

Scope and Sequence for *Jesus Christ: Source of Our Salvation*

	Focus Question	Main Ideas	Key SLP Points	CCC References	Scripture References	Church Documents	Saints
Chapter 1 God's Good Creation: The Beginning of Salvation History	What does God's creation tell you about his plan for salvation?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • God created humans to share, by knowledge and love, in his own life. His creation reveals the type of relationship that he wanted with humanity. After sin entered the world, the only way this relationship would be possible was through the saving actions of Christ. • Basic scriptural scholarship can help you understand the lessons the Church draws from the Book of Genesis. • The first creation account reveals God's power and majesty as he creates the earth and its inhabitants from nothing in six days. • The second creation account reveals 	IA1 IA2 IB1a IB1b IB1c IB2 IB2a IB2b IB3 IB4 IB4a IB4b IB4c IB4d IIA IIA1 IIA1a IIA1b IIA1c IIB1a IIB1b IIB1c IIC1a IIC2d IIC4b IIIA1 IVB2 IVC1 IVC3c IVC4b1 IVD2d VA3	50, 54, 55, 56, 58, 59, 60, 62, 64, 105, 107, 109, 110, 111, 114, 117, 119, 159, 197, 280, 290, 292, 293, 294, 295, 347, 353, 356, 369, 374, 375, 376, 383, 384, 387- 400, 400- 406, 571, 737, 1167, 1703, 1704, 1706, 2171, 2174, 2334, 2336	Gn 1:1-2:4a; 1:27, 13, 28; 2:3, 7, 15, 16, 19, 4-25; 6:5- 9:17 Ex 3 Ps 91:10-12 Tb 3 Is 55:8 Mt 6:9; 19:6 Lk 1 Jn 1:1-3 Rom 5:5 Col 1:16-17	<i>Dei Filius</i> , 4 <i>Dei Verbum</i> , 12 <i>Gaudium et Spes</i> , 24 <i>General Catechetical Directory</i> , 51 <i>Laudato Si'</i> , 94 <i>Mulieris Dignitatem</i> , 6	St. John Paul II St. Augustine St. Isidore St. Francis of Assisi St. Bonaventure

		the care and concern that God feels for his newly created people and shows what he wanted to provide for them.					
Chapter 2 The Fall and the Promise of a Savior	Why are you in need of salvation?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The consequence of Original Sin, the fallen state of human nature in which all people are born, remain part of human life today. • God remains faithful to his people in spite of sinfulness. • God's covenants reveal his desire to draw humans to himself. • Through the Old Testament prophets and kings, God makes regular efforts to call his people away from sin to a relationship with him and to give them hope of Savior. 	IB2 IB2a IB4 IB4a IB4b IB4c IB4d IIA IIA1 IIA1a IIA1b IIA1c IIB1a IIB1b IIB1c IIB1d IIB2 IIC1a IIC3 IIC3b IIIA3 IVC4b1 IVC4b3 VB1b3 VB1c VB2a	285, 312, 391, 395, 399, 400, 404, 405, 401, 402- 406, 407, 1708, 1865, 1867	Gn 2:16b-17; 3:4-5, 15; 4:1- 16; 6:5-9:29; 11:1-9; 12:2- 3; 15:18 Ex 19:3-6 2 Sm 7:11-12; 23:5 1 Kgs 3 Tb 12:15 Is 7:1; 9:5-6; 42:6; 49: 6, 8, 15-16; 60:1-5 Jer 31:31-34 Ez 37:11-14 Dn 12:1 Jn 29 8:44 Rom 4:16; 5:12, 20, 20b; 7:19- 20 Phil 2:8 1 Jn 3:8; 5:19b Jude 1:9 Rv 12:1	<i>Laudato Si'</i> , 209	St. Leo the Great St. Thomas Aquinas St. Paul St. Augustine of Hippo St. Michael

<p>Chapter 3 The Coming of the Messiah</p>	<p>How did Christ's birth and early years reveal the presence of God?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus' name and titles reveal different aspects of his identity as fully divine and fully human. • The Gospels show that Jesus' life mission was apparent from his earliest years. • John's Gospel begins by stating that the Word of God participated in creation and was born into the world to destroy evil and save his people. • Jesus' Baptism and his temptation in the desert reveal the nature of his sacrificial mission. 	<p>IIB1a IIB2 IIC1a IIC1b IIC1c IIC1d IIC2a IIC2b IIC2c IIC2d IIC3 IIC3a IIC3b IIC3c IIC4a IIC4b IIC5a IIC5b IIC5e IIA3 IIA3 IIA4 IVC1 IVC4a1 IVC4a3 VA2b</p>	<p>426, 457, 458, 459, 469, 517, 518, 528, 530, 536, 539, 653, 654</p>	<p>Ex 1:22 1 Sm 2:1-10 Ps 2:7 Is 7:14; 42:1; 53:4a-5 Jer 31:15 Mi 5:1 Hos 11:1 Mt 1-2; 3:1-17; 4:1-11; 11:11; 16:16; 8:17 Mk 8:29; 1:2-11; 1:12-13 Lk 1-2, 46-55; 3:1-22; 4:1-13; 9:35; 22:20 Jn 1:1-2 3, 4-5, 9, 14, 19-34; 3:16; 8:12; 12:31; 14:6, 9b Rom 5:19; 8:3 Gal 4:4-5 Phil 2:5-8 Heb 4:15-16 2 Pt 1:4 1 Jn 4:10</p>	<p><i>On the Incarnation</i>, 3, 54</p>	<p>St. Paul St. Luke St. Peter St. Athanasius St. John the Baptist</p>
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<p>Chapter 4 The Message and Ministry of Jesus Christ</p>	<p>How did Jesus' message and ministry influence the way you live your life?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jesus faced both acceptance and rejection as he began his ministry and formed a community of followers that was the foundation of the Church. • Jesus preached the coming of the Kingdom of God and described several of its characteristics. • Jesus' parables were a masterful means of communicating the nature of the Kingdom of God using everyday subjects and surprising twists. • Jesus' miracles are signs that the Kingdom of God is at hand. In his miracles, Jesus shows his divine power over illness, evil, nature, and death. • The wedding at Cana, the Transfiguration, and the institution of the 	<p>IIB2 IIC1a IIC1d IIC3a IIC3c IIC4a IIC5c IIC5d IIC5e IIIA1 IVB2 IVC3c IVC3d IVC4b2 IVD2d VA2a VB2c VC1 VC2 VC3</p>	<p>428, 541- 546, 551, 591, 1340, 1344</p>	<p>Ps 65:8; 89:10, 93:3-4; 107:29 Is 65:17 Mt 5:25-26; 8:19-22; 10:1, 38; 11:1; 13:1- 9, 18-23, 24- 30, 44-46, 47- 50; 16:13-20; 17:1-8; 18:23- 35; 20:1-16, 17; 21:28-32, 33-46; 22:1- 14; 24:32-35; 25:1-13, 31- 46; 26:26-30, Mk 1:14, 15; 4:26-29, 30- 32; 6:5-6; 9:2- 8; 14:22-26; 16:15 Lk 2:34-35; 4:31-37, 38- 39; 5:12-16, 31-32; 6:13, 17, 20; 7:11- 17, 22; 8:5-8, 22-25, 26-39; 9:2, 10-17, 18-21, 28-36; 10:25-37; 11:5-8, 17-18; 12:15, 34, 35- 40; 14:7-24; 15:3-7, 8-10, 11-31; 16:19- 31; 17:7-10; 18:1-8,9-14, 35-42; 19:37; 22:14-20 Jn 2:1-12; 4:1; 6:22-59, 66; 8:31; 9:28; 11:1-44; 21:15-19 Acts 6:1-7 1 Cor 1:23, 9:1- 2 Eph 5:21-33 Rev 21:1</p>	<p><i>Ad Gentes, 1</i></p>	<p>St. Josephine Bakhita St. Paul St. Peter St. Augustine of Hippo St. Bernadette Soubrious St. Pio of Pietrelcina St. Thomas Aquinas</p>
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		Eucharist revealed both Jesus' identity and his power as the Son of God.					
Chapter 5 The Passion and Death of Jesus Christ	How did Jesus' death on the cross bring about your salvation?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When you are open to God's love and aware that all people are made in his image, you are more likely to sacrifice yourself for another. • The events leading up to Jesus' Passion and Death help to provide understanding of why Jesus suffered. • Some religious leaders and Pontius Pilate unjustly condemned Jesus to an agonizing Death on the Cross. • Christ's Death, part of the Paschal Mystery, is an act of love that is central to God's eternal plan and to your salvation. Christ died for the salvation of all, 	IB4a IB4c Ib4d IIA IIA1 IIB1a IIB2 IIC1a IIC1d IIC2a IIC2b IIC3 IIC3b IIC4a IIC4b IIC5a IIA2 IIA4 IVA1 IVB2 IVC3a IVC3b IVD2a VB2b3 VB1c VB2a VB2b VC4	598, 615, 1058, 1357, 1544, 2280, 2283, 2466	Is 53:10, 11 Ez 37:1-14 Zec 9:9 Mt 21:5, 9, 12-13, 15; 16:24; 23:23, 27, 28; 26:5, 26, 27-28, 35, 39, 41, 57-68, 69-75; 27:3-5, 11, 22, 25, 29, 47, 51b-53, 54, 55-56, Mk 10:45; 12:13-17; 14:7, 61, Lk 22:3-6, 21; 23:39-43; 24:44-48 Jn 1:14; 2:14-23; 4:1-34; 10:11; 11:48; 12:3-6; 19:12; 19-22; 25-26; 21:20 Acts 2:14-4:22 Rom 3:25; 5:8; 8:3 1 Cor 15:3 2 Cor 5:19 Phil 2:5-11 Heb 5:10; 6:20; 10:14 1 Jn 1, 4:10	<i>Nostra Aetate</i> , 4-5	St. Jerome St. Irenaeus St. Rose of Lima St. Paul St. Jose Luis Sanchez del Rio

		and all bear responsibility for his Death.				
Chapter 6 The Resurrection of Jesus Christ	How does the essential Christian message—“Jesus is risen!”—change your life?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Resurrection of Jesus Christ turned the despair of Christ’s disciples into hope and helped them to better understand God’s Plan. Christ’s Resurrection, part of the Paschal Mystery, has both historical and transcendent dimensions. Relying on different accounts of what happened, the four Gospel writers all included the essential elements of Jesus’ Resurrection. The Glorification of Christ culminates in the sending of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. 	IIC1a IIC1d IIC2c IIC2d IIC3 IIC5c IIIA1 IVA2 IVA3 IVA4 IVB IVB1 IVB2 IVB3 IVC1 IVC2 IVC3b IVC4b3 IVD2a IVD2c IVD2d VB2c VC2 VC3 VC4	633, 646, 648, 659, 660, 966, 1407	Is 43:1-4a Mt 27:62-66; 28:1-8, 9-10, 11-15, 16-20, 20b Mk 3:27-28; 16:1-8, 9-20a Lk 15:11-32; 24:1-12, 13-35, 36-43, 44-49, 50-53 Jn 10:1-18; 12:32; 15:26, 16:7; 20:19; 20:1-10, 11-18, 19-23, 24-29; 21:1-14, 15-22 Acts 2:1-13, 14-41 Rom 5:5 1 Cor 12:3; 15:14, 17-19 Col 1:13-14 Heb 2:14 1 Pt 4:6 1 Jn 3:8	St. Paul St. Peter St. John the Baptist

<p>Chapter 7 Redemption through the Paschal Mystery</p>	<p>What does the Paschal Mystery have to do with eternal life?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With forgiveness and compassion, God welcomes everyone into his saving presence and home in his eternal Kingdom. • The Paschal Mystery is a living event that you can participate in through the sacraments; you can structure your life around it. • The graces and effects of the Sacrament of Baptism and the Sacrament of Confirmation help you to live a Christian life and strive for the goal of reaching heaven. • Your eternal destination is determined by your own deeds on earth, which will be judged fairly in a particular judgment by Christ immediately after your death. After Christ comes again in glory at the end 	<p>IB1a IB2c IIA IIC2d IIC3b IIIA1 IVB2 IVC1 IVC3b IVC3c IVC3d IVC3e IVC4a1 IVC4a2 IVC4a3 IVC4b2 IVC4b3 IVD1 IVD2a IVD2c IVD2d VA1 VA2c VA3</p>	<p>330, 405, 683, 1017, 1039, 1040, 1692, 1407, 2000</p>	<p>Dt 30:15-19 2 Maccabees 12:39-46 Mt 6:12; 13:41-42; 25:31-46 Mk 1:15; 14:36 Lk 6:37; 16:19-31; 23:24, 46 Jn 5:28-29; 13:34; 14:16-18 1 Cor 3:15 2 Cor 5:10, 17-18 Rom 3:22, 23; 6:1-2 Phil 1:27 2 Tm 4:6-8 1 Pt 1:7 2 Pt 1:4 Rv 21:4</p>	<p><i>On the Resurrection of the Flesh, 8 Peace of Soul Rite of Funerals, 38</i></p>	<p>St. Joan of Arc St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta St. Paul St. Francis de Sales St. Maria Guadalupe Garcia Zavala</p>
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		of the world, your body will be resurrected and united with your soul, and the Last Judgment will take place.					
Chapter 8 Discipleship and Holiness through Ongoing Conversion	What are the requirements and benefits of being a disciple of Jesus Christ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discipleship means conforming yourself to Christ by getting to know him as a friend and by following his teachings and commandments. • Spiritual growth involves a conversion— that is, a radical reorientation away from sin, evil, and selfishness and toward God and service to others. • Faith, hope, and charity (love) are essential virtues for growing in holiness and for following Christ more closely. <p>As a disciple of Christ, you are called to be both an evangelist of God's Word and a steward of his gifts.</p>	IB2d IIC3d IIC3b IIC3c IVB2 IVC3b IVC3c IVC4a3 IVC4b1 IVC4b2 IVC4b3 IVC5 IVD1 IVD2a IVD2b IVD2b1 IVD2c IVD2d VA1 VA2a VA2b VA2c VA3 VA3a VC4 VD2 VD3	520, 618, 1324- 1325, 1693, 1755, 1759, 1779, 1803, 1814, 1817, 1822, 1827	Mt 5:17b, 19a; 7:2; 22:37-40; 25: 31-46; 28:19-20 Mk 9:24 1 Cor 9:25; 13:1,4-8, 13, 23:46 Jn 15:5, 9, 12- 17 Gal 2:20 Col 3:14 Ja 2:26 1 Jn 4:7-16, 18, 19-21	<i>Novo Millennio Ineunte</i> , 38	St. Paul St. Francis of Assisi St. Thomas Aquinas St. Augustine of Hippo

<p>Chapter 9 Discipleship through Prayer</p>	<p>How does prayer contribute to your salvation?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prayer is defined in many ways, but essentially prayer is your response to God, who seeks you. • You can pray in multiple ways and on all occasions. Any effort at prayer is prayer itself. • Sacred Scripture offers many examples of faithful people who related to God through prayer. Many Catholic prayers that are prayed both individually and in community come directly from the Bible or are partially based on Sacred Scripture. • While the Our Father and Hail Mary are both essential Christian prayers, it is the Our Father emanating from Jesus' response to his disciples to "teach us to pray," that is the preeminent Christian prayer. 	<p>IB2c IIC1b IVB2 IVC3d IVD2b VA1 VA3 VA3a VA3b VA3c VA4 VB1 VB1a2 VB1b1 VB1b2 VC5 VC6 VC7 VD1</p>	<p>238, 239, 240, 2558, 2565, 2679, 2682 2705, 2764</p>	<p>Gn 9:1, 22:1-19; 32:23-33 Ex 3:114; 33:11 Ru 1:17 2 Sm 7:18-29, 12:13 1 Kgs 18:37 Jer 1-6 Mt 4:1-11; 5-7; 6:9-13; 13:1-9; 14:22-23; 24:21 Mk 9:2-8 Lk 1:28, 42, 46-55; 2:49; 6:12-16; 11:1, 2b-4, 5-13, 19; 18:1-13; 22:42; 32:34 Jn 6:35, 11:41-42; 17:1-26 Acts 1:14; 2:42; 4:13 1 Thes 5:17</p>	<p><i>On Prayer</i>, 1</p>	<p>St. Paul St. Frances Cabrini St. Augustine St. Therese of Lisieux St. Clement of Alexandria St. Teresa of Avila St. Ignatius of Loyola ST. Pio of Pietrelcina St. Benedict of Nursia</p>
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