistic adoration	254-255 Added Reference

		Benediction highlights the presence of Christ in the Eucharist outside of Mass. The outline of the ceremony follows: • Readings from the Word of God • Hymns • Prayers • Time for silent adoration • Blessing of the people with the Sacred Host
MARY AND T		Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Believe Chapter 19: The Communion of Saints Seasonal Lesson: Our Lady of Guadalupe
P.8.3	Standard Description Recognize the important role of saints and martyrs in our Church and how they can assist us in our pursuit of holiness through the example of their earthly life and their intercession for us	294- 296, 310-311, 318 Catholic Faith Words 319
P.8.3.1	Define saints as friends of God in heaven, who intercede for us as part of God's plan for salvation	294- 296, 310-311 Catholic Faith Words 294 Catholics Today 295 Catholic Tradition and Big Question 290 List and Discuss 295 In Summary 299 Discuss 311 Our Catholic Life 300 Scripture followed by Have you ever thought? 291 Activity 292, 293 We Believe 369 Also, for more models of Saints, refer to the People of Faith found at the end of each lesson or the on-line resources. (aliveinchrist.osv.com)
P.8.3.2	Describe the canonization process	311 Catholic Faith Words 311 In Summary: 3 rd bullet 311
P.8.3.3	Define a martyr as someone that was killed because of their witness to Christ	318 Catholic Faith Words 319

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P.8.3.4	Identify Elizabeth Ann Seton as the first American born Saint and the patroness of Catholic Schools	Because of Alive in Christ's spiral curriculum, Elizabeth Ann Seton was presented in Grade 3 Chapter 12 (People of Faith) and in Grade 8 Catholic Church History Timeline Mother Elizabeth Seton 358 (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)
P.8.4	Describe these moments in the life of Mary: Annunciation (484, 490), Visitation (717), Assumption (966), and Coronation (1 Pet. 5:4)	19, 32, 70, 79, 282, 297, 298-299, 306-310, In Summary 311, Catholic Tradition and Big Question 290 Activity 304 We Believe 369 We Pray 387
		Song, Mary's Song of Praise-lyrics and music at aliveinchrist.osv.com
	D PRAYER	
P.8.5	Memorize the following prayers and precepts: Theological Virtues, Regina Coeli, Divine Praises, Lectio Divina (knowledge of), Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Litany (knowledge of), Novena (knowledge of)	Theological Virtues 70-71 Catholic Faith Words 68, 71 Effects of Faith 71 In Summary 71 We Live 376
		Regina Coeli, We Pray 383 Divine Praises Usually recited during Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The catechist may include this prayer when presenting: 254-255 Added Reference Benediction highlights the
		presence of Christ in the Eucharist outside of Mass. The outline of the ceremony follows: Readings from the Word of God Hymns

		• Prayers • Time for silent adoration • Blessing of the people with the Sacred Host Lectio Divina (knowledge of) The practice of Lectio Divina has been taught since Grade 4-7 In Grade 8 -66-69 We Believe 362 Refer to the Opening Prayer experiences in each lesson; where the catechist is directed to ask, "What did you hear God in the scripture say to you today?" See also Prayer at end of chapter; see pages 125, 153, 261, 301 Chaplet of Divine Mercy We Pray 390 Litany (knowledge of) 313, We Pray 390
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CHRISTIAN I		Chapter 14: Honoring the Family Chapter 15: The Dignity of All Chapter 17: Faithful Living Our Catholic Tradition Faith Basics We Live
Standard	Standard Description	
C.8.1	Realize that the protection of life and the dignity of every person is rooted in Scripture	Scripture 55, 235, 334
C.8.1.1	State how murder, suicide, and abortion are forbidden by God, because they go against the dignity of life	Because of Alive in Christ's unique approach to curriculum this was presented in Gr. 4 & 5 and expanded in Gr. 8 on 238-241, In Summary 243, Our Catholic Life 244, Scripture followed by Have you ever thought? 235 Activity 236, The Common Good 239, Identify 239,

		Research 241,
		Name 243,
		We Live 377 and Discipleship on 379
		Catholic Social Teaching Live Your Faith
		Life and Dignity of the Human Person 334-335
C.8.1.2	Show understanding that legitimate defense/self-defense is a grave duty for whoever is responsible for the lives of others or the common good	Same as above
C.8.1.3	Articulate that the moment of conception is the beginning of human life	Chapter 15: The Dignity of All
		TAKE NOTE: Because various Archdioceses and Dioceses treat human sexuality guidelines differently, <i>Alive in Christ</i> does not systematically and intentionally address human sexuality and family life catechesis.
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	ue to our spiral scope and sequence, Church hist ven great mysteries of faith: Revelation, Trinity, J	
	Each unit places church history in a chronologic	
of world history	y. The truth presented is also situated in the pers	sonal story of the student thus
	history of the Church to the world and to the fait	
disciple. (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)		
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C.8.3	Recognize that the members of the Church have contributed to the mission of the Church throughout her history	81-82, 108, 318-322 Going through Grades 7 and 8: Church History Timeline the student will discover persons who have contributed to the mission of the Church throughout her history. (Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)
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		(Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)
C.8.4.1	Recognize that the Church's gifts and growth are evident through all periods of history	Grades 7 and 8: Church History Timeline and in Grade 8 refer to Chapter 21- From Age to Age
		(Expansion of periods of Church history marked Church History Timeline can be found in on-line lesson planner)
C.8.4.2	Outline the early period of the Church from 30-313. Include the Apostolic Age, the role of deacons, Roman persecutions, the contributions of the early fathers and Church councils	Origin of the Church at the time of Pentecost. 46-47, 96-97, 186-187 Scripture 46, Catholic Faith Words 96, Refer to Grade 7 Church History Timeline for an account of the origin of the Church pg. 348
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C.8.4.3	Outline the main events of the Church's Age of Expansion from 313-700. Include the Edict of Toleration, the organization of the Church after the persecutions, the ecumenical councils, the expansion of the Church across Europe, and the growth of monasticism	In Grade 8 refer to 318-320 and also Grade 7 Church History Timeline pages 353-358
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