## Saint Theresa of Avila School- West Roxbury, MA Curriculum Maps

| Subject: |          |          |
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|          | Religion | Grade: 3 |

| Time      | Essential  | Topic  | Content  | Resources   | Assessments   | Standards  |
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| Frame     | Question   |  |  |   |   |  |
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| September | How do we locate verses from the Bible?  How are we brought together as one in the Church? | Using the Bible/Bible Search  The Holy Spirit guides us to live as Christians  We receive the Sacraments of Christian Initiation | The Bible: the Word of God  Old Testament, New Testament, chapters, verses  St. Paul's letters to Christians  Communion of Saints  Catholic Church founded by Jesus Christ  Many people, one Church  A petition Prayer for God's Church  Spreading the Good News  The Holy Spirit guides us  Sacraments of Christian Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist) | RCL Benziger Ble Are We Grade 3 workbooks and teacher manual www.blestarewe.c Bibles/ Scripture stories  RCL Benziger Ble Are We Classroon Activities Gr.3 Blackline Masters  Catholic Saints for Children book | RCL Benziger Blest Are We 3 Tests online quizzes www.Blestarewe | 3.04.01<br>3.04.03<br>3.04.05<br>3.04.10<br>2. com<br>3.01.06<br>3.02.01<br>3.02.02<br>3.02.03<br>3.02.04<br>3.03.11 |

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|         |                    |                                  | Being active members of     |                      |         |
|         |                    |                                  | the Church                  |                      |         |
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|         |                    |                                  | A prayer of Initiation      |                      |         |
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|         |                    |                                  | Scripture: the paralyzed    |                      | 3.04.13 |
|         | How are we brought | We show our love for one another | beggar                      | RCL Benziger Blest   | 3.03.09 |
|         | together as one in |                                  |                             | Are We Grade 3       | 3.05.01 |
|         | the Church?        | Jesus teaches us to pray         | St. Martin of Tours         | workbooks and        | 3.05.05 |
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| October |                    |                                  | Domestic church             |                      | 3.06.01 |
|         |                    |                                  |                             | www.blestarewe.com   | 3.06.04 |
|         |                    |                                  | A Meditation Prayer         |                      | 3.07.05 |
|         |                    |                                  |                             | Bibles/ Scripture    |         |
|         |                    |                                  | Jesus teaches us the Lord's | stories              |         |
|         |                    |                                  | Prayer                      |                      |         |
|         |                    |                                  |                             | RCL Benziger Blest   |         |
|         |                    |                                  | Kingdom of God              | Are We Classroom     |         |
|         |                    |                                  | Kingdom of God              |                      |         |
|         |                    |                                  |                             | Activities Gr.3      |         |
|         |                    |                                  | St. Therese of Liseux       | Blackline Masters    |         |
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|         |                    |                                  | Prayers of blessing,        | Catholic Saints for  |         |
|         |                    |                                  |                             | <u>Children</u> book |         |
|         |                    |                                  | petition, thanksgiving,     |                      |         |
|         |                    |                                  | praise                      |                      |         |
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|         |                    |                                  | A Prayer of Sharing         |                      |         |

| How is the Church Holy? How can we learn to be the likeness of God our  How is the Church Holy? How can we learn to be the likeness of God our  Tests  Sick man  Are We Grade 3 workbooks and teacher manual  Original Sin  We celebrate Reconciliation and healing  We celebrate Reconciliation and healing  St. Francis of Assisi  Blest Are We 3  Tests  Tests | 3.02.06                                      |
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| November Holy? How can we learn to be the likeness of God our healing compassion and mercy St. Francis of Assisi    Holy? How can we learn to be the Stories   Bibles/ Scripture stories   Teacher made quize the rite of Penance   | 3.02.06<br>for 3.04.11                       |
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| Father?  Jesus teaches us how to love  RCL Benziger Blest   | 3.03.06                                      |
| A Prayer to St. Francis Are We Classroom  | 3.03.05                                      |
| Activities Gr.3   | 3.05.02                                      |
| We pray to the Holy Spirit Sacrament of Penance and   |  |
| reconciliation Blackline Masters  |  |
| A Prayer of Sorrow: Act of Catholic Saints for  |  |
| Contrition Children book  |  |
| Contrition Contrition   |  |
| Venial and mortal sins  |  |
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| Sacrament of the  |  |
| Anointing of the Sick   |  |
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| Scripture: Jesus fulfills   |  |
| God's Word  |  |
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| The Ten Commandments  |  |
| Great Commandment   |  |
| A.D. CD.CC  |  |
| A Prayer of Petition  |  |
| St. Louise de Marillac  |  |
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| Scripture: The man who  |  |
| would not quit  |  |
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| The Holy Trinity  |  |
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| A Prayer to the Holy  |  |
| Trinity   |  |
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| St. Patrick   |  |

| How can the Church year help us remember important times in the life of Jesus?  December  December  December continued  How can we prepare for the birth of Jesus?  Catholics are open to all  Catholics are open to all  December continued  How can we help us remember important times in the life of Jesus?  Christmas  Christmas  Church seasons and feasts throughout the year  Advent  Advent  Scripture story: Mary visits Elizabeth  Scripture story: Mary visits Elizabeth  Scripture story: Mary visits Elizabeth  Wait, pray, prepare  Advent wreath creche  Advent wreath creche  Christmas story Epiphany  Advent wreath, creche  Christmas picture books  |           |                      |                           | Seasons of the Church      | RCL Benziger Blest |                       |         |
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| December  How can we prepare for the birth of Jesus?  Catholics are open to all  December continued  Limes in the life of Jesus?  Christmas  Catholics are open to all  Catholic are  |           | year help us         | throughout the year       |                            | workbooks and      | Blest Are We 3        | 3.02.18 |
| December How can we prepare for the birth of Jesus?  Catholics are open to all  December continued  Jesus?  Christmas  Christmas  Christmas  Scripture story: Mary visits Elizabeth  Wait, pray, prepare  Advent wreath creche  Christmas story  Epiphany  Christmas carols  Christmas carols  Christmas picture books  Christmas picture books  Christmas picture books  Christmas picture books  Christmas picture  Christ |           | remember important   |                           | Advent                     | teacher manual     | Tests                 |         |
| December for the birth of Jesus?  Catholics are open to all  December continued  Catholics are open to all  Catholic means universal  Catholic means universal  Catholic means universal  Catholic means universal  December continued  Christmas  Christmas  Catholic means universal  December continued  Christmas  Chri |           | times in the life of | Advent                    |                            |                    | Online quizzes        |         |
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| How can we prepare for the birth of Jesus?  Catholics are open to all  December continued  Catholics are open to all  Catholics a | December  |                      | Christmas                 | visits Elizabeth           | Bibles/ Scripture  |                       |         |
| December continued  Catholics are open to all  Christmas story Epiphany  Advent wreath, Christmas carols  Christmas carols  Christmas picture Samaritan woman Through Jesus' Death and Resurrection, all people can have eternal life  Catholic means universal   |           | How can we prepare   |                           |                            | stories            | Advent wreath diagram |         |
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| Paschal Mystery  |           |                      |                           | Paschai Mystery            |                    |                       |         |
| Ways to be open to all   |           |                      |                           | Ways to be open to all     |                    |                       |         |
| A Prayer for guidance  |           |                      |                           | -                          |                    |                       |         |
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| The Lord's Day   |           |                      |                           | The Lord's Day             |                    |                       |         |
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| How is God the We gather for Mass Liturgy: the Church's Are We Grade 3 Blest Are We 3 3.02.05  |           | How is God the       | We gather for Mass        | Liturgy: the Church's      | Are We Grade 3     | Blest Are We 3        | 3.02.05 |
| Father of all?   celebration of the Paschal   workbooks and   Tests   3.02.10  |           | Father of all?       |                           | celebration of the Paschal | workbooks and      | Tests                 | 3.02.10 |
| We serve others Mystery teacher manual 3.02.11   |           |                      | We serve others           | Mystery                    | teacher manual     |                       | 3.02.11 |
| Who does our Online quizzes 3.02.12  |           | Who does our         |                           |                            |                    | Online quizzes        | 3.02.12 |
| January Church welcome? We pray for all people Scripture story: early www.blestarewe.com www.Blestarewe.com 3.02.13  | January   | Church welcome?      | We pray for all people    | Scripture story: early     | www.blestarewe.com | www.Blestarewe.com    | 3.02.13 |
| followers of Christ Bibles/ Scripture 3.02.14  | January   |                      |                           | followers of Christ        | Bibles/ Scripture  |                       | 3.02.14 |
| stories Teacher created quiz 3.02.15   |           |                      |                           |                            | stories            | Teacher created quiz  |         |
| Celebrating the Risen for selected Mass 3.02.16  |           |                      |                           | Celebrating the Risen      |                    | for selected Mass     |         |
| Lord responses 3.05.09   |           |                      |                           | Lord                       |                    | responses             | 3.05.09 |
| 3.05.07  |           |                      |                           |                            |                    |                       |         |

| January continued | What is the mission of the Church? | The Church continues the mission of the Apostles | Christ's presence at Mass Sequence of the parts of the Mass  The Gloria  Scripture: Philip and the Ethiopian man  Grace  Missionaries Marty Roers, Augustus Tolton  A Prayer of Praise Scripture: The fire at Pentecost  Works of the Holy Spirit Mary/Devotion of the Rosary  Prayer: A Litany for Mary St. Dominic De Guzman  Scripture: Jesus sends His Apostles to carry on His work  Apostolic definition  Peter chosen by Jesus to lead the Church  Marks of the Church (One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic)  Mary: a model of faith  A Prayer of Belief | RCL Benziger Blest Are We Classroom Activities Gr.3  Blackline Masters  Liturgy of the Mass response sheets  Youtube video:  Teaching the Mass |                                | 3.06.08<br>3.05.06<br>3.06.07<br>3.07.02<br>3.06.05<br>3.05.07<br>3.06.05 |
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|                   |                                    |  | Sacraments at the Service of Communion   | RCL Benziger Blest<br>Are We Grade 3   | RCL Benziger<br>Blest Are We 3 | 3.02.07<br>3.07.03  |

|           | How is the Church             | We are committed through the |                                      | workbooks and               | Tests                 | 3.07.04 |
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| Februaury | faithful to the               | Sacraments                   | Vocation: our call to use            | teacher manual              |                       |         |
| . Cordany | teachings of the              |                              | our talents to serve others          |                             | Quizzes on            |         |
|           | Apostles?                     | We are faithful to our       |                                      | www.blestarewe.com          | www.Blestarewe.com    |         |
|           |                               | commitments                  | Jesus is the High Priest             | Bibles/ Scripture           |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              |                                      | stories                     | Teacher created       |         |
|           |                               |                              | Sacrament of Matrimony               | DCL D : D1 :                | quiz/crossword puzzle |         |
|           |                               |                              |                                      | RCL Benziger Blest          | for roles of church   |         |
|           |                               |                              | Sacrament of Holy Orders             | Are We Classroom            | leaders               |         |
|           |                               |                              | A Wagatian Dravar                    | Activities Gr.3             | Cood Shanhard         |         |
|           |                               |                              | A Vocation Prayer                    | Blackline Masters           | Good Shepherd         |         |
|           |                               |                              | Scripture: The Apostles'             | Commitment                  | acrostic poem         |         |
|           |                               |                              | mission                              | certificates for            | Teacher created Lent  |         |
|           |                               |                              | mission                              | sharing talents             | test                  |         |
|           |                               |                              | Scripture: Young Jesus in            | sharing tarents             |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | the temple                           | Stations of the Cross       |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | 1                                    | booklets                    |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | Covenant definition                  | Catholic Saints for         |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | Roles of Church leaders              | Children book               |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | A Prayer of Commitment               | Pflaum Publishing           |                       |         |
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|           |                               |                              | Identify individual talents to share | A Child's Journey to Easter |                       | 3.02.18 |
| February  |                               |                              | to share                             | <u>Easter</u>               |                       |         |
| continued |                               |                              | Ways to grow in holiness             |                             |                       |         |
|           | How do we prepare for Easter? | Lent is a time to prepare    | Stations of the Cross                |                             |                       |         |
|           | Tor Euster:                   |                              | Fasting and abstaining               |                             |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | Scripture: The Forgiving Father      |                             |                       |         |
|           |                               |                              | Jesus is the Good<br>Shepherd        |                             |                       |         |
|           | How is the Church             | We pray for faith            | St. Stephen                          |                             |                       | 2.06.02 |
|           | faithful to the               |                              | Amostlad Co 1                        |                             |                       | 3.06.03 |
|           | teachings of the              |                              | Apostles' Creed                      |                             |                       | 3.01.01 |
|           | Apostles? (continued)         |                              | St. Joan of Arc                      |                             |                       |         |
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| March | How is the Catholic<br>Church a sign of<br>God's Kingdom?               | The Church is a sign of God's Kingdom  We are called to serve  The Church is a witness for Justice and Peace | Jesus describes God's Kingdom (seeds)  The Kingdom of God has begun on earth  We will share eternal life A Prayer of Petition  We pray through the day Spreading the Good News through blessings  Sacramentals A Prayer of Blessing Scripture: The Good Samaritan  Definition of neighbor Henriette Delille Joseph Cardinal Bernardin  Working for peace and justice | RCL Benziger Blest Are We Grade 3 workbooks and teacher manual www.blestarewe.com Scripture stories Blest Are We Classroom Activities Gr.3 Blackline Masters | RCL Benziger Blest Are We 3 Tests Online quizzes www.Blestarewe.com  | 3.01.10<br>3.03.09<br>3.07.06<br>3.03.10 |
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| April | How is the Catholic<br>Church a sign of<br>God's Kingdom<br>(continued) | The Church prays for World<br>Peace  | Scripture: Zacchaeus  Peacemaker definition  The Pope: messenger of peace  Liturgy of the Hours  A Prayer for World Peace  | RCL Benziger Blest<br>Are We Grade 3<br>workbooks and<br>teacher manual<br>www.blestarewe.com<br>Bibles/ Scripture<br>stories                                | RCL Benziger Blest Are We 3 Tests Online quizzes www.Blestarewe.com Teacher created tests for Holy Week and Easter | 3.05.02<br>3.06.05                       |

|     | What do we understand about the Easter Story? | Days of Holy Week  Easter Triduum  The Resurrection    | Good Friday  Death on the cross:victory over sin  Triduum  Events of Holy Thursday,  Good Friday, Holy Saturday  Prayer Celebration for Holy Week  Scripture: The empty tomb  The Good News  Scripture: The Road to Emmaus  Seeing Jesus in actions of others | Pictures of Pope Francis  Youtube videos of Pope Francis  RCL Benziger Blest      |  |  |
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| May | How do we honor<br>Blessed Mother<br>Mary?    | Holy Days, life events, Feast Days,<br>Visions of Mary | The Annunciation  The Nativity  Our Lady of Guadalupe  Mother of the Church   | Are We Grade 3<br>workbooks and<br>teacher manual<br>Bibles/ Scripture<br>stories | Teacher created tests  Student written reports on Mary |  |

|      |  |                   | Fatima, Lourdes  Prayer celebration: The Angelus  Parish May crowning  Hymns devoted to Blessed Mother  | RCL Benziger Blest Are We Classroom Activities Gr.3 Blackline Masters  Mary, Mother of Jesus by Tomie dePaola |   |  |
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| June | What do we remember from our Grade 3 religion instruction? | Grade 3 Favorites | Recall favorite Bible story  Recall favorite saint  Recall favorite Prayer Celebration Recall favorite holy person  List 10 new facts learned this year  End-of Year Prayer: A Prayer of Thanksgiving | RCL Benziger Blest<br>Are We Grade 3<br>workbooks   | Students write letters to incoming third graders, telling them about some 5 different topics they will study about in Religion class in Grade 3 |  |