

# Religion Grade 7 Outcomes and Indicators

## *Christ the Teacher Catholic Schools*

### Scripture and Church Teachings (ST)

Themes : Bible 7.1, Traditions 7.2, Morality 7.3

#### **ST7.1. Represent Scripture as God's living word.**

ST7.1a Demonstrates an understanding of the structure of the Bible as the story of the Christian community and its relationship with God.

ST7.1b Discerns connections between the faith in God of Abraham and other leaders and Jesus' faith in God.

ST7.1c Compares and contrasts sacrifice in the Old Testament with the sacrifice of the Eucharist.

ST7.1d Connects hope in the Exodus story to his or her own life.

ST7.1e Connects contradictions and falsehoods concerning Jesus' crucifixion to our understanding of justice today.

#### **ST7.2 Determine the importance of Sacred Tradition in the life of Catholic Christianity.**

ST7.2a Explains the influence of the belief statements of the Creed on the choices we make

ST7.2b Describes traditional beliefs around Mary represented in the Immaculate Conception, the virgin birth, and the Assumption.

#### **ST7.3 Demonstrate an understanding of the Word of God as alive in all actions and thoughts.**

ST7.3a Compares the ways that Jesus challenged people's expectations, attitudes, and behaviours in Scripture and the ways those Scripture stories challenge us today.

ST7.3b Describes how Mary or a saint of his or her choice recognized, accepted, and cooperated with the grace of God.

ST7.3c Determines the influence of the teachings of Old and New Testament stories on the lives of people today.

ST7.3d Discerns virtuous behaviors such as courage and determination needed to take a stand for truth and justice from Old and New Testament personalities.

## Prayer and Celebration (PC)

**Themes: 7.1 Personal relationship with God, 7.2 Relationship through community**

### **PC7.1 Explain how prayer deepens our relationship with God.**

PC7.2a Conceptualizes prayer as a personal communication with God.

PC7.2b Participates in different ways to pray including quiet reflection, guided meditation, fasting and abstinence.

PC7.2c Creates a personal prayer book acknowledging God's constant presence in their lives.

### **PC7.2 Express himself or herself through communal prayer.**

PC7.2a Contributes to preparing opportunities for prayer such as a prayer service, Liturgy of the Word, Litany, Devotions to Mary, Stations of the Cross, Novena.

## **Witness (WS)**

**Themes: 7.1 Thoughts, 7.2 Deeds, 7.3 Words**

**WS7.1 Develop an awareness of our call to share in Jesus' mission of bringing hope and healing to God's people.**

WS7.1a Increases understanding of the challenge to live in the kingdom of God expressed in the Lord's Prayer.

**WS7.2 Examine the impact of past and present witnesses of Christ in our own lives.**

WS7.2a Proposes the impact of the lives of Saints on our lives today.

**WS7.3 Examine the action of the Holy Spirit in empowering people to continue the work and mission of Jesus as his witnesses.**

WS7.3a Recommends ways to challenge injustices that take away the dignity of self and others.