



Religion Curriculum Priority Standards Grade: PRE-KINDERGARTEN

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| 1. Sacred Scripture and Tradition | 4. Christian Living |
| 2. Catholic Creed | 5. Living Discipleship |
| 3. Catholic Prayer, Liturgy and Sacramental Life | 6. Religious Diversity and Christian Unity |

* Denotes standards connected to Christian anthropology and/or human sexuality.

† Denotes standards connected to anti-racism and anti-discrimination.

Domain 1: Sacred Scripture and Tradition: Who is God?	
PK.01.A*	Acknowledge that God is love, and God created everything in the world in goodness and love.
PK.01.B	Recognize the Bible as a very sacred book in which God is revealed through stories of creation and accounts of the life of Jesus Christ.
PK.01.C*	Understand that Jesus Christ came to earth because he wanted to share God's love with all people.
Domain 2: Catholic Creed: What is the Church and what do we believe?	
PK.02.A	Explain that we can learn about God by going to church and listening to what priests and deacons teach us about God through the Scriptures.
PK.02.B	Articulate with reverence the names of the three divine persons of the Holy Trinity: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.
PK.02.C	Demonstrate how to make the Sign of the Cross.
Domain 3: Catholic Prayer, Liturgy and Sacramental Life: How do we worship God?	
PK.03.A	Describe prayer as a way of talking, listening, and sharing our feelings with God at any time.
PK.03.B	Identify objects in the classroom that can help us to pray and know how to handle objects of prayer with reverence.
PK.03.C	Understand that God gives visible signs of his love for us through special celebrations called sacraments.
Domain 4: Christian Living: How does God want us to live?	
PK.04.A**	Show awareness that our freely chosen words and actions have an impact on our relationship with God and others.
PK.04.B	Understand that good rules set by our family, school, church, and community can help us to make good choices.
PK.04.C	Understand the difference between good and poor choices and know how God can guide us to make good choices.
Domain 5: Living Discipleship: How do we journey towards God in faith and service?	
PK.05.A**	Articulate that God created everyone as a son or daughter made in God's own image with unique gifts and talents that allow us to know, love, and serve Him.
PK.05.B	Build a capacity to share with others because everything we have is a gift from God.
PK.05.C*	Identify ways that we can be good caretakers of God's creation, ourselves, and others.
Domain 6: Religious Diversity and Christian Unity: How do we live well with others?	
PK.06.A†	Affirm that God loves everyone unconditionally.
PK.06.B**	Realize that God made all of us different from each other but equal in dignity.
PK.06.C**	Show respect for others in the class because we are all created in the image of God.