



# Kindergarten Scope & Sequence

UNIT 1: WE MEET JESUS					
Chapter	1. Mary Says Yes to God	2. Jesus Is Born	3. The Wise Men Visit Jesus	4. Joseph Protects Jesus and Mary	5. Jesus is Lost and Found
<b>Catechism Pillar</b>	Believe	Celebrate	Live	Live: Catholic Social Teaching	Pray
<b>Catechism References</b>	279-301	456-460 477-478 527-530	528	1905-1912	2738-2745
<b>Lesson Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recognize that God chose Mary to be the mother of Jesus</li> <li>to know that Jesus is the Son of God</li> <li>to understand that God chose all of us to be his children</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to understand that angels told the shepherds about Jesus</li> <li>to recognize that Jesus, Mary, and Joseph were poor</li> <li>to know that Jesus loves us and shows us God's love</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recognize that Wise Men visited Jesus after his birth</li> <li>to understand that the Wise Men brought gifts to Jesus</li> <li>to realize that we can give gifts to Jesus through kindness and love</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to understand that Joseph took care of Jesus and Mary</li> <li>to know that Joseph is holy because he listened to God</li> <li>to recognize that we can pray for those who must leave their homes in times of emergency</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to understand that Jesus was lost but was found with the teachers</li> <li>to realize that Jesus obeyed Joseph and Mary after he was found</li> <li>to recognize that we can pray anywhere</li> </ul>
<b>Scripture</b>	Luke 1:30-33, 38	Luke 2:1-7, 8-11, 13, 15-16	Matthew 2:9-12	Matthew 2:13-14, 19-23	Luke 2:41-52

UNIT 2: JESUS GROWS UP					
Chapter	6. John the Baptist Prepares for Jesus	7. Jesus Is Baptized	8. Jesus Is a Great Leader	9. Jesus Tells Stories to Help Us	10. Jesus Welcomes Children
<b>Catechism Pillar</b>	Believe	Celebrate	Live	Live: Catholic Social Teaching	Pray
<b>Catechism References</b>	522-524	535-537 694 1131 1210-1216 1224	858-860 2600	546 1163-1171	544 561 699
<b>Lesson Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to learn that John the Baptist prepared people for Jesus</li> <li>to understand that John the Baptist baptized in a river, but we are baptized in a church</li> <li>to describe the ways we can get our hearts and minds ready for Jesus</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to understand that Jesus was baptized to obey God and to show his love for God</li> <li>to know that when we are baptized, we are welcomed into God's family, the Church</li> <li>to recognize that Baptism is a reason for celebration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to discover that John the Baptist's followers were looking for a great leader</li> <li>to understand that we are followers of Jesus</li> <li>to learn that curiosity is a gift that helps us as followers of Jesus</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recognize that Jesus told stories to teach us</li> <li>to understand that stories can help us learn important things</li> <li>to recall that the story of the Good Samaritan teaches us to love and care for one another</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to identify that Jesus welcomed little children and made them feel important</li> <li>to learn that Jesus blessed, or prayed for, the children</li> <li>to understand that we can pray to Jesus because Jesus loves us</li> </ul>
<b>Scripture</b>	Mark 1:4-8	Matthew 3:13-17	John 1:35-17	Luke 10:29-30, 33-35	Matthew 19:13-15



## UNIT 3: JESUS TEACHES US

Chapter	11. Jesus Teaches Us about Our Hearts	12. Jesus Teaches Us that God Forgives	13. Jesus Teaches Us How to Be Happy	14. Jesus Teaches Us to Love God and Others	15. Jesus Teaches Us to Pray
<b>Catechism Pillar</b>	Believe	Celebrate	Live	Live: Catholic Social Teaching	Pray
<b>Catechism References</b>	74-141 1100-1101	976-987	1026-1029 2012-2016	2055 2083 2196	2564-2565 2664 2792-2793
<b>Lesson Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to understand that people's hearts can be like different kinds of soil</li> <li>to recognize that "the seed" is God's Word or God's message</li> <li>to realize that our hearts can be "good soil" for God's seed, the Word of God</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recall key elements of the story of the son and the father</li> <li>to realize that the boy's father forgave him</li> <li>to understand that God is our Father and forgives us</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to realize that Jesus wants us to be happy</li> <li>to understand that we can be happy by showing kindness, being full of love, and making peace</li> <li>to recognize that we will be fully happy in Heaven with God one day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to know the first important commandment is to love God</li> <li>to know the second important commandment is to love others as yourself</li> <li>to give examples of keeping each of these commandments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to understand that prayer is talking and listening to God</li> <li>to recognize that Jesus talked to and listened to God, his Father and ours</li> <li>to pray with Jesus, that we may all be one in God</li> </ul>
<b>Scripture</b>	Mark 4:16-20	Luke 15:11, 20-24	Matthew 5:6-9	Mark 12:28-31	John 17: 11, 20-21, 23-24

## UNIT 4: JESUS DIES AND RISES FOR US

Chapter	16. Jesus Dies for Us	17. Jesus Rises for Us	18. Jesus Is Our Shepherd	19. We Care for Jesus through People in Need	20. We Become Close to Jesus at Mass
<b>Catechism Pillar</b>	Believe	Celebrate	Live	Live: Catholic Social Teaching	Pray
<b>Catechism References</b>	595-623	638-658 1136-1199 1322-1419	754	786 2447	1322-1419
<b>Lesson Goals</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to identify the cross as an important symbol for Christians</li> <li>to recognize that Jesus died on the cross out of love for us</li> <li>to express different feelings about Jesus' death</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recognize that Jesus rose from the dead</li> <li>to state that we celebrate Jesus' rising in a special way on Easter Sunday</li> <li>to understand that different things around Easter remind us that Jesus rose from the dead to new life</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to learn that Jesus is the good shepherd</li> <li>to understand that Jesus loves and protects us</li> <li>to recognize we follow Jesus because he is the good shepherd</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recognize that we should care for people in need</li> <li>to understand that when we care for those in need, we are caring for Jesus</li> <li>to state some different ways we can show kindness for others</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>to recognize that Jesus gave us himself at the Last Supper</li> <li>to know that when we receive Holy Communion, we receive Jesus into our hearts</li> <li>to understand that we can become close to Jesus at Mass through Holy Communion and through prayer</li> </ul>
<b>Scripture</b>	Mark 1:4-8	Matthew 3:13-17	John 1:35-17	Luke 10:29-30, 33-35	Matthew 19:13-15

## LITURGICAL SEASON CHAPTERS

Liturgical Season	All Saints' Day	Advent	Christmas	Lent	Easter	Pentecost	Ordinary Time	Mary



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