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# Religious Studies Department Sacred Scriptures 10 Course Syllabus

**GRADE LEVEL: 10** 

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#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish, but have eternal life."

- John 3:16

#### Welcome to Sacred Scripture course!

This course will help grade 10 students to focus on what it is that they desire in life and to wonder about what God desires for them. Through exploring God's Word, divine Revelation in Sacred Scriptures and in the teaching of the Church, it is hoped that students will begin to recognize God's purpose for their lives and trust in His love for them.

The Religious Studies course for grade 10 students is anchored on the three Pillars of the Campus Ministry Department namely: "Word" for Doctrine, "Witness" for the valuing and application of the concept learned, and "Worship" for the celebration of faith. The harmony of these three pillars will help to ensure holistic formation of the students. Students will be able to:

#### **COURSE OBJECTIVES AND CONTENTS: SWBAT discover about:**

**WORD:** Communicate a clear understanding of God's Word Revealed in Sacred Scripture recognizing one's aspiration to find meaning in life and communicating how Catholic teachings help them in their search for true happiness and fulfillment.

**WITNESS:** Articulate and apply the elements involved in good moral decision-making that are relevant in their lives as seniors; intensify the D' TORCH values along with the core values of Dominicans in response to God's call to live a moral life; develop community service initiatives/projects as a response to God's invitation to serve others (Matthew 25:40)

WORSHIP: Establish relationship with God by active participation during a weekly Gospel reflection, classroom-based religious activities and school-wide celebration of the Holy Eucharist; rediscover the very meaning and significance of the Holy Mass as the highest form of worship and central action and aspect of our lives of faith and the primary way Catholics worship God as a community. The integration of concepts from the "YOUCAT" will certainly help students deepen their understanding of the given topic for the whole school year. YOUCAT is the Catechism of the Catholic Church for adolescents and young people. The most important elements of the faith are summarized briefly and comprehensively in a question-and-answer format. The YOUCAT was approved by the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith in Rome. With more than 5 million copies sold, it is one of the best-selling Catholic books in the world.

#### LITURGICAL FEASTS AND DIFFERENT SEASONS OF THE CHURCH

- F.1. Advent
- F.2. Christmas
- F.3. Lent
- F.4. Holy Week
- F.5. Easter
- F.6. Ordinary Time
- F.7. Holy Days (Dominican/ Saints' Feasts)
- F.8. Feasts in Honor of Mother Mary

#### **DOMINICAN PILLARS AND CORE VALUES**

- G.1. Study= Truth
- G.2. Prayer=Joy
- G.3. Community=Justice
- G.4. Service/Preaching= Compassion

#### PARAGONS OF VALUES: DOMINICAN SAINTS AND BLESSED

Months Feasts/Memorials of Dominican Saints

August 02- Bl. Jane of Aza

08- St. Dominic de Guzman

14- St. Dominic Ibañez

17- St. Hyacinth of Poland

18- Bl. Mannes de Guzman

23- Rose of Lima

September 18- St. John Macias

20- St. Francis Posadas

28- St. Lawrence Ruiz

October 09- St. Louis Bertrand

November 03- St. Martin de Porres

15- St. Albert the Great

22- Bl. Cecilia

December 01- Bl. John Vercelli

The Holy Family

January 07- St. Raymond of Peñafort

18- St. Margaret of Hungary

February 13- Bl. Jordan of Saxony

March 07- St. Thomas Aquinas

**April** 05- St. Vincent Ferrer

06/29- St. Peter of Verona

20- St. Agnes of Montepulciano 29/30- St. Catherine of Siena

30- St. Pius V

May 10- St. Anthony of Florence

12- Bl. Imelda Lambertini 20- Bl. Columba of Reiti Others June 09- Bl. Diana July 17- Bl. Ceslaus

# School wide Learning Outcomes (SLO's): D'TORCH: Dominicans are Truthful, Organized, Reflective, Courageous, and Helpful

#### **GRADING SYSTEM:**

#### 50% Academic

Section A: Homework, Seatwork, Projects	.16.66%
NOTE: Attendance will be included in the grading	J.
Section B: Quizzes	.16.67%
Section C. Major Quarterly Exam	.16.67%
Section D: Deportment	.50%

#### **50 % Deportment (Behavior)**

TOTAL		95 points
<ul> <li>Helpful.</li> </ul>		19 points
<ul> <li>Courag</li> </ul>	eous	19 points
<ul> <li>Reflecti</li> </ul>	ve	19 points
<ul> <li>Organiz</li> </ul>	zed	19 points
<ul> <li>Truthful</li> </ul>		19 points

**Note:** The highest possible grade students can get every quarter in Deportment is 95 points in conformity with the current grading system.

#### PRIMARY TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER RESOURCES

#### **Books and Electronic Books:**

Aquinas, Thomas (1981). *Summa Theologica*. Trans. Fathers of the English Dominican Province. Notre Dame, IN: Christian Classics.

De Barra, Micheal and Joseph McCann (2013). *God's Word Revealed in Sacred Scriptures*. Veritas Publications.

P.L.E. Thomas Aquinas, "The Five Ways" Philosophy of Religion. https://philosophy.lander.edu/intro/aquinas.shtml

St. Katharine of Siena Parish. *POPE FRANCIS' APOSTOLIC LETTER ON THE LITURGY*, https://www.stkatharineofsiena.org/2022/07/16/pope-francis-apostolic-letter-on-the-liturgy/

#### **Electronic References:**

Ascension Presents. (2019, August 22). Why Catholics Use Scripture and Tradition [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mTBud-9Vlzo

Catholic Productions. (2020, January 21). *Jesus Public Ministry Begins (Part 1)* [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A\_wJiuoFB2A

DailyWire+. (2018, December 17). What Is the Catholic View of Salvation? [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EevRrWyBllY

Jesus.net. (2017, March 12). Jesus Walks on Water | The Life of Jesus | #15 [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vPnfcnBSReY

National Geographic. (2018, December 22). *The History of the Bible, Animated | National Geographic* [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2AuDhWiO2D4

St. Paul Center. (2023, May 12). FREE SAMPLE! Introduction to "Full of Grace" Course [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\_\_z3bp3a8UE

The Thomistic Institute. (2020, September 29). *The Eucharist (Aquinas 101)* [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mD0PwPDGfZA

Three Minute Theology. (2015, March 14). 3 Minute Theology 2.2: How is the Bible Divinely Inspired? [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Rt0tlOosg8

Whiteboard Ministry. (2019, June 2). HOW TO INTERPRET SCRIPTURE | Hermeneutics, Exegesis, and Eisegesis | Understanding the Bible EP 01 [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NPP3hJFj7z0

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The Google Classroom code will be given to all students to access Religious Studies' learning guide and tasks.
- There will be NO Homework to be given during the weekend except during major exams or quizzes. It is to give them a chance to spend quality time with their family.
- The Project D (Detention) significantly affects the Deportment Grade of students.

#### **ON ACADEMIC DISHONESTY:**

<u>Academic Dishonesty</u> means employing a method or technique or engaging in conduct in an academic endeavor that contravenes the standards of ethical integrity expected at DIS. Academic dishonesty includes but is not limited to, the following:

- Purposely incorporating the ideas, words of sentences, paragraphs, or parts thereof without appropriate acknowledgment and representing the product as one's own work; and
- Representing another's intellectual work such as photographs, paintings, drawings, sculpture, or research or the like as one's own, including failure to attribute content to an AI.
- Employing a tutor, making use of Artificial Intelligence without acknowledgement, getting a parent to write a paper or do an assignment, paying for an essay to be written by someone else and presented as the student's own work.
- Committing any act that a reasonable person would conclude, when informed of the evidence, to be a dishonest means of obtaining or attempting to obtain credit for academic work.

Any act of academic dishonesty will result in an automatic zero on the entire assignment and deduction from the Deportment.

### First QUARTER - TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENTS

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
Week 1 Aug 10 to 11  10 - First Day / Orientation Day 14-St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest and martyr 15-The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Welcome back to school Dominicans!  August 10: School's Opening and General Orientation Day
Week 2 Aug 14 to 18  17-Saint Hyacinth of Poland 18- Blessed Mannes	<ul> <li>Orientation/ Introduction Continuation</li> <li>Overview of the Subject</li> <li>Course contents for the whole quarter and subject's requirements</li> <li>Grading system (See the syllabus.)</li> <li>Rules and Regulations</li> <li>Review: DIS Vision-Mission and Philosophy</li> <li>D' TORCH values and Dominican Ethos</li> <li>Basic Prayers</li> <li>Students' Profile</li> <li>Practice for the Mass</li> <li>Review: Parts of the Mass</li> <li>August 15: Opening Mass  Assumption of Our Lady  (Virtual Streaming)</li> </ul>
Week 3 Aug 21 to 25 21- St. Pius X, Pope 22-The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary 23- Saint Rose of Lima 24- St. Bartholomew, apostle 27- St. Monica	1ST QUARTER CHAPTER 1: God's Desire for us: Our Desire for God  Prayer: Genesis 1:24-31  Exemplar of the Week: St. Augustine of Hippo, p. 21  Focus: Faith  Topics: (1) Where do we find meaning in life (2) Human Life is Special

	Students' Engagement: Watch: Jesus Walks on Water   The Life of Jesus   #15, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vPnfcnBSReY  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Group Exercise: Read: Refer to p. 10
Week 4 Aug 28 to Sept 1 28- St. Augustine 03-St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor	Prayer: 1 John 4:7-10  Exemplar of the Week: St. Augustine of Hippo, p. 21  Focus: Faith  Topics: (3) Human Beings share in God's Divine Life (4) How Do we recognize our desire for God  Activity (See, Judge and Act): Read: Refer to p. 21  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 23)  Aug 28-Monday Morning Assembly: Creative Play about the Life of St Dominic de Guzman
Week 5 Sept 4 to 8  05-Anniversary of deceased Dominican friends and benefactors	CHAPTER 2: God reaches out to us in many ways  Prayer: Psalms 8:3-9  Exemplar of the Week: St. Katharine Drexel, p. 37  Focus: Transcendence  Topics: (1) Is it reasonable to believe in God? (2) The Heavens proclaim the glory of God

	Students' Engagement: Watch: What Is the Catholic View of Salvation? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EevRrWyBIIY  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Journal Exercise: Read: Refer to p. 27  Sept 08-The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Mass and VIP Induction)
	Prayer: Romans 1:20-32  Exemplar of the Week: St. Katharine Drexel, p. 37  Focus: Transcendence
Week 6 Sep 11 to 15	<b>Topics:</b> (3) We can begin to know God through human reasoning (4) Consider other arguments for God's existence
11- St. Ambrose, Edward Barlow 14-The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	Students' Engagement: Read: Read: Thomas Aquinas, "The Five Ways," https://philosophy.lander.edu/intro/aquinas.shtml
15-Our Lady of Sorrows	Activity (See, Judge and Act): Read: Refer to p. 35  Pedagogy: Socratic Method
	Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 39)
	<b>Sept 12-14</b> Pre-Exam Days
Week 7 Sep 18 to 22  18- Saint Juan Macias 21- St. Matthew, apostle and evangelist	Review of the Topics for the Quarterly Examination: (1) Chapter 1: God's Desire for us: Our Desire for God (1.1) Where do we find meaning in life (1.2) Human Life is Special
	(1.3) Human Beings share in God's Divine Life

	(1.4) How Do we recognize our desire for God  (2) Chapter 2: God reaches out to us in many ways  (2.1) Is it reasonable to believe in God?  (2.2) The Heavens proclaim the glory of God  (2.3) We can begin to know God through human reasoning  (2.4) Consider other arguments for God's existence  Students' Engagement: Recitation (Question and Answer)  Assessment: Checking of Notes  Self-Assessment Student's Deportment  Individual Conference  Preparation for the Quarter Exam  Completion of the Subject's Requirements for the 1st Quarter
Week 8 Sep 25 to 29  28-Saint Dominic Ibanez, Friar and Priest, Saint James Kyushei Tomonaga, Friar and Priest, Saint Lawrence Ruiz, Layman And Companions, Members of the Dominican Family, Martyrs of Nagasaki, Japan 29-Sts. Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, archangels 30-St. Jerome, priest and doctor	Sept 25-28 Teacher's Conference (No classes for students) Sept 29-Moon Festival (No classes)
Week 9 Oct 2 to 6  5-6 First Quarter Exam	Oct 02- Launching of the Month of the Most Holy Rosary/World Mental Health and Bullying Prevention

04-Our Holy Father
Francis of Assisi
05-Blessed Raymond of
Capua
06-Blessed Bartolo Longo
07-Our Lady of the
Rosary

# Oct 5-6 First Quarter Exam Record Day

Oct 10 Double Ten – Public Holiday (No Classes)

### **Second QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENTS**

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
	2ND QUARTER CHAPTER 3: God's Revelation through the Bible
	Prayer: Philippians 2:6-11
	Exemplar of the Week: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, p. 57
Week 1 (10) Oct 11 to 13	Focus: Grace
12-Our Lady of Pillar 13-St. Theophilus	<b>Topics:</b> (1) Past, Present and Future (2) The Bible tells the story of God's action in human history
15-St. Teresa of Jesus, virgin and doctor 09-Saint Luis Bertran	Students' Engagement: Watch: FREE SAMPLE! Introduction to "Full of Grace" Course, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z3bp3a8UE
	Pedagogy: Socratic Method
	<b>Activity:</b> Listen/Sing: "Amazing Grace" <i>Refer to p.</i> 55
	Oct 13-14 Catholic Students' Integration Day (Overnight Camping at DIS Ground)
	<b>Prayer:</b> 1 John 4:7-13
Week 2 (11) Oct 16 to 20	<b>Exemplar of the Week:</b> St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, p. 57
22-Anniversary of the Dedication of the Church	Focus: Grace
22-St. John Paul II, Pope	<b>Topics:</b> (3) The Bible reveals God's plan for humanity (4) Poetry, Music and Song as storehouses of meaning

Activity (See, Judge and Act): Read: Research your Family's History, refer to p. 57 **Pedagogy:** Socratic Method Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 59) **CHAPTER 4:** The Bible: The Inspired Word of God Prayer: Psalms 9:1-10 **Exemplar of the Week:** Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., p. 74 Focus: Divine Inspiration Week 3 (12) **Topics:** (1) What does it mean to be inspired? (2) Oct 23 to Oct 27 The Bible is inspired Word of God 28- Sts. Simon and Jude, **Students' Engagement:** Watch: 3 Minute Theology apostles 2.2: How is the Bible Divinely Inspired? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Rt0tlOosg8 Pedagogy: Socratic Method Reflective Activity: Refer to p. 69 Oct 27 Masquerade Night Week 4 (13) **Prayer:** Luke 4:16-21 Oct 30 to Nov 03 **Exemplar of the Week:** Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., 01- Solemnity of All Saints p. 74 02-The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Focus: Divine Inspiration Soul's Day) 03-Saint Martin de Porres

**Topics:** (3) The Bible speaks to us today (4) How should we honor our Sacred Scripture?

Journal Exercise: Refer to p. 75

Pedagogy: Socratic Method

Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred

Scripture, p. 76)

Nov 1 All Saints Day Mass

**Nov 3** Feast of St. Martin de Porres and Lay Dominican Profession

#### Week 5 (14) Nov 06 to 10

06-Blessed Bonaventura Gracia Paredes, Friar, Priest and Master of the Order Blessed Josefina Sauleda Paulis, Virgin and Nun Blessed Ramona Fossas Roman, Virgin and Sister Blessed Antero Mateo, Married Man and Lay Dominican And Companions. Members of the Dominican Family martyrs of the Spanish Persecutions of the XX Century 07- All Saints of the Order of Preachers 09- The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica 10-St. Leo the Great, pope and doctor 11- St. Martin of Tours,

Bishop

# CHAPTER 5: The Bible: God's Living Word for our Lives

**Prayer:** Acts of the Apostles 8:4-25

Exemplar of the Week: Desmond Tutu, p. 96

**Focus:** Apostolic Tradition

**Topics:** (1) How are major events communicated to us today? (2) The Bible's journey from Oral Tradition to the Written Word

Students' Engagement: Watch: Why Catholics Use

Scripture and Tradition,

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mTBud-9Vlzo

Pedagogy: Socratic Method

Reflective Activity: Refer to p. 95

13- St. Frances Xavier Cabrini	
Week 6 (15) Nov 13 to 17  15- Saint Albert the Great 16-St. Margaret of Scotland, queen St. Gertrude, virgin 17-St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious 18- Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, apostles	Prayer: Hebrews 1:1-2  Exemplar of the Week: Desmond Tutu, p. 96  Focus: Apostolic Tradition  Topics: (3) The Living Word of God through Ages (4) The Challenge of remaining faithful to the Word of God  Journal Exercise: Refer to p. 95  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 98)
Week 7 (16) Nov 20 to 24 21- Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 25-Saint Ignatius Delgado, Friar and Bishop Saint Vincent Liem De La Paz, Friar and Priest Saint Dominic Pham Trong An Kham, Lay Dominican And Companions Martyrs of Vietnam	CHAPTER 6: The Bible: A Blueprint for Living  Prayer: Isaiah 61:1-5  Exemplar of the Week: Jean Donovan, p. 115  Focus: Liturgy  Topics: (1) How can words make a difference to our lives? (2) The Bible can be a powerful influence  Students' Engagement: Read: POPE FRANCIS' APOSTOLIC LETTER ON THE LITURGY, https://www.stkatharineofsiena.org/2022/07/16/pope-francis-apostolic-letter-on-the-liturgy/  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Reflective Questions: Refer to p. 104

	Nov 23 House Family Day/ Thanksgiving Mass and
	Potluck (Teachers and staff)
	Nov 24-27 Second Quarter Exam (G12 Graduating)
Week 8 (17) Nov 27 to Dec 01 30-St. Andrew, apostle 03-St. Francis Xavier	Prayer: Matthew 6:9-13  Exemplar of the Week: Jean Donovan, p. 115  Focus: Liturgy  Topics: (3) The place of the Bible in Church life, teaching, liturgy and worship (4) Applying the Word of God in Scripture to daily prayer and life  Reflect and Discuss: Refer to p. 110  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 117)
Week 9 (18) Dec 04 to 8  07- St. Ambrose, bishop and doctor	Review of the Topics for the Quarterly Examination:  (1) Chapter 3: God's Revelation through the Bible  (1.1) Past, Present and Future  (1.2) The Bible tells the story of God's action in human history  (1.3) The Bible reveals God's plan for humanity  (1.4) Poetry, Music and Song as storehouses of meaning  (2) Chapter 4: The Bible: The Inspired Word of God  (2.1) What does it mean to be inspired?  (2.2) The Bible is inspired Word of God  (2.3) The Bible speaks to us today  (2.4) How should we honor our Sacred Scripture?  (3) Chapter 5: The Bible: God's Living Word for our Lives  (3.1) How are major events communicated to us today?

(3.2) The Bible's journey from Oral Tradition to the Written Word (3.3) The Living Word of God through Ages (3.4) The Challenge of remaining faithful to the Word of God (4) Chapter 6: The Bible: A Blueprint for Living (4.1) How can words make a difference to our lives? (4.2) The Bible can be a powerful influence (4.3) The place of the Bible in Church life, teaching, liturgy and worship (4.4) Applying the Word of God in Scripture to daily prayer and life **Students' Engagement:** Recitation (Question and Answer) **Assessment:** Checking of Notes Dec 04 First Week of Advent/ Lighting of the Christmas Tree in the afternoon **Dec 08 -** The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, principal Patroness of the Philippines DIS 66th Foundation Day Celebrations Self-Assessment Student's Deportment Individual Conference Preparation for the Quarter Exam Completion of the Subject's Requirements for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Week 10 (19) Dec 11 to 15 Dec 14-15 Second Quarter Exam **Record Day** 12- Our Lady of Guadalupe 14- St. John of the Cross. priest and doctor

Dec 18 to Jan 02 Christmas Break	Dec 18 to Jan 02	Christmas Break
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### Third QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENTS

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
	3RD QUARTER CHAPTER 7: The Bible is the Book of the Church
	<b>Prayer:</b> Psalms 119:105-110
	<b>Exemplar of the Week:</b> St. Francis of Assisi, p. 132
	Focus: Deposit of Faith, Tradition
Week 1 (20) Jan 02 to 05  04-Saint Zdislava of Lemberk, lay	<b>Topics:</b> (1) How can we know what the Bible means? (2) The context in which each of the books of the Bible was written
Dominican and Wife  Jan. 04, New Year's Mass,  Epiphany of the Lord	<b>Students' Engagement:</b> Watch: <i>The History of the Bible, Animated   National Geographic,</i> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2AuDhWiO2D4
	Pedagogy: Socratic Method
	Reflect and Discuss: Refer to p. 120
	<b>Jan 02</b> – Record Day (Teachers only) <b>Jan 04</b> – New Year's Mass
Week 2 (21) Jan 08 to 12	Prayer: Luke 10:25-37  Exemplar of the Week: St. Francis of Assisi,
	p. 132  Focus: Deposit of Faith, Tradition

**Topics:** (3) The Teaching Authority of the Catholic Church (4) We must approach the Bible with an open mind and heart Quick Quiz: Refer to p. 126 Journal Exercise: Refer to p. 131 Pedagogy: Socratic Method Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 134) **CHAPTER 8:** Interpreting the Word of God in the **Bible** Prayer: Joshua 10:12-14 **Exemplar of the Week:** Oscar Romero, p. 151 Focus: Exegesis **Topics:** (1) How does the Bible offer wisdom for life? (2) Approaching the different literary genres and writing styles in the Bible Week 3 (22) Jan 15 to 19 Students' Engagement: Watch: HOW TO INTERPRET SCRIPTURE | Hermeneutics, Exegesis, and Eisegesis | Understanding the Bible EP 01, https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NPP3hJFj7z **Pedagogy:** Socratic Method Reflective Activity: Refer to p. 139 **Jan 15 –** Visit of the Master of the Order of Preachers

Week 4 (23) Jan 22 to 26	Prayer: 1 Corinthians 1:18-25  Exemplar of the Week: Oscar Romero, p. 151  Focus: Exegesis  Topics: (3) The literal meaning is a basis for the broader interpretation of Scripture (4) How then, should we read the Bible?  Group Exercise: Refer to p. 147  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 155)
Week 5 (24) Jan 29 to Feb 02	CHAPTER 9: The Old and New Testament  Prayer: Hebrews 1:1-2  Exemplar of the Week: St. Stephen, p. 170-171  Focus: Hope, Covenant  Topics: (1) Why be trustworthy and faithful? (2) The Story of the Old and New Testament  Students' Engagement: Watch: The Eucharist (Aquinas 101), https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mD0PwPDGf ZA  Pedagogy: Socratic Method

	Reflective Writing: Refer to p. 159
	<b>Jan 29</b> – Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas-Para liturgy/ Lecture/Conference/ Symposium
Week 6 (25) Feb 05 to 9 14- Valentine's Day/ Ash Wednesday	Prayer: Luke 7:18-22  Exemplar of the Week: St. Stephen, p. 170-171  Focus: Hope, Covenant  Topics: (3) The Old Testament Covenant was fulfilled in Jesus (4) How the Old Testament promises came to be fulfilled  Opening Activity: Refer to p. 166  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 173-175)  Feb 05 - Chinese New Year Celebration
Week 7 (26) Feb 19 to 23	PROJECT-BASED PERFORMANCE  Feb 19 – Lenten Mass Feb 21 to 23 – Pre-Exam Days
Week 8 (27) Feb 26 to March 01	PROJECT-BASED PERFORMANCE  Feb 26 to 29 – IOWA Assessments Feb 28- Memorial Day (No Classes)

## Review of the Topics for the Quarterly Examination:

- (1) Chapter 7: The Bible is the Book of the Church
- (1.1) How can we know what the Bible means?
- (1.2) The context in which each of the books of the Bible was written
- (1.3) The Teaching Authority of the Catholic Church
- (1.4) We must approach the Bible with an open mind and heart
- (2) Chapter 8: Interpreting the Word of God in the Bible
- (2.1) How does the Bible offer wisdom for life?
- (2.2) Approaching the different literary genres and writing styles in the Bible
- (2.3) The literal meaning is a basis for the broader interpretation of Scripture
  - (2.4) How then, should we read the Bible?
- (3) Chapter 9: The Old and New Testament
  - (3.1) Why be trustworthy and faithful?
- (3.2) The Story of the Old and New Testament
- (3.3) The Old Testament Covenant was fulfilled in Jesus
- (3.4) How the Old Testament promises came to be fulfilled

**Students' Engagement:** Recitation (*Question and Answer*)

**Assessment:** Checking of Notes

Self-Assessment Student's Deportment

Individual Conference

Preparation for the Quarter Exam

Week 9 (28) March 04 to 08

	Completion of the Subject's Requirements for the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter
Week 10 (29) March 11	March 8 and 11- Third Quarter Exam

### **Fourth QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENTS**

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
	4TH QUARTER CHAPTER 10: The Gospel is Good News
	Prayer: 1 Corinthians 15:3-5
Week 01 (29) March 12 to 15	<b>Exemplar of the Week:</b> Chiara Lubich, p. 195
	Focus: Gospels
	<b>Topics:</b> (1) What is Good News (2) The Formation of the Gospels
	Pedagogy: Socratic Method
	Reflect and Share: Refer to p. 179
Week 02 (30) March 18 to 22	<b>Prayer:</b> Mark 12:28-34
	Exemplar of the Week: Chiara Lubich, p. 195
	Focus: Gospels
	<b>Topics:</b> (3) Introduction to the Synoptic Gospels - Mark, Matthew and Luke (4) The Greatest story ever told
	Discuss: Refer to p. 194
	Pedagogy: Socratic Method

	Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed
	in Sacred Scripture, p. 196)
	<b>March 19-</b> Feast of St. Joseph
March 25 to April 5	Easter/Spring Break Tomb Sweeping Day/ Children's Day
Week 03 (31) April 08 to 12	CHAPTER 11: Jesus and His Message in the Gospels
	Prayer: Exodus 2:1-10
	Exemplar of the Week: Nothing but Nets, p. 215
	Focus: Kingdom of God
	<b>Topics:</b> (1) What influences our lives? (2) Jesus begins his public ministry
	Students' Engagement: Watch: Jesus Public Ministry Begins (Part 1), https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A_wJiuoFB 2A
	Pedagogy: Socratic Method
	April 10- Easter Mass and Egg Hunting

Week 04 (32) Apr 15 to 19	Prayer: James 2:14-16  Exemplar of the Week: Nothing but Nets, p. 215  Focus: Kingdom of God  Topics: (3) Jesus inaugurates the Kingdom of God (4) Exploring the notion of the Kingdom of God  Journal Exercise: Refer to p. 210  Pedagogy: Socratic Method  Prayer Reflection: (God's Word revealed in Sacred Scripture, p. 217)
Week 05 (33) Apr 22 to Apr 26	PROJECT-BASED PERFORMANCE  April 22 to 26- Laudato Si Week/ Earth Day Week
Week 06 (34) April 29 to May 03	PROJECT-BASED PERFORMANCE  May 1 to 10- Final Exams (K2, Gr 5, 8 and 12)
Week 07 (35)	Review of the Topics for the Quarterly Examination:

	(1.3) Introduction to the Synoptic Gospels - Mark, Matthew and Luke (1.4) The Greatest story ever told (2) Jesus and His Message in the Gospels (2.1) What influences our lives? (2.2) Jesus begins his public ministry (2.3) Jesus inaugurates the Kingdom of God (2.4) Exploring the notion of the Kingdom of God  Students' Engagement: Recitation (Question and Answer)  Assessment: Checking of Notes
Week 08 (36) May 13 to 17	May 13 Post Mother's Day Celebration Integrated in the Prayer  15-16 Undergraduate 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Exam
Week 09 (37) May 20 to 24	May 20 May Crowning/ Santacruzan May 21 May Baccalaureate Mass for grades 8 and 12 (Graduating classes)
Week 10 (38) May 27 to 31	Completion

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