

Early Childhood (Age 3 to Kindergarten)

Unit 1: WHO IS JESUS CHRIST?

LITURGICAL YEAR		SYSTEMATIC DOCTRINAL CONTENT			
	Date/Sunday	Sunday Gospels	PGW Lesson Theme	Archdiocesan Focused Theme/Topic Tied to PGW Lesson	Archdiocesan Essential Question(s) Tied to PGW Lesson
ORDINARY TIME	September 18, 2022 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 16:1–13 Jesus Teaches His Followers	Jesus is with us.	Divine Love	Unit 1/EQ4. Who is Jesus Christ?
	September 25, 2022 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 16:19–31 Rich Man and Lazarus	Jesus teaches us to share.	Divine Love	Unit 1/EQ2. Why did God make you and me?
	October 2, 2022 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 17:5–10 Faith the Size of a Mustard Seed	Jesus wants us to grow.	Holy Family	Unit 1/EQ4. Who is Jesus Christ?
	October 9, 2022 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 17:11–19 Jesus Heals Ten Lepers	Jesus is our friend.	Creation	Unit 1/EQ1. Who is God?
	October 16, 2022 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 18:9–14 Parable of a Persistent Widow	God wants us to ask.	Divine Love, Creation	Unit 1/EQ3. Why did God make everything?
	October 23, 2022 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 18:9–14 Pharisee and the Tax Collector	Everyone is important to God.	Divine Love	Unit 1/EQ3. Why did God make everything?
	October 30, 2022 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 19:1–10 Jesus Meets Zacchaeus	Jesus wants to be with us.	Divine Love	Unit 1/EQ4. Who is Jesus Christ?
	November 6, 2022 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 20:27–38 Sadducees Challenge Jesus	God made everything that is alive and cares for all that lives.	Other themes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Prayer • Advent • Christmas 	Unit 1/EQ3. Why did God make everything?

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Unit 2: HOW DO WE GET TO KNOW AND LOVE JESUS CHRIST?

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	November 13, 2022 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke 21:5–19 Jesus Gives Us Hope	God cares for all creation	Introduction to Prayer	Unit 2/EQ1. Why do we pray?
	November 20, 2022 Feast of Christ the King	Luke 23:35–43 Jesus Forgives from the Cross	Jesus is our leader.	Prayer	Unit 2/EQ2. When and how do we pray?
ADVENT/CHRISTMAS	November 27, 2022 1st Sunday of Advent	Matthew 24:37–44 Jesus Will Come Again	We get ready to celebrate Christmas	Mass/Introduction to the Sacraments	Unit 2/EQ4. What happens at Mass?
	December 4, 2022 2nd Sunday of Advent	Matthew 3:1–12 John the Baptist Prepares for Jesus	Mary and Joseph are ready for Jesus to come.	Prayers	Unit 2/EQ2. When and how do we pray?
	December 11, 2022 3rd Sunday of Advent	Matthew 11:2–11 Jesus Is the Messiah	The whole world is ready for Jesus.	Mass/Introduction to the Sacraments	Unit 2/EQ3. Why do we go to Mass?
	December 18, 2022 4th Sunday of Advent	Matthew 1:18–24 An Angel Speaks to Joseph	Jesus is born.	Prayers	Unit 2/EQ2. When and how do we pray?
	December 25, 2022 & January 1, 2023 Christmas & Mary	Luke 2:1–14 Christmas Luke 2:16–21 Mary	Jesus is born into a human family.	Mass /Introduction to the Sacraments	Unit 2/EQ4. What happens at Mass?
	January 8, 2023 & January 9, 2023 Epiphany & Baptism of the Lord	Matthew 2:1–12 Epiphany Matthew 3:3–17Baptism	Jesus is filled with the Holy Spirit.	Mass/Introduction to the Sacraments, Other themes: • The Holy Bible	Unit 2/Flexible EQ. Why do we read the Bible?

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Unit 3: HOW DOES JESUS CHRIST TEACH US TO LIVE A MORAL LIFE?

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	Date/Sunday	Sunday Gospels	PGW Lesson Theme	Archdiocesan Focused Theme/Topic Tied to PGW Lesson	Archdiocesan Essential Question(s) Tied to PGW Lesson
	January 19, 2020 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	John 1:29-34 John the Baptist Testifies About Jesus	Jesus is both human and divine.	Morality	Unit 3/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to love myself and others?
	January 22, 2023 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Matthew 4:12-23 Jesus Calls the First Apostles	Jesus finds friends to help do his work.	Morality	Unit 3/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to love myself and others?
	January 29, 2023 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Matthew 5:1-12a Sermon on the Mount	The Beatitudes	Moral choices	Unit 3/EQ2. Why does Jesus want me to make good choices?
ORDINARY TIME	February 15, 2023 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Matthew 5:13-16 Sermon on the Mount: Salt and Light	Jesus wants us to shine.	Moral choices	Unit 3/EQ2. Why does Jesus want me to make good choices?
	February 12, 2023 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Matthew 5:38-48 Sermon on the Mount: Jesus' Law of Love	Jesus' rule is to love one another.	Morality	Unit 3/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to love myself and others?
	February 19, 2023 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Matthew 5:38-48 Sermon on the Mount: Love Your Enemies	Jesus teaches us to love and forgive.	Moral choices	Unit 3/EQ2. Why does Jesus want me to make good choices?
LENT	February 26, 2023 1st Sunday of Lent	Matthew 4:1-11 Jesus Is Tempted	Jesus prays to make good choices.	Moral choices	Unit 3/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to love myself and others?
	March 5, 2023 2nd Sunday of Lent	Matthew 17:1-9 Jesus Is Transfigured	Jesus is God's Son.	Moral Other themes: • Lent • Easter	Unit 3/Flexible EQ. Why do we celebrate (Lent) and Easter?

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Unit 4: HOW ARE WE CALLED TO BECOME MISSIONARY DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST?

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	March 12, 2023 3rd Sunday of Lent	John 4:5-42 A Samaritan Woman Shares the Good News	Jesus asks for water.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
	March 19, 2023 4th Sunday of Lent	John 9:1-41 Jesus Heals a Blind Man	Jesus heals a blind man.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
	March 26, 2023 5th Sunday of Lent	John 11:1-45 Jesus Raises Lazarus	Jesus has friends.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
	April 2, 2023 Palm/Passion Sunday	Matthew 21:1-11 & Matthew 26:14-27:66 Jesus' Passion	We celebrate Jesus' passion and death.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
EASTER	April 9 & 16, 2023 Easter Sunday & 2nd Sunday of Easter	John 20:1-9 & John 20:19-31 Jesus is Risen	Jesus' friends know him.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
	April 23, 2023 3rd Sunday of Easter	Luke 24:13-35 Jesus Appears on Road to Emmaus	Jesus is Risen!	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
	April 30, 2023 4th Sunday of Easter	John 10:1-10 Jesus is the Good Shepherd	Jesus is our shepherd.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?
	May 7, 2023 5th Sunday of Easter	John 14:1-12 Jesus is the Way, Truth, and Life	Jesus will always be with us.	Discipleship	Unit 4/EQ1. Why does Jesus want me to help others?

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