

**RELIGION STANDARDS**

**SIDE-BY-SIDE**

**PILLAR STRANDS ALIGNMENT**

Students will understand **what we believe** as Catholic Christians.

PILLAR I	GRADE K	GRADE 1	GRADE 2
<b>CREED</b>	<p><u>FAITH</u>                      1. Present an understanding of the human need for God based on revelation and faith.</p> <p>K.1.F Recognize God's love for us through our caring family. (CCC315, 321, 733, 735, 2331)</p> <p>K.2.F Relate that all things are gifts of God. (CCC 293, 295, 315)</p>	<p><u>FAITH</u>                      1. Present an understanding of the human need for God based on revelation and faith.</p> <p>1.1.F Identify ways that God shows love for us and how we can respond. CCC 218-221, 222-227, 214</p>	<p><u>FAITH</u>                      1. Present an understanding of the human need for God based on revelation and faith.</p> <p>2.1.F Recognize that we believe in the Father, Jesus Christ and Holy Spirit. (CCC:232-234)</p> <p>2.2.F Be aware of God's presence in ourselves, the community, Scripture and the sacraments. (CCC:1088)</p>
	<p><u>SCRIPTURE</u>                      2. Read, understand, interpret, and apply Scripture to life.</p> <p>K.1.SC Demonstrated that the Bible is a special book about God. (CCC105, 138)</p> <p>K.2.SC Recall that Bible stories tell us about creation, God, and the birth of Jesus. (CCC 120-126)</p> <p>K.3.SC Recognize that Bible stories tell us about Jesus and can teach us to kind, loving and helpful. (CCC 2196)</p>	<p><u>SCRIPTURE</u>                      2. Read, understand, interpret, and apply Scripture to life.</p> <p>1.1.SC Know that the Bible contains God's word for God's people.(CCC:81.101,102,135,131-133)</p> <p>1.2.SC Point out ways that God speaks to us through the Bible. (CCC:131-133,54-56,59-60,62-64,65)</p> <p>1.3.SC Reverence the Bible as God's special book.(103-104)</p> <p>1.4.SC Re-tell in simple terms Bible stories of creation, birth of Jesus and the Easter story. (CCC:279,286-290)</p>	<p><u>SCRIPTURE</u>                      2. Read, understand, interpret, and apply Scripture to life.</p> <p>2.1.SC Indicate that the Bible is made up of Hebrew Scriptures and Christian Scriptures. (OT (CCC:121-123) (NT (CCC:124-127)</p> <p>2.2.SC Identify the Bible as inspired by God, tells about God, his people and the Life of Jesus. (CCC: 135)</p> <p>2.3.SC Identify the different types of angels and their roles. (CCC:328-336,350-354)</p> <p>2.4.SC Know that the Bible is the written word of God. (CCC:135)</p> <p>2.5.SC Acknowledge the role of the Bible in our lives. (CCC: 131)</p>

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	<p><u>TRINITY</u> 4. Recognize the Trinity as God.</p> <p>K.1.T God made all things because God loves us. (CCC 290, 609)</p> <p>K.2.T Describe who Mary and Joseph were. Mary (CCC964, 411); Joseph (CCC 497, 1846, 532)</p> <p>K.3.T Illustrate how Jesus is a good friend, full of tenderness and love. (CCC 1462, 1468-1470)</p> <p>K.4.T Recognize the Trinity as the central mystery of the Christian faith. (CCC 232-237, 243-245)</p>	<p><u>TRINITY</u> 4. Recognize the Trinity as God.</p> <p>1.1.T Relate that God wants us to be happy and always forgives us.(CCC 1449)</p> <p>1.2.T Examine how Jesus, the Son of God, teaches us about God.(238,243,244,245)</p> <p>1.3.T Recognize that the Holy Spirit can help us make good choices so we live together in peace. (CCC:1695-1830,1831,243,249-253)</p>	<p><u>TRINITY</u> 4. Recognize the Trinity as God.</p> <p>2.1.T Recognize that the Holy Spirit can help us make good choices so we live together in peace. (CCC:1453)</p> <p>2.2.T Explain that God loves us even when we hurt others.(CCC:1468-1469)</p> <p>2.3.T Recognize that Jesus brings us God’s forgiveness. (CCC:1441-1454)</p>

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CREED	<p><u>CHURCH</u> 5. Illustrate a basic understanding of Church. K.1.CH Name the liturgical seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter. (CCC1168, 1171-1173)</p>	<p><u>CHURCH</u> 5. Illustrate a basic understanding of Church.  1.1.CH Celebrate the liturgical seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter. (CCC 525, 1163)</p>	<p><u>CHURCH</u> 5. Illustrate a basic understanding of Church.  2.1.CH Indicate that the Catholic Church celebrates its faith through the sacraments. (CCC:1212)  2.2.CH Recognize that in Baptism we become members of the Church.(CCC:1234-1343)</p>
	<p><u>COMMUNITY</u> 6. Demonstrate an appreciation for faith community as a primary way we come to know God.  K.1.CO Demonstrate how we respect others at liturgy. (CCC 1167)  K.2.CO Identify the church as a sacred place where the people of God gather. (CCC 752, 811)</p>	<p><u>COMMUNITY</u> 6. Demonstrate an appreciation for faith community as a primary way we come to know God.  1.1.CO Recognize that we are Catholic Christians and belong to our family and to God’s family, the Church. (CCC:2685,946-962)  1.2.CO Describe how the Church is a special and sacred place. (CCC:2691,2696)  1.3.CO Illustrate ways our parish is a community.(CCC: 2179,2226)</p>	<p><u>COMMUNITY</u> 6. Demonstrate an appreciation for faith community as a primary way we come to know God.  2.1.C Point out that we belong to a parish family who gathers at Mass to celebrate the life of Jesus. (CCC:1324,1332,1348-1355.1408)  2.2.C Explain that the tabernacle in a Catholic Church is where the Eucharist is kept after the celebration of Mass. (CCC:1183,1379)</p>
	<p><u>CREATION</u> 7. Exercise responsible stewardship for the gift of creation.  K.1.CR Recall that all of God's creation needs care. (CCC 301)</p>	<p><u>CREATION</u> 7. Exercise responsible stewardship for the gift of creation.  1.1.CR Identify that creation is a gift of God.(CCC: 341)  1.2.CR Explain that as Christians we accept responsibility for all of God’s creation and promise to care for it.(CCC:306-307)</p>	<p><u>CREATION</u> 7. Exercise responsible stewardship for the gift of creation.  2.1.CR Explain that as Christians we accept responsibility for all of God’s creation and promise to care for it. (CCC:198,307,358)  2.2.CR Recognize God’s love for all Creations. (CCC:295,301)  2.3.CR Adam and Eve: First Parents, 1st Care takers of the earth.</p>

Students will understand **how we celebrate** the faith as Catholic Christians.

**PILLAR II**

**GRADE K**

**GRADE 1**

**GRADE 2**

**SACRAMENTS**

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8. Demonstrate the importance of sacraments, with an emphasis on the centrality of the Eucharist, in the life of Catholics.

K.1.S Demonstrate participation in parish Sunday liturgy. (CCC 2175-2176, 2178-2180)

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8. Demonstrate the importance of sacraments, with an emphasis on the centrality of the Eucharist, in the life of Catholics.

1.1.S Point out that in Baptism we become members of God’s family and receive new life.(CCC:1235,1243, 1238-1239, 1237-1241,1236)

1.2.S Explain that sacraments are celebrations and signs of Jesus’ love. (CCC:1210-1211)

1.3.S Recall that Jesus shares Himself with us in a special meal.(CCC: 1373)

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2.2.S Explain that sacraments are celebrations and signs of Jesus’ love.(CCC: 1210-1211)

2.3.S Indicate that the sacrament of penance/reconciliation is a way to say we are sorry for our sins and celebrate God’s forgiveness.(CCC:1422-1424,1440-1442)

2.4.S Indicate that the sacrament of Eucharist was begun by Jesus at the Last Supper. (CCC:1403)

2.5.S Reflect how we celebrate the Eucharist at Mass as the bread and wine are changed into the body and blood of Jesus.(CCC:1382-1385,1406-1407)

Students will understand **how we live** out the faith as Catholic Christians.

**PILLAR III**

**GRADE K**

**GRADE 1**

**GRADE 2**

**CHRISTIAN LIVING**

<p><u>VOCATIONS</u> 9. Recognize the call to serve God’s people through the ordained ministries of Holy Orders. (CCC: 1581)</p> <p>K.1.V Tell how people in our church community serve God. (CCC 1538, 1700, 825, 898, 873, 931)</p> <p>K.2.V Recognize that we are welcomed into God's family at Baptism. (CCC 1213)</p>	<p><u>VOCATIONS</u> 9. Recognize the call to serve God’s people through the ordained ministries of Holy Orders. (CCC: 1581)</p> <p>1.1.V Interpret how Jesus shows us how to live. (CCC:1213,1253,2232-2233)</p>	<p><u>VOCATIONS</u> 9. Examine the variety of Christian vocations as ways to respond to the Baptismal call.</p> <p>2.1.V Explain that Holy Orders is a sacrament of special service and commitment to the Church. CCC: 1562</p> <p>2.2.V Illustrate that through Baptism, Jesus calls us to a life of service. CCC: 1270</p>
<p><u>HUMAN DIGNITY</u> 10. Acknowledge and affirm the dignity of the human person and community.</p> <p>K.1.HD Accept and appreciate themselves as unique creations and special children of God. (CCC 2425, 2441)</p> <p>K.2.HD Point out that they themselves are lovable. (CCC 2792)</p>	<p><u>HUMAN DIGNITY</u> 10. Acknowledge and affirm the dignity of the human person and community.</p> <p>1.1.HD Recognize that we care for people of different cultures and races (CCC: 2252,2255,2426, 2212 ,561)</p>	<p><u>HUMAN DIGNITY</u> 10. Acknowledge and affirm the dignity of the human person and community.</p> <p>2.1.HD Demonstrate that we love ourselves as gifts of God. (CCC:293,295,315,872)</p> <p>2.2.HD Recognize that we care for people of different cultures and races (CCC: 2252,2255,2426,2212 ,561)</p>
<p><u>HUMAN SEXUALITY</u> 11. Apply Catholic principles to interpersonal relations.</p> <p>K.1.HS Tell how we love our families. (CCC 2052)</p> <p>K.2.HS Relate how we love our neighbors. (CCC 1931, 2401)</p> <p>K.3.HS Apply the concept of sharing with others. (CCC 2053)</p> <p>K.4.HS Show care for other people. (CCC 2053)</p>	<p><u>HUMAN SEXUALITY</u> 11. Apply Catholic principles to interpersonal relations.</p> <p>1.1.HS Show how we love our family. (CCC 2203, 2206-2210)</p> <p>1.2.HS Relate how we love our neighbors. (CCC 1931, 2401)</p> <p>1.3.HS Apply the concept of sharing with others. (CCC 2053)</p> <p>1.4.HS Show care for other people. (CCC 2053)</p>	<p><u>HUMAN SEXUALITY</u> 11. Apply Catholic principles to interpersonal relations.</p> <p>2.1.HS Point out that we treat others the way Jesus treated others.(CCC:1928-1933,2055,2067)</p> <p>2.2.HS Relate how we love our neighbors. (CCC 1931, 2401)</p> <p>2.3.HS Apply the concept of sharing with others. (CCC 2053)</p> <p>2.4.HS Show care for other people. (CCC 2053)</p>

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CHRISTIAN LIVING	<p><u>SOCIAL JUSTICE</u> 12. Know, critique and apply social justice principles to personal and societal situations.</p> <p>K.1.SJ Show concern for all people, especially those in need. (CCC 1928-1942, 2425-2426, 2832)</p>	<p><u>SOCIAL JUSTICE</u> 12. Know, critique and apply social justice principles to personal and societal situations.</p> <p>1.1.SJ Demonstrate how we show concern for the poor and the suffering.(CCC: 1931)</p>	<p><u>SOCIAL JUSTICE</u> 12. Know, critique and apply social justice principles to personal and societal situations.</p> <p>2.1.SJ Indicate how we share what we have with others. . (CCC:1934-1937, 1939-1940)</p>
	<p><u>COMMUNITY SERVICE</u> 13. Engage in service to the community (e.g., family, parish, local, national and global) in response to the Gospel call.</p> <p>K.1.CS Recognize that Jesus wants us to help our family and friends. (CCC 1653, 910, 2239, 2310)</p>	<p><u>COMMUNITY SERVICE</u> 13. Engage in service to the community (e.g., family, parish, local, national and global) in response to the Gospel call.</p> <p>1.1.CS Describe how we are helpful and loving to our parents, teachers and friends. (CCC 2207-223, 2214-2231)</p>	<p><u>COMMUNITY SERVICE</u> 13. Engage in service to the community (e.g., family, parish, local, national and global) in response to the Gospel call.</p> <p>2.1.CS Recall that the Eucharist is a sacrament of love and service. (CCC:1337)</p> <p>2.2.CS Indicate how we cooperate in school, church and community projects. (CCC:898-907)</p> <p>2.3.CS Demonstrate how we share in Jesus’ ministry by loving and serving others. (CCC:898-907,1928-1933)</p>
	<p><u>MORAL CONSCIENCE</u> 14. Develop a moral conscience informed by Church teachings.</p> <p>K.1.MC Demonstrate that we show love by how we act. (CCC 1802-1804)</p> <p>K.2.MC Give examples of right and wrong. (CCC 1786, 1789)</p>	<p><u>MORAL CONSCIENCE</u> 14. Develop a moral conscience informed by Church teachings.</p> <p>1.1.MC Demonstrate how we live good lives with the help of the Holy Spirit. .(CCC: 232,237,249,253-256)</p> <p>1.2.MC Give examples of right and wrong. (CCC 1786, 1789)</p>	<p><u>MORAL CONSCIENCE</u> 14. Develop a moral conscience informed by Church teachings.</p> <p>2.1 MC Point out that we have a choice to do good.(CCC:1777-1778,1786)</p> <p>2.2 MC Explain that we sin when we choose not to do good. (CCC:1790, 1793-1794)</p>

Students will understand **how we pray** as Catholic Christians.

**PILLAR IV**

**GRADE K**

**GRADE 1**

**GRADE 2**

**PRAYER**

CATHOLIC TRADITION OF PRAYER	CATHOLIC TRADITION OF PRAYER	CATHOLIC TRADITION OF PRAYER
15. Know and participate in the Catholic tradition of prayer.	15. Know and participate in the Catholic tradition of prayer.	15. Know and participate in the Catholic tradition of prayer.
K.1.P Pray before meals and give thanks to God. (CCC 2616)	1.1.P All previous grade prayers taught	2.1.P All previous grade prayers taught
K.2.P Say simple prayers in the morning, evening and at mealtime. (CCC 2616)	a. Mastery of the Sign of the Cross. (CCC 2700)	a. Mastery of the Sign of the Cross. (CCC 2700)
K.3.P Pray spontaneously on special occasions. (CCC 2700)	b. Pray the Our Father. (CCC 2459-2761)	b. Pray the Our Father. (CCC 2459-2761)
K.4.P Participate in prayer in class, with the family, and at church. (CCC 2623-2625, 2691)	c. Pray the Hail Mary (CCC 2676-2679)	c. Pray the Hail Mary (CCC 2676-2679)
K.5.P Mastery of the Sign of the Cross. (CCC 2700)	d. Pray the Glory Be to the Father	d. Pray the Glory Be to the Father
K.6.P Pray the Our Father. (CCC 2459-2761)	e. Pray the Guardian Angel Prayer	e. Pray the Guardian Angel Prayer
K.7.P Pray the Hail Mary (CCC 2676-2679)	f. Participate in the Liturgy of the Word	f. Participate in the Liturgy of the Word
K.8.P Pray the Glory Be to the Father	1.2.P Recognize that prayer is listening to and talking with God, Mary and the Saints. (CCC:2559)	2.2.P Explain that at Mass we gather together as God's family and pray the responses.(CCC:2181-2185)
K.9.P Pray the Guardian Angel Prayer	1.3.P Show how Jesus teaches us how to pray. (CCC:2700-2704) (2559-2565)	2.3.P Relate what happens at the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Word(CCC:1190,1349) (CCC:1346)
K.10.P Participate in the Liturgy of the Word		2.4.P Recite a Prayer of Sorrow.(Act of Contrition)
K.11.P Participate in the Living Rosary and school-wide Liturgy celebrations		2.5.P The Apostles' Creed
		2.6.P Rosary
		2.7.P Simple Acts of Faith, Hope and Love
		2.8.P Spontaneous Prayer
		2.9.P Prayer pf Petition
		2.10.P Recite verses from the Bible
		2.11.P Knowledge of the Liturgical calendar and the Liturgical seasons.
		2.12.P Exhibit awareness of and appreciation for the Liturgical year cycle and various feasts of the Liturgical year.