

2016 ó 2017 Syllabus  
Grade 8  
We Live Our Faith As Members of the Church

**(Our calendar FOR 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE includes 24 sessions at 70 minutes each  
And the RETREAT to achieve the 30 hour requirement)**

Session #	Date	What will be covered
<b>Special</b>	<b>9/7</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Preparation Meeting 6:30 – 8:00 PM**</b>
<b>Special</b>	<b>9/17</b>	<b>Spirit Day &amp; Rite of Beginning 9:30 AM to 6:30 PM (parish)</b>
1	9/18	*** Virtus ó Safe Environment
2	10/2	Ch. 1 We Respond to God's Love
<b>Special</b>	<b>10/5</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 – 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
3	10/9	Ch. 2 We Make Moral Choices
4	10/16	Ch. 3 We Follow God's Laws
<b>Special</b>	<b>11/2</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 – 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
5	11/6	Ch. 4 We Love God and Others
6	11/13	Ch. 5 We Honor Life and Creation
7	12/4	Ch. 6 We Respect All People
<b>Special</b>	<b>12/7</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 – 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
8	12/11	<b>Unit 1 Assessment taken in Class (OPEN BOOK)</b> Ch. 7 Early Church
<b>Special</b>	<b>1/4</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 – 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
9	1/8	Ch. 8 Christians and the Roman Empire
10	1/15	Ch. 9. Christians of the Early Middle Ages
11	1/29	Ch. 10 Christians of the High Middle Age
<b>Special</b>	<b>2/1</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 – 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
12	2/5	Ch. 11 The Church in the Crisis and Change
13	2/12	Ch. 12 People of Reform and Renewal
14	2/19	<b>Unit 2 Assessment taken in Class (OPEN BOOK)</b> Ch. 13 Keeping Faith in a changing world
<b>Special</b>	<b>3/1</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 0 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
15	3/5	Ch. 14 Depending on God in Times of Fear
16	3/12	Ch. 15 Teaching Others about Christ
17	3/19	Ch. 16 Renewing our Relationship with Christ
18	4/2	<b><u>ADW Faith Knowledge Assessments</u></b> Ch. 17 Showing Concern for Future Generations
<b>Special</b>	<b>4/5</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Class 6:30 – 8:00 PM (parish hall)</b>
19	4/9	Ch. 18 Transforming the World through Faith
<b>Special</b>	<b>4/28-30</b>	<b>Confirmation Retreat Camp Maria</b>
	5/7	Ch. 19 Caring for the Whole Human Family
20	5/14	Ch. 20 Seeking God's Live and Love as the Church
21	5/21	<b>Unit 3 Assessment taken in Class (OPEN BOOK)</b> Ch. 21 Living as the Body of Christ
22	6/4	Ch. 22 Witnessing to our relationship with Christ
23	6/11	Ch. 23 &24 Growing in faith together /Communion of Saints
24	6/18	<b>Unit 4 Assessment taken in class as open book test</b>