

Year Five Religion - May We Be One

GENERAL CATEGORY
SUB-CATEGORY
KEY LEARNER OUTCOME
CRITERIA
Unit One – The Church Proclaims the Good News
We are God’s Work of Art
❖ Explains how community is formed by the gathering of a rich diversity of persons
▪ Names and explains the “rock” as a symbol of the faith/church community
▪ Identifies and names the uniqueness of each person
▪ Explains how community is formed by the rich diversity of persons
▪ Identifies the qualities of friendship
God Has No Favorites
❖ Explains how community is formed by the gathering of a rich diversity of persons
▪ Explains why God has no favorites
▪ Explains how the Holy Spirit calls us to unity with people who are different from us
May They All Be One
❖ Explains how the Church, which began in Jerusalem, is for all people
▪ Recalls and responds to God’s dream of gathering all people as one through art, drama, music, or story
▪ Recalls and represents their experience of the Good Shepherd using guided imagery
Unit Two – The Church Believes in the Lord Jesus
Peter Shares His Belief in the Lord Jesus
❖ Explains the structure of a Celebration of the Word
▪ Explains and represents the basic Christian message
▪ Explains that the gift of the Spirit was the growth of the Church
Baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ
❖ Explains the link between today’s rituals of Baptism and Confirmation with the rituals of the early Christian community
▪ Explains how the Holy Spirit leads us into the Christian community by faith sealed in Baptism
▪ Describes how today’s rituals of baptism and confirmation link with those of the early Christian community
▪ Explains how God continues to call people through Baptism and Confirmation

We Proclaim the Greatness of God
❖ Explains how the Church is a visible sign of Christ's action in the world
▪ Explores Baptism and Confirmation as Sacraments of Initiation
▪ Creates prayers and plans a ritual celebration
▪ Explains how the Church is a sacrament of Christ's action in the world
Unit Three – The Church Celebrates God's Mighty Deeds
We Remember the Risen Lord
❖ Explains the meaning and structure of the Liturgy of the Eucharist
• Explains how the Lord is at the center of our experiences of gathering
• Explains how the Church is rooted in the Christian story
We Celebrate the Breaking of the Bread
❖ Explains the meaning and structure of the Liturgy of the Eucharist
• Describes the link between the celebration of the Eucharist and the Last Supper
• Recalls and describes the structure of a Eucharistic Liturgy
• Plans and prepares to celebrate the Eucharist
We Give Praise and Thanks to God
❖ Explains the meaning and structure of the Liturgy of the Eucharist
• Explains how the Eucharist nourishes us and leads us into God's Kingdom
• Explains our belonging to the community of praise
• Identifies and describes the ritual of gathering, listening, eating, drinking, and going forth
Unit Four – The Church Expects the Coming of the Lord
God Will Prepare a Banquet for all People
❖ Explains the meaning of Advent as a call for the Church to be light and hope to the nations
• Describes how Isaiah and John are messengers of hope to God's people
• Shares stories of the hopes and expectations of people during the Advent season
• Explains how the time of Advent helps us walk in hope
• Plans and carries out an Advent celebration
Mary Leads Us into Hope
❖ Demonstrates how we join with Mary and the Church in prayer for the world
• Retells the story of Mary as one who hopes in God's promise
• Explains how we pray to Mary and with the Church for the good of the world
We Celebrate the Promise
❖ Demonstrates an understanding of God's faithfulness as discovered in the stories of our Biblical ancestors
• Prepares and explains the symbolism of the Jesse Tree
• Researches Jesse Tree figures as ancestors of our faith
• Explains the Advent promise of God-with-us

Unit Five – The Church Welcomes All Nations

God Chooses a People

❖ Demonstrates an understanding of the growth of the Church in Canada and throughout the world

- Retells the story of the Epiphany as celebrating God's initiative in loving us
- Explains how God calls us again and again
- Names and retells three Epiphany stories which show how God invites people into relationship: the story of the Magi, the story of Jesus' baptism and the story of the wedding feast of Cana
- Recalls and represents their experience of a Scripture Meditation (guided imagery activity)

God is Faithful

❖ Demonstrates an understanding of the growth of the Church in Canada and throughout the world

- Retells the stories of God's call in Scripture
- Researches God's faithfulness in the story of our ancestors
- Plans and presents prayer of remembering

The Lord Welcomes All the Nations

❖ Demonstrates an understanding of the growth of the Church in Canada and throughout the world

- Explains how God remains faithful to all nations
- Researches, with parish, home and school representatives, their local story of faith
- Researches the history of their parish; of the archdiocese
- Researches one of the missionary orders (e.g. Scarborough Foreign missions; the Oblates)

Unit Six – The Church Acts Justly

Anyone Who Welcomes You, Welcomes Me

❖ Explains how Justice is an essential component of what it means to be church

- Describes how the Church is called to reach out with the kindness of God
- Explains that Justice is essential to being Church
- Recalls and represents their experience of a scripture reflection on justice
- Describe how we are challenged to act justly and what makes this difficult

I Was a Stranger and You Welcomed Me

❖ Explains how Justice is an essential component of what it means to be church

- Represents through art, story, and drama the call to open our doors to others
- Explains how people welcome and reach out to others
- Creates and shares in prayers of petition

Let Justice Flow Like Water
❖ Explains the biblical meaning of Justice as an important virtue for Christians
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies and describes the place of justice in nature • Researches ecological issues facing the world and what s/he can do about them • Explains how we are one with all of creation • Creates a personal or class statement on caring for the environment • Researches how to take care of an animal habitat and explains how such care reflects justice
Unit Seven – The Church Reconciles
God Saw That It Was Good
❖ Explains Lent as a preparation for Easter
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes creation as God’s covenant • Explains how disorder in the world is a breach of the covenant • Recalls and represents their experience of a scripture reflection
God’s Faithfulness is from Age to Age
❖ Demonstrates an understanding of sin and evil
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes the reality of evil in the world and its effects on society • Shares stories of disorder in the world • Interviews others about why they think people sometimes knowingly choose to do wrong; reports findings orally or in writing • Creates and recites Psalms of Trust
The Holy Spirit Reconciles the World
❖ Explains the importance of the Sacrament of Reconciliation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes how God reconciles the world through Jesus in the Holy Spirit • Describes and represents rites and gestures of reconciliation • Plans and presents a Penitential Service
Unit Eight – The Church Loves
Love As I Have Loved You
❖ Explains the significance of oil in the liturgical and sacramental life of the Church
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes and represents the abundance of God’s love • Shares stories of the Holy Spirit acting in and among people • Shares experiences of God’s love
I Have Given You an Example
❖ Explains the significance of oil in the liturgical and sacramental life of the Church
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes the significance of oil as a symbol in life, scripture and the church • Identifies and describes the significance of anointing in our faith tradition • Explains how the Church’s ministries are rooted in the anointing with the Spirit • Explains and demonstrates the rites and gestures of anointing

We Ponder the Mystery of God's Love
❖ Explains why the Easter Vigil is the central celebration of our faith
• Explains the Triduum as the celebration of the mystery of God's love
• Represents the story and symbols of Jesus' Passion and Death
• Plans and presents a drama re-enacting Christ's Passion
Unit Nine – The Church Rejoices
Were Not Our Hearts Burning Within Us?
❖ Explains how we celebrate the risen Lord through sign, symbol and story
• Represents the risen Lord through sign, symbol and story
• Describes and represents the feast of Easter through art, story, and drama
• Shares stories of Easter joy
Christians are Easter people
❖ Explains how we celebrate the risen Lord through sign, symbol and story
• Describes how we become Easter people and what it means to be a witness to the faith
• Explains how he/she holds on to the Easter vision in his/her life
• Identifies and represents the rites and gestures of Easter people
We Meet Easter People
❖ Explains the connection of the Sacraments to the death and resurrection of Jesus
• Explains the victory of Easter in people's lives
• Describes how the Spirit of Jesus changes people
• Recalls the stories of Easter people
• Creates and shares prayers of thanks and praise
Unit Ten – The Church Witnesses
What am I to do, Lord?
❖ Demonstrates an understanding of what it means to be Church
• Explores the Church's witness through the life of Paul
• Recognizes missionary activity as the result of the Risen Lord
• Shares a story of witness
• Recalls and represents their experience of a scripture reflection
What are we to do, Lord?
❖ Demonstrates an understanding of the structure and the four marks of the Church
• Describes the structure and marks of the Church
• Explains that witnessing is essential to being Church
• Creates and share prayers for unity and thanksgiving

You Shall Be My Witness
❖ Demonstrates an understanding of what it means to be Church
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Explains what it means to be Church
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reflects on the words of Scripture through journaling and art
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describes experiences of togetherness and blessing
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Plans and carries out a year end celebration