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Religious Studies Course Syllabus S.Y. 2023-2024

GRADE LEVEL	6
SCHOOL YEAR	2023-2024
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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Welcome to the Religious Studies 6 course!

“Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures.” (Luke 24:27)

The Religious Studies course for Grade Six students is anchored on the three Pillars of the Campus Ministry Department namely: the “Word” for Doctrine, the “Witness” for the valuing and application of the concept learned, and the “Worship” for the celebration of faith. The harmony of these three pillars will help ensure holistic formation of the students.

Grade 6 Religious Studies will engage the students to understand major Old Testament figures as found in the textbook/workbook. In addition, students will be challenged to critically think about what they learned and to apply it to their own lives. They should have reasons for what they believe, supported with logic. Students are encouraged to share truthfully with the class their own beliefs and opinions while respecting every individual that they encounter, despite their race, class, sexual orientation, etc. This will be measured through the D'TORCH values (truthful, organized, reflective, courageous, helpful).

Finally, the purpose of this course is to assist the students in their everyday life and challenge them to be the best versions of themselves. The students will be challenged to find their meaning and purpose in life and to courageously live out their heart's desires. Students are called to never give up, daily seeking to become a better person.

Christian faith and Christian Living are rooted in the person of Jesus Christ and through him the way to God's Kingdom is attained. In this course, the supplementary lessons will also be included like Liturgical celebrations and Dominican Saints who are models of values/virtues.

GENERAL COURSE OBJECTIVES AND CONTENTS: At the end of the quarter, students will be able to discover about:

QUARTER	First
CHAPTER TITLE/S	We Answer God's Call
A. WORD: Doctrinal Focus	A.1. Revelation and Response A.1.1. Abraham and Sarah A.2. Covenant and Commitment A.2.1. Jacob and the Covenant
B. WITNESS: Discipleship Formation	B.1. Sacrifice and Promise B.1.1. The Eucharistic Sacrifice B.1.2. The Holy Mass
C. WORSHIP: Scripture References	C.1. Piety and Prayer C.1.1. Joseph, the Loyal Son C.2. Slavery and Deliverance C.1.2. The Exodus
Faith Glossary	Faith, patriarch, revelation, sacrifice, altar, Abraham, Isaac, Eucharist, Last Supper, holocausts (sacred offerings)

QUARTER	Second
CHAPTER TITLE/S	God Saves and Delivers Us
A. WORD: Doctrinal Focus	A.1. Passover and the Eucharistic Celebration A.1.1. The Holy Rosary A.2. Our Journey and God's Presence A.2.1. Conquest of the Promised Land A.2.2. Christmas

B. WITNESS: Discipleship Formation	B.1. Commandment and Fulfillment B.1.1. The Covenant at Sinai B.1.2. Advent B.2. Our Land and God's Kingdom B.2.1. The First Leaders of Israel
C. WORSHIP: Scripture References	C.1. The Ark and the Temple C.1.1. The Blessing of Water
Faith Glossary	liturgical year, Passover, Paschal Mystery, Passion, Death, Resurrection, Ascension, Ark of the Covenant, manna, Ten Commandments, Sinai, Moses, Covenant

QUARTER	Third
CHAPTER TITLE/S	God Invites Us into His Kingdom
A. WORD: Doctrinal Focus	A.1. David's Sin and the Story of the Fall A.1.1. King David and the Sin of Humanity A.1.2. Lent A.2. Exile and Remembrance A.2.1. The Good Shepherd A.3.
B. WITNESS: Discipleship Formation	B.1. Disobedience and Guidance B.1.1. The Rule of King Solomon B.2. Hope and Faithfulness B.2.1. Vision of the Dry Bones
C. WORSHIP: Scripture References	C.1. Psalms of Praise and Works of Wonder C.1.1. David's Songs C.1.2. Holy Week
Faith Glossary	King David, The Fall, conscience, guidance, sacramental grace, Confiteor, Psalms, reverence, Amen, adoration, liturgy

QUARTER	Fourth
CHAPTER TITLE/S	God Reminds Us to Do His Will
A. WORD: Doctrinal Focus	A.1. A New Life and a Coming Messiah A.1.1. The Struggles Under Greek Rule A.2. Christians and the Reign of God A.2.1. The Boy Jesus in the Temple
B. WITNESS: Discipleship Formation	B.1. Baptism and Repentance B.1.1. The Baptism of Jesus B.2. Hope for the Ages B.2.1. Jesus' Ministry
C. WORSHIP: Scripture References	C.1. Trust and Prayer C.1.1. A Prayer for Her People C.1.2. Easter
Faith Glossary	supplication, persistence, <i>Exsultet</i> , parable, liturgy, virtues, Messiah, exile, sin, passion, Israelites, commandments

LITURGICAL FEASTS AND DIFFERENT SEASONS OF THE CHURCH

- ✓ Advent
- ✓ Christmas
- ✓ Lent
- ✓ Holy Week
- ✓ Easter
- ✓ Ordinary Time
- ✓ Dominican Feasts: Memorials and Solemnities
- ✓ Feasts in Honor of Mother Mary

DOMINICAN PILLARS AND CORE VALUES

- ✓ Study= Truth
- ✓ Prayer=Joy
- ✓ Community=Justice
- ✓ Service/Preaching= Compassion

PARAGONS OF VALUES: DOMINICAN SAINTS AND BLESSED

Months	Feasts/Memorials of Dominican Saints
August	<i>02- Bl. Jane of Aza</i> <i>08- St. Dominic de Guzman</i> <i>14- St. Dominic Ibañez</i> <i>17- St. Hyacinth of Poland</i> <i>18- Bl. Mannes de Guzman</i> <i>23- Rose of Lima</i>
September	<i>18- St. John Macias</i> <i>20- St. Francis Posadas</i> <i>28- St. Lawrence Ruiz</i>
October	<i>09- St. Louis Bertrand</i>
November	<i>03- St. Martin de Porres</i> <i>15- St. Albert the Great</i> <i>22- Bl. Cecilia</i>
December	<i>01- Bl. John Vercelli</i> <i>The Holy Family</i>
January	<i>07- St. Raymond of Peñafort</i> <i>18- St. Margaret of Hungary</i>
February	<i>13- Bl. Jordan of Saxony</i>
March	<i>07- St. Thomas Aquinas</i>
April	<i>05- St. Vincent Ferrer</i> <i>06/29- St. Peter of Verona</i> <i>20- St. Agnes of Montepulciano</i> <i>29/30- St. Catherine of Siena</i> <i>30- St. Pius V</i>
May	<i>10- St. Anthony of Florence</i>

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 Values:
Dominicans are Truthful, Organized, Reflective, Courageous, and
Helpful**

GRADING SYSTEM:

50 % Academic

• Section A: Homework, Seatwork, Projects.....	16.66%
• Section B: Quizzes.....	16.67%
• Section C. Major Quarterly Exam.....	16.67%
• Section D: Deportment.....	50%
TOTAL.....	100 %

50 % Deportment (Behavior)

• Truthful.....	19 points
• Organized.....	19 points
• Reflective.....	19 points
• Courageous.....	19 points
• Helpful.....	<u>19 points</u>
TOTAL.....	94 points

Note: *The highest possible grade students can get every quarter in Deportment is 94 points in conformity with the current grading system.*

PRIMARY TEXTBOOKS AND OTHER RESOURCES (PRINTED AND ONLINE)

1. The Catholic Youth Bible. New Revised Standard Version
2. Textbook: Blest are We 6: Faith in Action
3. USCCB. Alive in Christ. Our Sunday Visitor, 2013;
4. The Pontifical Biblical commission. The Jewish People and Their Sacred Scriptures in the Christian Bible. Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 2002.

Online References:

1. https://www.easybib.com/grammar-and-plagiarism/?=bmp_EB.v2.160-600&intcid=wt.EasyBib.EB.v2.160-600&inhousead=EB.v2.160-600
2. <https://www.biblegateway.com/>
3. <https://www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer>
4. <https://www.catholic.org/>

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 students a chance to spend quality time with their family.*
- *The Project D (Detention) and Project I will affect the Department Grade of students.*

Academic Dishonesty 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:

1. Purposely incorporating the ideas, words of sentences, paragraphs, or parts thereof without appropriate acknowledgment and representing the product as one's own work; and
1. 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.
2. 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.
3. 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/project.

First QUARTER – COURSE CONTENT

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Aug 10th to 11th</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Only 2 School Days</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>10 ~ First Day / Orientation Day</i></p> <p><i>10 - First Day / Orientation Day</i> <i>14-St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest and martyr</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Welcome back to school Dominicans!</p> <p>August 10: First Day of School/Orientation Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Giving of Expectations - School Rules and Reminders
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 2</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Aug. 14-18</p> <p><i>17-Saint Hyacinth of Poland</i> <i>18- Blessed Mannes</i></p>	<p>August 15: Holy Mass: Feast of the Assumption</p> <p>Religious Studies Orientation/ Introduction</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Overview of the Subject (What is RS? Course contents for the whole quarter and subject's requirements) 2. Grading system 3. Rules and Regulations/ Online Learning Guidelines/ Class Agreement (Based on the D'TORCH Values) 4. Review: DIST Vision-Mission and Philosophy 5. D'TORCH values and Dominican Ethos 6. Basic Prayers 7. Students' Profile
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Aug. 21-25</p> <p><i>21- St. Pius X, Pope</i> <i>22-The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> <i>23- Saint Rose of Lima</i> <i>24- St. Bartholomew, apostle</i> <i>27- St. Monica</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Sacrifice and Promise c. The Holy Mass <p>2.WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - be aware of the sacrifice of Abraham to propagate the faith <p>3.WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - formulate their own prayer using the ACTS formula

<p style="text-align: center;">Week 4 Aug. 28 to Sept 1</p> <p><i>28- St. Augustine 03-St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Covenant and Commitment c. Jacob and the Covenant</p> <p>2.WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - show openness and respect to all faith</p> <p>3.WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - formulate their own prayer using the ACTS formula</p> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><i>Aug 28-Monday Morning Assembly: Creative Play about the Life of St. Dominic de Guzman</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 5 Sept 4 to 8</p> <p><i>05-Anniversary of deceased Dominican friends and benefactors</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Piety and Prayer c. Joseph, the Loyal Son</p> <p>2.WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - recognize the value of unity in prayer</p> <p>3.WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - pray for the intercession of Mother Mary</p> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><i>Sept 08-The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Mass and VIP Induction)</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 6 Sep 11 to 15</p> <p><i>11- St. Ambrose, Edward Barlow 14-The Exaltation of the Holy Cross 15-Our Lady of Sorrows</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Slavery and Deliverance c. The Exodus</p> <p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - reflect on the religious truths of the Nicene-Constantinople Creed</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - praise God for his triumph of the Cross</p> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><i>Sept 12-14 Pre-Exam Days</i></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Week 7 Sep 18to 22</p> <p><i>18- Saint Juan Macias</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. The Liturgical Cycle c. The Ordinary Time</p>

<p>21- St. Matthew, apostle and evangelist</p>	<p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be aware of the liturgical cycle of the Church</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - adore God through the teachings of St. Matthew and St. Pius</p> <p><i>Self-Assessment Student's Department</i></p> <p><i>Individual Conference</i></p> <p><i>Preparation for the Quarter Exam</i></p> <p><i>Completion of the Subject's Requirements for the 1st Quarter</i></p>
<p>Week 8 Sep 25 to 29</p> <p>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</p>	<p><i>Sept 25-28 Teacher's Conference</i> <i>(No classes for students)</i></p> <p><i>Sept 29-Moon Festival (No classes)</i></p>
<p>Week 9 Oct 2 to 6</p> <p><i>5-6 First Quarter Exam</i> 04-Our Holy Father Francis of Assisi 05-Blessed Raymond of Capua 06-Blessed Bartolo Longo 07-Our Lady of the Rosary</p>	<p><i>Oct 02- Launching of the Month of the Most Holy Rosary/World Mental Health and Bullying Prevention</i></p> <p><i>Oct 5-6 First Quarter Exam</i> <i>Record Day</i></p> <p><i>Oct 10 Double Ten – Public Holiday (No Classes)</i></p>

Second QUARTER –COURSE CONTENT

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
Week 1 (10) Oct 11 to 13 12-Our Lady of Pillar 13-St. Theophilus 15-St. Teresa of Jesus, virgin and doctor 09-Saint Louis Bertrand	1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Passover and the Eucharistic Celebration c. Mary, The Mother of God 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - emulate Mary and her acts of kindness 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - pray the Holy Rosary <i>Oct 13-14 Catholic Students' Integration Day (Overnight Camping at DIS Ground)</i>
Week 2 (11) Oct 16 to 20 22-Anniversary of the Dedication of the Church 22-St. John Paul II, Pope	1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Commandment and Fulfillment c. The Holy Rosary 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be inspired by the life of Christ in praying the Rosary 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - devote one hour of prayer to St. John Paul II
Week 3 (12) Oct 23 to Oct 27 28- Sts. Simon and Jude, apostles	1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Our Journey and God's Presence c. Conquest of the Promised Land 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be open to God's instructions/plans in your life 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - be an active participant during the Holy Rosary Mass <i>Oct 27 Masquerade Night</i>
	1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative):

<p>Week 4 (13) Oct 30 to Nov 03</p> <p><i>01- Solemnity of All Saints</i> <i>02-The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Soul's Day)</i> <i>03-Saint Martin de Porres</i></p>	<p>a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Our Land and God's Kingdom c. All Saints and All Souls Day</p> <p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be motivated by the life of all the saints in heaven</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - pray for all the saints in heaven</p> <p><i>Nov 1 All Saints Day Mass</i></p> <p><i>Nov 3 Feast of St. Martin de Porres</i></p>
<p>Week 5 (14) Nov 06 to 10</p> <p><i>06-Blessed Bonaventura Gracia Paredes, Friar, Priest and Master of the Order</i> <i>Blessed Josefina Sauleda Paulis, Virgin and Nun</i> <i>Blessed Ramona Fossas Roman, Virgin and Sister</i> <i>Blessed Antero Mateo, Married Man and Lay Dominican</i> <i>And Companions, Members of the Dominican Family martyrs of the Spanish Persecutions of the XX Century</i> <i>07- All Saints of the Order of Preachers</i> <i>09- The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i> <i>10-St. Leo the Great, pope and doctor</i> <i>11- St. Martin of Tours, Bishop</i> <i>13- St. Frances Xavier Cabrini</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. The Ark and the Temple c. The Season of Advent</p> <p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be aware and informed by the wonderful season of Advent</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - adore God through all the workings of all the saints of the Order of Preachers</p>

<p>Week 6 (15) Nov 13 to 17</p> <p>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</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Project-Based Exam: Planning Stage</p> <p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be creative in planning for their Project-Based Exam</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - worship God through offering an hour each day to read the Bible</p>
<p>Week 7 (16) Nov 20 to 24</p> <p>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</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Project-Based Exam: Creating Stage</p> <p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - exhibit collaboration and teamwork in creating their Project-Based Exam</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - revere God through inviting someone to go to Church to celebrate Christ the King</p> <p><i>Nov 23 House Family Day/ Thanksgiving Mass and Potluck (Teachers and staff)</i></p>
<p>Week 8 (17) Nov 27 to Dec 01</p> <p>30-St. Andrew, apostle 03-St. Francis Xavier</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Project-Based Exam: Final Presentation</p> <p>2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - exhibit collaboration and teamwork in presenting their Project-Based Exam</p> <p>3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - adore God through learning the Advent symbols and meanings</p>
<p>Week 9 (18) Dec 04 to 8</p>	<p><i>Dec 04 First Week of Advent/ Lighting of the Christmas Tree in the afternoon</i></p>

07- St. Ambrose, bishop and doctor 	<p>Dec 08 - The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, principal Patroness of the Philippines DIS 66th Foundation Day Celebrations</p> <p>Self-Assessment Student's Department</p> <p>Individual Conference</p> <p>Preparation for the Quarter Exam</p> <p>Completion of the Subject's Requirements for the 2nd Quarter</p>
<p>Week 10 (19) Dec 11 to 115</p> <p>12- Our Lady of Guadalupe 14- St. John of the Cross, priest and doctor</p>	<p>Dec 14-15 Second Quarter Exam (Reflective Assessment) Record Day</p>
<p>Dec 18 to Jan 02</p>	<p>Christmas Break</p>

Third QUARTER – COURSE CONTENT

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
<p>Week 1 (20) Jan 02 to 05</p> <p>04-Saint Zdislava of Lemberk, lay Dominican and Wife</p> <p>Jan. 04, New Year's Mass, Epiphany of the Lord</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. David's Sin and the Story of the Fall c. Epiphany 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be aware and informed of the importance of the Epiphany of our Lord 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - revere God by grasping the meaning of the Epiphany of the Lord</p> <p>Jan 02 – Record Day (Teachers only) Jan 04 – New Year's Mass</p>

<p>Week 2 (21) Jan 08 to 12</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Psalms of Praise and Works of Wonder c. David's Songs 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - devote at least an hour each day for prayer 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - offer a prayer for self-guidance as a form of reflection</p>
<p>Week 3 (22) Jan 15 to 19</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Disobedience and Guidance c. The Rule of King Solomon 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - be inspired by the works of St. Francis Xavier 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - pray for healing of other people's wounds and sufferings <i>Jan 15 – Visit of the Master of the Order of Preachers</i></p>
<p>Week 4 (23) Jan 22 to 26</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Exile and Remembrance c. The Season of Lent 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - examine one's life by reflecting after a day's work or study 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - adore God by making someone especially happy today <i>Jan 26-27 – SUAIO Recollection</i></p>
<p>Week 5 (24)</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection)</p>

<p>Jan 29 to Feb 02</p>	<p>b. Hope and Faithfulness c. Acts of Charity 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - reflect on how to have an act of charity during the Lenten Season 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - worship God through doing acts of charity <i>Jan 29 – Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas-Para liturgy/ Lecture/Conference/ Symposium</i></p>
<p>Week 6 (25) Feb 05 to 9</p> <p><i>14- Valentine's Day/ Ash Wednesday</i></p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Ash Wednesday c. Stations of the Cross 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - ponder on the journey of Christ in the Stations of the Cross 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - reflect on God's presence in the celebration of Ash Wednesday <i>Feb 05 – Chinese New Year Celebration</i></p>
<p>Feb 8th to 16th</p>	<p>Chinese New Year Holiday</p>
<p>Week 7 (26) Feb 19 to 23</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. The Holy Week c. The Seven Last Words 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - contemplate on the seven last words of Christ and relate them to the present time 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - think of ways on how to give up something/minimize the use of something in observance of the Lenten Season (eg.</p>

	<p>No social media, no TV, no phones for a specific period of time)</p> <p>Feb 19 – Lenten Mass Feb 21 to 23 – Pre-Exam Days</p>
<p>Week 8 (27) Feb 26 to March 01</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. PBL: Stations of the Cross 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - ponder on the journey of Christ in the Stations of the Cross and relate them in the present time 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - think of ways on how to give up something/minimize the use of something in observance of the Lenten Season (eg. No social media, no TV, no phones) Feb 26 to 29 – IOWA Assessments Feb 28- Memorial Day (No Classes)</p>
<p>Week 9 (28) March 04 to 08</p>	<p><i>Self-Assessment Student's Department</i></p> <p><i>Individual Conference</i></p> <p><i>Preparation for the Quarter Exam</i></p> <p><i>Completion of the Subject's Requirements for the 3rd Quarter</i></p>
<p>Week 10 (29) March 11</p>	<p>March 8 and 11- Third Quarter Exam</p>

Fourth QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENT

Week / Date	Topic /Learning Tasks/ Assessments
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<p>Week 01 (29) March 12 to 15</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Trust and Prayer c. Easter 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - relate the Resurrection of Christ to the present time 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - show gratefulness to anyone today</p>
<p>Week 02 (30) March 18 to 22</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. A New Life and a Coming Messiah c. The Struggles under Greek Rule 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - correlate religion and democracy 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - appreciate anyone's kindness today <i>March 19- Feast of St. Joseph</i></p>
<p>March 25 to April 5</p>	<p><i>Easter/Spring Break</i> <i>Tomb Sweeping Day/ Children's Day</i></p>
<p>Week 03 (31) April 08 to 12</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Baptism and Repentance c. The Baptism of Jesus 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - Why is it that the Liturgy needs to be renewed? 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith):</p>

	<p>- think of ways on how to help preserve and conserve our Mother Earth</p> <p><i>April 10- Easter Mass and Egg Hunting</i></p>
<p>Week 04 (32) Apr 15 to 19</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Christians and the Reign of God c. The Boy Jesus in the Temple 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - What are the moral challenges of the Church today? 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - pray for someone who is suffering today</p>
<p>Week 05 (33) Apr 22 to Apr 26</p>	<p>1. WORD (Doctrine/Informative): a. Lectio Divina (Gospel Reflection) b. Hope for the Ages c. Jesus' Ministry 2. WITNESS (Valuing/Transformative): - compose a prayer for the Church 3. WORSHIP (Prayers and Celebration of Faith): - thank God for helping everyone sailing through the whole school year with ease and confidence</p> <p><i>April 22 to 26- Laudato Si Week/ Earth Day Week</i></p>
<p>Week 06 (34) April 29 to May 03</p>	<p>Unit Review Department Self-Assessment 4th Quarter Reflection</p> <p><i>May 1 to 10- Final Exams (K2, Gr 5, 8 and 12)</i></p>

Week 07 (35) May 06 to 11	Unit Review Department Self-Assessment 4th Quarter Reflection
Week 08 (36) May 13 to 17	<i>May 13 Post Mother's Day Celebration Integrated in the Prayer</i> 15-16 Undergraduate 4th Quarter Exam
Week 09 (37) May 20 to 24	<i>May 20 May Crowning/ Santacruzán May 21 May Baccalaureate Mass for grades 8 and 12 (Graduating classes)</i>
Week 10 (38) May 27 to 31	27 ~ House Culminating Activity 28 ~ Gr. 9-11 Recognition and Gr. 12 Graduation 29 ~ Class Party 30 ~ Last Day of School & Report Card Distribution (half day) 31 ~ Teachers/Staff Meeting

St. Dominic and St. Thomas Aquinas, Pray for us!