

# ST. JOSEPH PREP

2020 – 2021

## LESSON PLAN – GRADE 1B

**TEXT BOOK -** Faith & Word Edition –Blest Are We – Grade 1 – RCL Benziger

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**Students and their parents are expected to attend weekly Mass  
Either In-person or Virtually**

### **SCHEDULE OF CLASSES**

\*Please keep in mind that catechists MAY schedule additional sessions via Zoom.  
Catechists will advise parents as needed.

October 6           **Opening Mass – 6:30 P.M.** in the Church

October 7           **Class**

- Introductions and overview of expectations for class
- Learn about What Catholics Believe pgs. 260-261
- Learn about How Catholics Pray pgs. 276-277
- Read Chapter 1 and complete activities on pgs. 27 & 31
- Complete Chapter 1 Review pg.33 and complete Faith in Action pg.34
- Sheep Activity

#### **Homework**

- Complete activity “Our Catholic Church”
- Practice The Sign of the Cross

October 17           **Family Mass at St. Joseph Church – 5:00 P. M.**

October 21           **Class**

- Review and collect homework
- Learn about the prayers & the Bible pgs. 10-21
- Learn the Glory Be
- Read Chapter 2. Complete activities pgs. 37, 40 & 41
- Complete Chapter 2 Review pg.43 and complete Faith in Action pg.44

#### **Homework**

- Complete activity “In My Church”

November 4

- Color Thank you prayer and Halloween pumpkins
- Practice The Sign of the Cross and the Glory Be

**No Class – NJEA Convention**

November 18

**Class**

- Review and Collect Homework
- Learn Prayer Before Meals
- Read Chapter 3 and complete activities on pgs. 51
- Complete Chapter 3 Review pg.53 and complete Faith in Action pg.54
- Read Chapter 4 and complete activities pgs. 57, 61
- Complete Chapter 4 Review pg.63 and complete Faith in Action pg.64

**Homework**

- Complete Activities “We Praise People”
- Complete “Happy Thanksgiving” card
- Practice The Sign of the Cross and the Glory Be

November 25

**No Class – Happy Thanksgiving!!**

December 2

**Class**

- Review and Collect Homework
- Learn the Hail Mary
- Read and Review the Church Year pgs. 234-236
- Read and Review the Season of Advent pgs. 239-248
- Color Advent Wreath

**Homework**

- Complete activity “An Advent Calendar”
- Practice The Sign of the Cross and the Glory Be

December 6

**Family Mass at St. Joseph Church – 5:00 P. M.**

December 16

**Class**

- Review and collect Homework
- Learn about Guardian Angels pgs. 237-238
- Complete activity about Guardian Angels
- Read Chapter 5 and complete activities pgs. 69,73
- Complete Chapter 5 Review pg.75 and complete Faith in Action pg.76

**Homework**

- Complete Activity “God Our Creator”
- Color Christmas pages
- Practice The Sign of the Cross, the Glory Be and the Hail Mary

December 23 **No Class - MERRY CHRISTMAS!!**

December 30 **No Class - HAPPY NEW YEAR!!**

January 6 **Class**

- Review and collect homework
- Review all Chapters and Prayers to date
- Read Chapter 6 and complete activities pgs. 79,83
- Complete Chapter 6 Review pg.85 and complete Faith in Action pg.86
- Review Baptism – complete activities “Your Baptism” and “The Sacrament of Baptism”

**Homework**

- Complete activity “Baptism Welcomes Us to the Church”
- Practice The Sign of the Cross, the Glory Be and the Hail Mary

January 20 **Class**

- Review and collect homework
- Learn The Lord’s Prayer p.278
- Read Chapter 7 and complete activities pgs. 89,93
- Complete Chapter 7 Review pg.95 and complete Faith in Action pg.96
- Read Chapter 8 and complete activities pgs. 99, 103
- Complete Chapter 8 Review pg.105 and complete Faith in Action pg.106

**Homework**

- Complete activity “A Thank You Card”
- Practice The Sign of the Cross, the Glory Be and the Hail Mary

February 3 **Class**

- Review and collect Homework
- Learn about Ash Wednesday and complete activity
- Read Chapter 9 and complete activities pgs. 111,115
- Complete Chapter 9 Review pg.117 and complete Faith in Action pg.118
- Read Chapter 10 and complete activities pgs. 121, 125
- Complete Chapter 10 Review pg.127 and complete Faith in Action pg.128

**Homework**

- Complete activity “Saying Yes to God”
- Practice The Sign of the Cross, the Glory Be and the Hail Mary

- February 17      **No class – ASH WEDNESDAY - Please plan to go to Church for ashes.**
- February 27      **Family Mass at St. Joseph Church – 5:00 P. M.**
- March 3            **Class**
- Review and collect Homework
  - Read Chapter 11 and complete activities pgs. 131, 135
  - Complete Chapter 11 Review pg.137 and complete Faith in Action pg.138
  - Read Chapter 12 and complete activities pgs. 141, 145
  - Complete Chapter 12 Review pg.147 and complete Faith in Action pg.148
- Homework**
- Complete activity “Times and Places”
  - Practice The Sign of the Cross, the Glory Be and the Hail Mary
- March 17          **Class**
- Review and Collect Homework
  - Learn Prayer Before Bed
  - Learn about the Season of Lent pgs. 249-256
  - Review and Complete Stations of the Cross Booklet
  - Review for Final Test
- Homework**
- Complete activity “A Prayer for Palm Sunday”
  - Color “The Last Supper” and “Easter Prayer”
  - Study for Final Test
- March 31          **No Class- HOLY WEEK!!**
- April 7             **No class – HAPPY EASTER!!**
- April 17           **Family Mass at St. Joseph Church – 5:00 P. M.**
- April 21           **Class**
- Review and Collect Homework
  - Final Test
- May 5              **Class**
- Review test

May 16

**CROWNING OF OUR LADY at 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass at the church**

**HAVE A SAFE AND WONDERFUL SUMMER!  
REMEMBER TO GO TO MASS!  
REMEMBER TO KEEP PRACTICING YOUR PRAYERS!**