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

Subject: Religion Grade: 2

Time Frame	Essential Question	Topic	Content	Resources	Assessments	Standards
September	How does the church welcome us? What is a Christian?	We belong to the Catholic Church.	Jesus is God's best gift. Baptism.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 1, 2, and 3 assessments.	2.07.02 2.07.3
October	How can we act more like the saints? How can we praise and thank God?	Saints. Praise God.	Jesus calls us to give ourselves in love. Saints are real life heroes. Jesus calls us to act as Saints did.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 3,4, and 5 assessments.	2.06.10
November	What does Jesus do for us in the Sacrament of Reconciliation? How does God forgive and help us be better?	We celebrate God's forgiveness through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.	Begin preparation for Reconciliation. Learn the Act of Contrition. Venial and mortal sins.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 6, 7, and 8 assessments.	2.05.01 2.05.03 2.05.04 2.05.05

December	How does reconciliation help us grow closer to Jesus and God? How can we show our love for Jesus and others by following the Great Commandment?	Jesus shows us how to love God our father. Christmas. Sacrament of Reconciliation.	Engage in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Learn the Act of Contrition. Learn about Jesus' birth.	Blessed are We textbook.	Memorize the Act of Contrition.	2.05.01 2.05.03 2.05.04 2.05.05 2.01.3
January	How can we listen to God's word? How can we act on God's word?	The Liturgy of the Word. Works of Mercy. Catholic Schools Week.	Catholic Schools Week Celebrations. Learn the parts of the Mass during the Liturgy of the Word.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 9 and 10 assessments.	2.54.06 2.54.07
February	How can we pray for others? Why did Jesus sacrifice his life for us? How do we remember Jesus' great sacrifice at Mass?	Praying for others. Jesus saves us from sin.	The Church invites us to pray for the needs of all people. Through the Sacrifice of Jesus, we have new life.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 11, 12, and 13 assessments.	2.06.07 2.04.04
March	How do we prepare to receive the boyd and blood of Christ? How do we prepare for Jesus's Resurrection at Easter?	Preparation for First Communion. Lent.	In the Eucharist, we remember the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. By showing love for others, we show love for God. Jesus gave us the Lord's prayer.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 14, 15, and 16 assessments.	2.04.10 2.04.04

April	How did Jesus show his love during his life?	Preparation for First Communion. Stations of the Cross. Holy Week and Easter.	The Holy Spirit is our helper, guide, and teacher. We learn about Sacraments at the Service of Communion.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 16 and 17 assessments.	2.04.04 2.04.12
May	How can we honor Mary? How can Mary help our family?	Mother Mary. May Crowning.	Mary mother of the Church cares for us. We learn about Sacraments at the Service of Communion. Jesus taught us to treat others fairly.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 18 and 19 assessments.	2.05.20 2.06.01 2.01.11 2.01.12
June	What do Christians do? How do we know Jesus is with us?	Celebrate God's love. Pray for others.	We pray for God's blessings on others. The Church celebrates God's love.	Blessed are We textbook.	Chapter 20 assessment.	2.02.09 2.02.04