

## GRADE 2 – ST. MARY FAITH COMMUNITY CATHOLIC FORMATION

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**General Notes & Reminders for PARENTS:** Please pay special attention to the “notes” section.

If a student is going to be absent, please contact Dolores Sikora, Administrative Assistant to Catholic Formation at 414-425-2174 ext. 247 or SikoraD@stmaryhc.org ~ OR ~ Kecia Freschi, Formation Curriculum Specialist at 414-425-2174 ext. 249 or FreschiK@stmaryhc.org

Class Days & Times: Mondays 6:15 – 7:30 pm; Wednesdays 5:00 – 6:15 pm

**General Notes & Reminders for CATECHISTS:** Please pay special attention to the “notes” section for planning purposes and class information.

**SECOND GRADERS SHOULD LEARN / KNOW THESE PRAYERS: Sign of the Cross, Glory Be, Our Father, Hail Mary, Act of Contrition**

| Mon.   | Wed.               | Chapter(s)                                  | Topic / Lesson   | Notes & Supplemental Materials   |
|--|--------------------|---|--|--|
| Sept. 24   | Sept. 26           | X   | Parent & Child Orientation<br>Classroom Visit  | Parent(s) & Child(ren) Orientation begins in Church at:<br>Monday classes: 6:15 pm / Wednesday classes: 5:00 pm<br>Then Parent(s) & Child(ren) dismissed to find classroom, meet catechist, receive materials. |
| Oct. 1   | Oct. 3             | Chapter 1, page 19<br>Chapter 2, page 27    | Jesus Is the Son of God<br>Jesus Christ Gives Us the Church                                    | October 4 = Feast of St. Francis of Assisi<br>When 2 chapters are assigned, choose the highlights from each.   |
| TUES. OCT. 2 @ 6:30 PM<br>OR WED. OCT. 3 @<br>10:00 AM   |                    | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b>                     | PARENT ORIENTATION/<br>REGISTRATION  |  |
| Oct. 8   | Oct. 10            | Chapter 3, page 35<br>Chapter 4, page 43    | We Celebrate God's Love<br>We Celebrate Baptism  | When 2 chapters are assigned, choose the highlights from each.   |
| Oct. 15  | Oct. 17            | Chapter 8, page 75<br>Chapter 9, page 83    | We Learn About God's Love<br>God Gives Us Laws   | When 2 chapters are assigned, choose the highlights from each.   |
| Oct. 22  | Oct. 24            | Chapter 10, page 91<br>Chapter 11, page 99  | We Follow God's Laws<br>We Prepare for the Sacrament of<br>Forgiveness                         | When 2 chapters are assigned, choose the highlights from each.   |
| <del>Oct. 29</del>                                       | <del>Oct. 31</del> | NO CLASS                                    |  | November 1 = All Saints Day  |
| TUES. OCT. 30 @ 6:30 PM<br>OR WED. OCT. 31 @<br>10:00 AM |                    | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b>                     | PARENT(S) ONLY<br>FIRST RECONCILIATION<br>PREPARATION  |  |
| Nov. 5   | Nov. 7             | Chapter 11, page 99<br>Chapter 12, page 107 | We Prepare for the Sacrament<br>of Forgiveness<br>We Celebrate the Sacrament<br>of Forgiveness | When 2 chapters are assigned, choose the highlights from each.   |
| TUES. NOV. 6 @ 6:30 PM<br>OR SAT. NOV. 10 @<br>10:00 AM  |                    | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b>                     | REVIEW FOR FIRST<br>RECONCILIATION   | CHILD WITH PARENT(S) – IN CHURCH   |
| TUES. NOV. 13 @ 6:30 PM<br>OR WED. NOV. 14 @<br>6:30 PM  |                    | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b>                     | CELEBRATION OF FIRST<br>RECONCILIATION   | NO 2 <sup>ND</sup> GRADE CLASSES THIS WEEK DUE TO CELEBRATION  |
| Nov. 19  | Nov. 21            | NO CLASS                                    | ~ Happy Thanksgiving ~   | November 22 = Thanksgiving Day   |

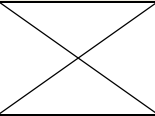
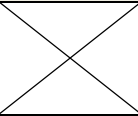
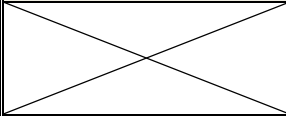
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| Nov. 26   | Nov. 28            | Chapter 13, page 115    | Advent   |   |
| Dec. 3  | Dec. 5             | Chapter 14, page 121    | Christmas                                      | December 2 = First Sunday of Advent   |
| <del>Dec. 10</del>                                    | <del>Dec. 12</del> | NO CLASS                | ~ Happy Advent Season ~                        | December 9 = Second Sunday of Advent  |
| <del>Dec. 17</del>                                    | <del>Dec. 19</del> | NO CLASS                | ~ Happy Advent Season ~                        | December 16 = Third Sunday of Advent  |
| <del>Dec. 24</del>                                    | <del>Dec. 26</del> | NO CLASS                | ~ Merry Christmas ~                            | December 23 = Fourth Sunday of Advent;<br>December 25 = Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord |
| <del>Dec. 31</del>                                    | <del>Jan. 2</del>  | NO CLASS                | ~ Happy New Year ~                             |   |
| <del>Jan. 7</del>                                     | <del>Jan. 9</del>  | NO CLASS                | ~ Happy Epiphany ~                             | January 6 = Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord   |
| Jan. 14   | Jan. 16            | Chapter 22, page 187    | God Calls Us to Love and Serve                 |   |
| Jan. 21   | Jan. 23            | Chapter 26, page 219    | We Show Love and Respect                       |   |
| Jan. 28   | Jan. 30            | Chapter 15, page 131    | Jesus Gives Us the Eucharist                   |   |
| TUES. JAN. 29 @ 6:30 PM<br>OR WED. JAN. 30 @ 10:00 AM |                    | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b> | PARENT ORIENTATION/<br>REGISTRATION            |   |
| Feb. 4  | Feb. 6             | Chapter 16, page 139    | We Gather for the Celebration of the Eucharist | FYI – Safeguarding letter to be mailed to parents this week.                                  |
| Feb. 11   | Feb. 13            | Chapter 17, page 147    | We Celebrate the Liturgy of the Word           |   |
| Feb. 18   | Feb. 20            | Chapter 18, page 155    | We Celebrate the Liturgy of the Eucharist      |   |
| WED. FEB. 19 @ 6:30 PM<br>OR WED. FEB. 20 @ 10:00 AM  |                    | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b> | PARENT(S) ONLY<br>FIRST EUCHARIST PREPARATION  | FIRST EUCHARIST REHEARSAL INFORMATION – DATES & TIMES WILL BE GIVEN IN FEBRUARY.              |
| Feb. 25   | Feb. 27            | Chapter 24, page 203    | We Pray  | Safeguarding curriculum to be taught during class (approximately 15 min.)                     |

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| Mar. 4   | Mar. 6  | NO CLASS  | ~ Parish Mission ~<br>More Information to follow      | March 6 = ASH WEDNESDAY; Please attend mass with your family   |
| Mar. 11  | Mar. 13   | Chapter 20, page 171  | Lent  | March 10 = First Sunday of Lent;<br>Practice receiving Eucharist (host & wine) with <i>bread &amp; juice</i> in class<br><b>Show &amp; Tell</b> about unconsecrated hosts to children  |
| Mar. 18  | Mar. 20   | Chapter 21, page 177<br>Chapter 27, page 227                                      | The Three Days<br>Easter                              | March 17 = Second Sunday of Lent;<br>Practice receiving Eucharist with <i>bread &amp; juice</i> in class   |
| Mar. 25  | Mar. 27   | Chapter 19, page 163  | We Go in Peace to Share<br>God's Love                 | <b>Last Classes</b><br>March 24 = Third Sunday of Lent<br>Practice receiving Eucharist with <i>unconsecrated host &amp; juice in Church</i>  |
|  |  |  | ~ Remaining Sundays of Lent &<br>Holy Week ~          | March 31 = Fourth Sunday of Lent; April 7 = Fifth Sunday of Lent;<br>April 14 = Palm Sunday; April 18 = Holy Thursday; April 19 = Good Friday;<br>April 20 = Holy Saturday; April 21 = Easter Sunday   |
|  |   | <b>FIRST SACRAMENTS</b>   | UPCOMING DATES<br>CELEBRATIONS OF FIRST<br>EUCCHARIST | WEEKEND MASS DATES OF:<br>✠ SATURDAY APRIL 27 @ 4:00 PM<br>✠ SUNDAY APRIL 28 @ 7:30 AM<br>✠ SUNDAY APRIL 28 @ 9:00 AM<br>✠ SUNDAY APRIL 28 @ 11:00 AM<br>✠ SATURDAY MAY 4 @ 4:00 PM<br>✠ SUNDAY MAY 5 @ 9:00 AM<br>✠ SUNDAY MAY 5 @ 11:00 AM |