Grade 6 Syllabus 2019-2020

The following will help parents to fulfill the call to, “train up our children in the way they should go,” (Proverbs 22:6).
❖ Regular Mass attendance (St. John’s:8:30AM Family Mass with Children’s Liturgy of the Word)
❖ Regular attendance and participation in Faith Formation classes, Deep Dives and other special events
❖ Regular prayer life in the home (ex. prayer at meals, bedtime prayers, family rosary, etc)
❖ Regular celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation

“The most important task of the catechesis of children is to provide, through the witness of adults, an environment in which young people can grow in faith.” (NDC p.205)

Unit 1 – God our Creator and Father (Ordinary Time)
October 6 or 20 Class 1 - Family Gathering Session 1 Session 1 The Bible, God’s Story
October Class 2 - Home Session 2 God Creates the World
October 27 Class 3 - Class (Students Only) Session 3 Sin and Salvation
October Class 4 - Home Session 4 Abraham Listens to God

Unit 2 – Jesus our Lord and Savior (Advent Begins on Dec.1)
November 3 or 17 Class 5 - Family Gathering Session 2 Session 6 God is Faithful
November Class 6 - Home Session 7 Passover and the Eucharist
November 24 Class 7 - Class (Students Only) Session 8 God Leads His People
November Class 8 - Home Session 9 Being Faithful to God
December 8 or 15 Class 9 - Family Gathering Session 3 Session 10 &15 Celebrating Advent/Christmas

Unit 3 – The Church, Our Community in the Spirit (Ordinary time begins January 13)
January 5 or 12 Class 10 - Family Gathering Session 4 Session 11 God’s Presence in the Temple
January Class 11 - Home Session 12 Psalms, the Prayers of Jesus
January 26 Class 12 - Class (Students Only) Session 13 The Mission of the Church
January Class 13 - Home Session 14 Marks of the Church

Unit 4 – Sacraments, Our Way of Life (Lent Begins on Feb 26)
February 2 or 9 Class 14 - Family Gathering Session 5 Session 16 Prophets Challenge the People
February Class 15 - Home Session 17 Prophets Give Hope
February 23 Class 16 - Class (Students Only) Session 18 Sacraments of Initiation
February Class 17 - Home Session 19 Sacraments of Healing

Unit 5 – Morality, Our Lived Faith (Easter April 12)
March 1,22 or 8,29 Class 18 - Family Gathering Session 6 Session 21 Jesus’ Way of Love
March Class 19 - Home Session 22 Sacraments of Service
March 15 Class 20 - Class (Students Only) Session 23 Caring for the Earth
March Class 21 - Home Session 24 Jesus’ Call for Justice

*Two Deep Dives of family’s choice
* If you miss a Family Gathering Session make-up by choosing additional Deep Dive
* If you miss class make-up by doing lesson at home sending in assessment

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