

Date	Liturgical Calendar	Topics	Reading / Notes
2017 Wed 30 Aug		1 Introduction Catechetical Overview Expectations Faith and Reason Questions	Readings from the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC): 1-25 Prologue 142-184 Faith
<i>Things to do in the first month:</i>			
Pick up a copy of the Catholic Catechism and find yourself a Bible.	If you were baptized, contact that church and get a copy of the record (if you don't have one already).	Please fill out an Inquirer's Form.	Bring your baptismal record (if you have it), Inquirer's Form, and ideas for a sponsor to your meeting with Fr. Antoninus, OP.
<i>Individual meetings through 22 Sept with Fr. Antoninus, OP.</i>			
Wed 6 Sep		2 Jesus Christ The Kerygma The Cross	The Gospel of Matthew <i>(ok to skim this)</i> CCC: 422-682 Jesus Christ <i>(this too)</i>
Wed 13 Sep	St. John Chrysostom (M)	3 Revelation Scripture & Tradition Magisterium	CCC: 26-141 Revelation 2030-2051 Church/Magisterium
Wed 20 Sep	Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Hasang & Companions, martyrs in Korea (M)	4 God The Trinity Grace	CCC: 198-267 God the Father and the Trinity 2083-2167 1st & 2nd Commandments
Wed 27 Sep	St. Vincent de Paul (M)	5 Creation, Providence & Sin Angels	CCC: 268-421 Creation to the Fall
Wed 4 Oct	Holy Father St. Francis of Assisi (F)	6 The Moral Life Salvation	CCC: 1691-1876 Life in Christ 1987-2029 Grace and Justification
Wed 11 Oct		7 The Church People of God & Mystical Body of Christ Four Marks of the Church Ecumenism	CCC: 748-870 The Church / The Marks of the Church 512-570 Mysteries of Christ's Life

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Wed 18 Oct	St. Luke (M)	8 Church History & Culture Papacy Infallibility	CCC: 871-945 Church Hierarchy
Sat 21 Oct		A <i>Pilgrimage to the National Basilica, Washington, DC</i>	
Wed 25 Oct		9 Mary & Incarnational Life	CCC: 456-511 The Son of God became Man 717-730 John the Baptist, Mary, Jesus 963-975 Mary
			<i>Individual meetings through 15 Nov with Fr. Antoninus, OP.</i>
Wed 1 Nov	All Saints Day (S) <i>n.b. HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</i>	<i>n.b. MEET IN THE LIBRARY (GROUND FLOOR)</i> 10 Communion of Saints Universal Call to Holiness	CCC: 871-975 Church Hierarchy 946-962 Communion of Saints 2012-2016 Christian Holiness 1667-1679 Sacramentals
Wed 8 Nov	All Souls of the Order of Preachers	11 A Sacramental Economy Reconciliation	CCC: 1066-1199 The Liturgy 1200-1212 Sacraments In General
Wed 15 Nov	St. Albert the Great (F)	<i>n.b. WE WILL HOP OVER TO THE PRIORY CHAPEL, THEN RETURN TO CLASSROOMS 2 & 4</i> 12 The Mass Eucharist	CCC: 1066-1199 <i>The Liturgy</i> 2168-2195 3rd Commandment
Wed 22 Nov	St. Cecilia (M)	<i>Thanksgiving Break — no class</i>	
Thu 23 Nov	<i>Thanksgiving Day</i>		
Wed 29 Nov		13 The Four Last Things Death, Judgment, Heaven & Hell Purgatory	CCC: 1020-1065 The Four Last Things 668-682 Christ's Second Coming
Sun 3 Dec	<i>1st Sunday of Advent</i> <i>Season of Advent begins</i>	RITE OF ACCEPTANCE, 9:30 AM MASS	<i>n.b. For all who intend to enter the Catholic Church on the feast of St. Thomas Aquinas (28 January 2018) or at the Easter Vigil (31 Mar 2018).</i>

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Wed 6 Dec	St. Nicholas of Myra <i>Reading Day</i>	<i>n.b. WE WILL HOP OVER TO THE PRIORY CHAPEL, THEN RETURN TO CLASSROOMS 2 & 4</i> B Exposition & Adoration <i>(pray for students!)</i>	CCC: 2558-2649 Prayer
Fri 8 Dec	Immaculate Conception (S) <i>n.b. HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</i>		
Wed 13 Dec	St. Lucy (M) <i>Fall Exam Week</i>	C TBA!	
Wed 20 Dec		<i>Christmas Break — no class</i>	
Mon 25 Dec	Christmas (S) <i>n.b. HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</i>	<i>Season of Christmas begins</i>	
Wed 27 Dec		<i>Christmas Break — no class</i>	
2018 Mon 1 Jan	Mary, Mother of God (S) <i>n.b. the obligation of the holy day is abrogated (removed)</i>		
Wed 3 Jan	The Holy Name of Jesus	<i>Christmas Break — no class</i>	
Wed 10 Jan	<i>Return to Ordinary Time after the feast of the Baptism of the Lord on Mon 8 Jan</i>	D No one expects the Spanish Inquisition Faith & Reason, Religion & Science	CCC: 142-184 Faith
Wed 17 Jan	St. Anthony of the Desert (M)	<i>Spring Semester begins</i> 14 Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism & Confirmation	<i>Individual meetings during this class with Fr. Joseph Barranger, OP if needed</i> CCC: 1213-1284 Baptism 1285-1321 Confirmation
Wed 24 Jan	St. Francis de Sales (M)	15 Sacrament of the Eucharist	CCC: 1322-1419 The Eucharist
Sun 28 Jan	St. Thomas Aquinas (S) <i>Patronal Feast of the Parish</i>	RECEPTION OF THE BAPTIZED, 9:30 AM MASS	<i>n.b. For those who are already baptized but who haven't received first communion or confirmation, and are ready!</i>

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Wed 31 Jan	St. John Bosco (M)	16 Sacraments of Service/ Vocation: Marriage & Holy Orders	CCC: 1601-1666 Marriage 2196-2257 4th Commandment 2331-2400 6th Commandment 1536-1600 Holy Orders
Wed 7 Feb	Anniversary of Deceased Parents of the Order of Preachers	17 Sacraments of Healing: Reconciliation & Anointing	CCC: 1420-1498 Penance & Reconciliation 1499-1532 Anointing of the Sick
Wed 14 Feb	Ash Wednesday <i>Day of Fasting & Abstinence</i> <i>Season of Lent begins</i>	<i>n.b. MEET IN THE LIBRARY (GROUND FLOOR)</i> 18 Law & Grace Natural Law The 10 Commandments The 2 Great Commandments Grace and Freedom	CCC: 1949-1986 Law 1987-2029 Grace and Justification 2052-2082 10 Commandments <i>(2083-2557 for all the details; skim if you like to review)</i>
Sun 18 Feb	First Sunday of Lent	RITE OF SENDING, 9:30 AM MASS, AT ST. THOMAS AQUINAS RITE OF ELECTION, 2:00 PM, AT THE RICHMOND CATHEDRAL	<i>n.b. tentative date!</i> <i>n.b. For those who are unbaptized.</i>
Wed 21 Feb		19 Introduction to Virtue & Cardinal Moral Virtues: Justice	CCC: 1803-1809 Virtues/Human Virtues 1877-1948 The Human Community 2401-2463 7th Commanment
Sat 24 Feb	RCIA Retreat @ St George, Scottsville, 9:00 am–5:00 pm	20 Retreat Spiritual Combat Resisting Temptation & Sin Building a Life of Prayer Cardinal Moral Virtues: Prudence, Temperance, Fortitude	CCC: 2725-2758 The Battle of Prayer 2759-2865 Our Father 1803-1809 <i>Virtues/Human Virtues</i> 2514-2557 9th & 10th Commandments
Wed 27 Feb		21 Theological Virtues: Faith, Hope & Love	CCC: 1812-1845 The Theological Virtues
Sun 4 Mar	<i>Spring Recess</i> Third Sunday of Lent	FIRST SCRUTINY, 9:30 AM MASS – PRESENTATION OF THE CREED	<i>n.b. For those who are unbaptized.</i>
Wed 7 Mar	<i>Spring Recess</i>	E Catholic Creators Authors, Musicians, Artists	CCC: 2464-2513 8th Commandment

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Sun 11 Mar	<i>Spring Recess</i> Fourth Sunday of Lent	SECOND SCRUTINY, 9:30 AM MASS – INTERCEDING FOR THE ELECT AND EXORCISM	<i>n.b. For those who are unbaptized.</i>
Wed 14 Mar		22 Dignity of the Human Person Culture of Life	<i>Individual meetings during this class with Fr. Joseph Barranger, OP</i> CCC: 1877-1948 Person & Society/Social Life/Social Justice 1680-1690 Christian Funerals 2258-2330 5th Commandment
Sun 18 Mar	Fifth Sunday of Lent	THIRD SCRUTINY, 9:30 AM MASS – INTERCEDING FOR THE ELECT AND EXORCISM; OUR FATHER	<i>n.b. For those who are unbaptized.</i>
Wed 21 Mar		23 Life in the Spirit Beatitudes Fruit of the Spirit	<i>Individual meetings during this class with Fr. Joseph Barranger, OP</i> CCC: 1987-2029 <i>Grace and Justification</i> 1716-1729 The Beatitudes 1830-1832 Gifts and Fruits of the Spirit
Sun 25 Mar	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord		
Wed 28 Mar		24 Preparations for Easter Vigil	
Thu 29 Mar	Holy Thursday	7:30 PM: MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER	CCC: 1322-1419 The Eucharist
Fri 30 Mar	Good Friday <i>Day of Fasting & Abstinence</i>	7:30 PM: CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION	CCC: 595-637 Jesus Died/Crucified
Sat 31 Mar	EASTER VIGIL	11:00 AM: EASTER VIGIL PRACTICE 12 NOON: PREPARATION RITES 8:30 PM: EASTER VIGIL	<i>n.b. Do not miss this day!</i>
Sun 1 Apr	Easter Sunday: The Resurrection of the Lord (S)	<i>He is risen!</i>	
Wed 4 Apr	Wednesday of the Octave of Easter	25 The Experience of the Easter Vigil	CCC: 638-658 On the Third Day He Rose from the Dead

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Wed 11 Apr	St. Stanislaus (M)	26 Gifts of the Holy Spirit	CCC: 683-747 The Holy Spirit 1830-1832 Gifts and Fruits of the Spirit
Wed 18 Apr		27 The Christian Walk Evangelization Plugging into your Parish	
Wed 25 Apr	St. Mark (F)	28 Celebratory Cookout at the Priory <i>Start at 7:00 pm!</i>	
Wed 2 May	St. Athanasius (M) <i>Reading Day</i>		
Wed 9 May	<i>Spring Exam Week</i>	<i>God bless your final exams!</i>	
	<i>Summer Break</i>	TBA Look into <i>Epiphany</i> and/or <i>Scripture Study</i> groups in the Fall.	