

Memorization List for Each Grade Level

Grade 1

Persons in the Holy Family: Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Grade 2

Jesus' Greatest Commandment

Grade 3

The Seven Sacraments

Baptism, Confirmation Holy Eucharist, Penance, Anointing of the sick, Marriage and Holy Orders

First Three commandments

- I. I am the Lord your God, you shall not have other gods before Me.
- II. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
- III. Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day

Grade 4

Ten Commandments

- I. I am the Lord your God, you shall not have other gods before Me.
- II. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
- III. Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day.
- IV. Honor your father and your mother.
- V. You shall not kill.
- VI. You shall not commit adultery.
- VII. You shall not steal.
- VIII. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
- IX. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
- X. You shall not covet your neighbor's possessions.

Beatitudes

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

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Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.

Blessed are the pure of heart, for they will see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.

Jesus' Greatest Commandment

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

The Joyful Mysteries

1. The Annunciation
2. The Visitation
3. The Nativity
4. The Presentation
5. The Finding in the Temple

Grade 5

Seven Sacraments

Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Penance, Anointing of the Sick, Matrimony and Holy Orders

Spiritual Works of Mercy

1. Counsel the doubtful.
2. Instruct the ignorant.
3. Admonish sinners.
4. Comfort the afflicted.
5. Forgive offenses.
6. Bear wrongs patiently.
7. Pray for the living and the dead.

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Corporal Works of Mercy

1. Feed the hungry.
2. Give drink to the thirsty.
3. Clothe the naked.
4. Shelter the homeless.
5. Visit the sick.
6. Visit the imprisoned.
7. Bury the dead.

Holy Days of Obligation

January 1	Solemnity of Mary
May	The Ascension of our Lord
August 15	The Assumption of the Blessed Mother
November 1	Feast of All Saints
December 8	The Immaculate Conception
December 25	The Nativity of our Lord

Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The Scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion

Grade 6

Ten Commandments

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You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day.
Honor your father and your mother.
You shall not kill.
You shall not commit adultery.
You shall not steal.
You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
You shall not covet your neighbor's possessions.

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Names of the Books of the Torah (Pentateuch)

Genesis
Exodus
Leviticus
Numbers
Deuteronomy

Names of the Four Major Prophets of the Old Testament

Ezekiel
Jeremiah
Isaiah
Elijah

The Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary

1. The Resurrection
2. The Ascension
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
4. The Assumption
5. The Coronation of Mary Queen of Heaven and Earth

Grade 7

Names of the Four Gospels

Matthew
Mark
Luke
John

The Greatest Commandment

You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it. You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

The Beatitudes

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The Theological Virtues

Faith
Hope
Love

The Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary

1. The Baptism of Jesus
2. The Manifestation of Jesus at the Wedding Feast of Cana
3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom, with the call to Conversion
4. The Transfiguration
5. The Institution of the Eucharist

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Grade 8

The Four Marks of the Church

One
Holy
Catholic
Apostolic

The Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit

1. Wisdom
2. Understanding
3. Counsel
4. Fortitude
5. Knowledge
6. Piety
7. Fear of the Lord

The Fruits of the Holy Spirit

1. Charity
2. Joy
3. Peace
4. Patience
5. Kindness
6. Goodness
7. Generosity
8. Gentleness
9. Faithfulness
10. Modesty
11. Self-control
12. Chastity

The Cardinal Virtues

Prudence
Justice
Fortitude
Temperance

The Seven Capital Sins

Pride
Covetousness
Lust
Anger
Gluttony
Envy
Sloth

The Precepts of the Church

1. You shall attend Mass on Sundays and on holy days of obligation and remain free from work or activity that could impede the sanctification of such days.
2. You shall confess your sins at least once a year.
3. You shall receive the sacrament of the Eucharist at least during the Easter season.
4. You shall observe the days of fasting and abstinence established by the Church.
5. You shall help to provide for the needs of the Church.

The Bishop's Confirmation Questions

1. ***What Is Confirmation?*** Confirmation is the sacrament in which the Holy Spirit comes to us in a special way to join us more closely to Jesus and His Church and to seal and strengthen us as Christ's witnesses.
2. ***What are the Sacraments?*** The sacraments are sacred signs through which Jesus gives us His Spirit and makes us holy and pleasing to Him by grace.
3. ***How many Sacraments are there?*** There are seven sacraments.
4. ***What are the names of the seven sacraments?*** The seven sacraments are: Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist, Penance, Anointing of the Sick, Holy Orders and Matrimony.
5. ***How is Confirmation given?*** The Bishop extends his hands over the person and anoints the forehead in the form of a cross while saying: "Be sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit." The person

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- being confirmed answers “amen”, meaning, “Let it be so.” The Gift is the Holy Spirit Himself. He is the Gift of the Father and Son to us.
6. ***What is Chrism?*** Chrism is a blessed mixture of oil and balm used during the baptismal ceremony, in Confirmation, during the ordination of bishops, and in the consecration of churches, altars, and other things.
 7. ***Who is the minister of Confirmation?*** The bishop is the ordinary minister of Confirmation.
 8. ***What are the effects of Confirmation?*** The effects of confirmation are: an increase of sanctifying grace, the gift of a special sacramental grace the imprint of a lasting character on the soul.
 9. ***What are the gifts of the Holy Spirit?*** The gifts of the Holy Spirit are: wisdom, understanding, right judgment (or counsel), courage (or fortitude), knowledge, reverent love (or piety) and holy fear.