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Pre- Catechumenate Sessions				
CLASS DATE	LITURGY		LESSON	FACILITATOR
18-Aug-15	20th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Proverb 9:1-6 Ephesians 5:15-20 John 6:51-58	Welcome / Introduction Life Stories/Why Did You Come (C&S P. 9-11)	Efrain
25-Aug-15	21st Sunday in Ordinary Time	Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b Ephesians 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32 John 6:60-69	The Quest for God (USCCA Ch. 1 and 2) God Stories/Intro to Scripture & Prayer (C&S P. 12-14)	Efrain
1-Sep-15	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8 James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23	The Quest for God (USCCA Ch. 1 and 2) Images of God/Questions You May Have/The Good News (C&S P. 15-18)	Efrain
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CLASS DATE	LITURGY	SCRIPTURE	LESSON	FACILITATOR
8-Sep-15	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Isaiah 35:4-7a James 2:1-5 Mark 7:31-37	Divine Revelation - Sacred Scripture Divine Revelation - Sacred Tradition /The Bible (USCCA Ch. 2 and 3); (C&S P. 21-23)	Efrain/Genette
15-Sep-15	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Isaiah 50:5-9a James 2:14-18 Mark 8:27-35	Faith (USCCA Ch. 4)	Marvin/Nelson
22-Sep-15	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Wisdom 2:12, 17-20 James 3:16-4:3 Mark 9:30-37	Holy Trinity: One God Three Persons (USCCA Ch. 5); (C&S P. 24-25)	Genette
29-Sep-15	26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48	Man, Created in God's Image (USCCA Ch. 6)	Rudy/Nelson
6-Oct-15	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Genesis 2:18-24 Hebrews 2:9-11 Mark 10:2-16 or 10:2-12	Jesus Christ (USCCA Ch. 7); (C&S P. 25-26)	Genette
11-Oct-15	The Rite of Welcoming and Anointing of Catechumens		The Rite of Welcoming and Anointing of Catechumens	Priest/Efrain
13-Oct-15	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Wisdom 7:7-11 Hebrews 4:12-13 Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27	Salvation (USCCA Ch. 8); (C&S P. 27) Cutoff Acceptance into Class for Reception of Sacrament @ Easter Vigil	Marvin
20-Oct-15	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Isaiah 53:10-11 Hebrew 4:14-16 Mark 10:35-45 or 10:42-45	The Holy Spirit (USCCA Ch. 9); (C&S P. 28-29)	
27-Oct-15	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jeremiah 31:7-9 Hebrews 5:1-6 Mark 10:46-52	The Mission of the Church (USCCA Ch. 10) The Church (C & S P. 30-31)	
3-Nov-15	All Saints	Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 1 John 3:1-3 Matthew 5:1-12a	The Four Marks of the Church (USCCA Ch. 11) Church History (p. 36 C & S)	Genette/Rudy
10-Nov-15	32th Sunday in Ordinary Time	1 Kings 17:10-16 Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44	Mary (USCCA Ch. 12); (C&S P. 32)	Nelson
17-Nov-15	33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Daniel 12:1-3 Hebrew 10:11-14, 18 Mark 13:24-32	Eschatology: The Last Things (USCCA Ch. 13); (C&S P. 58)	Nelson
24-Nov-15	Christ the King	Daniel 7:13-14 Revelation 1:5-8 John 18:33b-37	Advent Themes Liturgy (USCCA Ch. 14); (C&S P. 35)	Genette/Rudy
1-Dec-15	1st Sunday of Advent	Jeremiah 33:14-16 1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2 Luke 21:25-28, 34-36	The Sacraments (p. 38 C & S) Penance and Reconciliation (USCCA Ch. 18; (C&S P. 45)	
8-Dec-15	2nd Sunday of Advent Immaculate Conception	Baruch 5:1-9 Philippians 1:4-6, 8-11 Luke 3:1-6	Baptism (USCCA Ch. 15); (C&S P. 40)	Genette
15-Dec-15	3rd Sunday of Advent	Zephaniah 3:14-18a Philippians 4:4-7 Luke 3:10-18	Confirmation (USCCA Ch. 16); (C&S P. 41) Advent Party	
22-Dec-15	4th Sunday of Advent	Micah 5:1-4a Hebrews 10:5-10 Luke 1:39-45	Eucharist: Meal, Presence, Sacrifice (USCCA Ch. 17); (C&S P. 42)	
25-Dec-15	Nativity of the Lord	Christmas Readings	Holy Day of Obligation / No Classes	
27-Dec-15	The Holy Family Jesus, Mary & Joseph	Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28 Colossians 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24 Luke 2:41-52	No Class	

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1-Jan-16	The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God	Numbers 6:22-27 Galatians 4:4-7 Luke 2:16-21	Holy Day of Obligation / No Classes	
5-Jan-16	The Epiphany of the Lord	Isaiah 60:1-6 Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6 Matthew 2:1-12	Anointing of the Sick (USCCA Ch. 19); (C&S P. 46)	
12-Jan-16	The Baptism of the Lord	Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 or Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11 ; Acts 10:34-38 or Titus 2:11-14 ; Luke 3:15-16, 21-22	Holy Orders (USCCA Ch. 20); (C&S P. 49) Holy Matrimony (USCCA Ch. 21); (C&S P. 48)	
19-Jan-16	2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time	Isaiah 62:1-5 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 John 2:1-11	Morality (USCCA Ch. 23) Principles of Christian Moral Life (USCCA Ch. 24) (C&S P. 50-52)	Marvin
26-Jan-16	3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time	Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10 1 Corinthians 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27 Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21	Life Issues/Human Sexuality (USCCA Ch. 29 & 30) (p. 56-57 C & S)	
2-Feb-16	4th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13 Luke 4:21-30	Catholic Social Teaching/Justice and Peace Issues (USCCA Ch. 31); (C&S P. 54)	
9-Feb-16	5th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11 Luke 5:1-11	Lenten Themes Script for Rite of Sending and Rite of Election	Genette
10-Feb-16	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12-18 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2 Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18		
14-Feb-16	1st Sunday of Lent		Rite of Sending and Rite of Election	
Enlightenment Sessions				
During Lent	Stations of the Cross, Every Friday, 7PM			
16-Feb-16	1st Sunday of Lent	Deuteronomy 26:4-10 Romans 10:8-13 Luke 4:1-13	Temptation: Entering the Spiritual Desert/Walking in the Light of Faith (C&S P. 61-62)	Marvin
23-Feb-16	2nd Sunday of Lent	Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18 Philippians 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1 Luke 9:28b-36	Temptation: Entering the Spiritual Desert/Walking in the Light of Faith (C&S P. 61-62)	
1-Mar-16	3rd Sunday of Lent <i>First Scrutiny</i>	Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12 Luke 13:1-9	Changing Our Hearts/Receiving Sight (C&S P. 63-64)	Genette
????	Day of Recollection / Presentation of the Creed	C0909, C0785	<i>Begins with 5:30 Mass, followed by Fellowship and Recollection</i>	Priest
8-Mar-16	4th Sunday of Lent Laetare Sunday <i>Second Scrutiny</i>	Joshua 5:9a, 10-12 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11-32	Changing Our Hearts/Receiving Sight (C&S P. 63-64)	
15-Mar-16	5th Sunday of Lent <i>Third Scrutiny</i> <i>Presentation of the Lord's Prayer</i>	Isaiah 43:16-21 Philippians 3:8-14 John 8:1-11	Prayer (USCCA Ch. 35) Dying and Rising in Christ (C&S P. 66) The Lord's Prayer (USCCA Ch. 36)	Genette
22-Mar-16	Passion Sunday	Luke 19:28-40 Isaiah 50:4-7 Philippians 2:6-11 Luke 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49	Looking at Jesus (C&S P. 67) <i>Practice for Easter Vigil</i>	Genette
23-Mar-16	Holy Wednesday, 7pm		Easter Vigil Rehearsal - Church	
24-Mar-16	Holy Thursday, 7pm	Exodus 12:1-8, 11*-14 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 John 13:1-15	Triduum	
25-Mar-16	Good Friday, 7 pm	Isaiah 52:13-53:12 Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9 John 18:1-19:42	Triduum	
26-Mar-16	Easter Vigil, 7pm	Genesis 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a, 10-13, 15-18 Exodus 14:15-15:1 Isaiah 54:5-14 Isaiah 55:1-11 Baruch 3:9-15, 32-4:4 Ezekiel 36:16-17a, 18-28 Romans 6:3-11 Luke 24:1-12	Triduum	
27-Mar-16	Easter Sunday	Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8 John 20:1-9 or Luke 24:1-12	Easter Sunday	

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29-Mar-16	Easter Sunday	Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8 John 20:1-9 or Luke 24:1-12	Initiation and Easter Experiences / Resurrection Life (C&S P. 69-70)	
5-Apr-16	2nd Sunday of Easter / Divine Mercy Sunday	Isaiah 52:13-53:12 Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9 John 18:1-19:42	Evangelization / The Catholic Church in the U.S. (C&S P. 71-73)	
12-Apr-16	3rd Sunday of Easter	Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Revelation 5:11-14 John 21:1-19 or 21:1-14	Lay Ministry (C&S P. 74)	
19-Apr-16	4th Sunday of Easter	Acts 13:14,43-52 Revelation 7:9,14b-17 John 10:27-30	The Ongoing Journey (C&S P. 76)	
Discipleship Sessions				
26-Apr-16	5th Sunday of Easter	Acts 9:1-20 John 6:52-59	Images of the Christian/ Conversion: The Power of Grace (C&S P. 79-80)	
3-May-16	6th Sunday of Easter	Acts 15:1-2,22-29 Revelation 21:10-14,22-23 John 14:23-29 Acts 1:1-11	Church Authority, the Pope and Papal Infallibility	
10-May-16	Ascension of the Lord	Ephesians 1:17-23 or Hebrews 9:24-28; 10:19-23 Luke 24:46-53	The Cost of Discipleship (C&S P. 81)	
17-May-16	Pentecost	Acts 2:1-11 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Romans 8:8-17 John 20:19-23 or John 14:15-16, Proverbs 8:22-31	Wisdom: The Christian and the World (C&S P. 83)	
24-May-16	The Most Holy Trinity	Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15	Law and Gospel (C&S P. 84)	
31-May-16	The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	Genesis 14:18-20 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Luke 9:11b-17	Graduation	
7-Jun-16	10th Sunday of Ordinary Time	1 Kings 17:17-24 Galatians 1:11-19 Luke 7:11-17		
14-Jun-16	11th Sunday of Ordinary Time	2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13 Galatians 2:16, 19-21 Luke 7:36-8:3 or 7:36-50		