

2nd Year Confirmation Class 2016-2017 Pastor Steele, St. Paul Lutheran Church, Caro, Michigan

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Date	Time	Lesson	Memory Work (usually from Catechism)	Homework Due	Family Bible Reading
9/7/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Orientation/Parents' Meeting			Luke 24:13-27 All scripture teaches us about Jesus
9/14/16	7:30-9:00 PM	The Lord's Prayer -- Jesus Teaches us to Pray Lesson 32 Page 68	Introduction to Lord's Prayer and meaning (pg 180)	Begin a Daily Prayer Journal (Please date your entries. Use a notebook. You should have a minimum of 5 entries per week. Use the Lord's Prayer as an example to note praise, confession, thanksgiving, prayer requests and answered prayers.)	Luke 11:1-13 Jesus teaches His disciples the Lord's Prayer
9/21/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Lord's Prayer First Petition lesson 33 page 70 and Lord's Prayer Second Petition lesson 34 page 72	First Petition and Meaning (pages 181-182)	Continue with Prayer Journal	Matthew 6:5-15 Jesus teaches about Prayer
9/28/16	7:30-9:00 PM	HOPE SEEDS MISSION PROJECT and CONCERT (Everyone invited)	Second Petition and Meaning (pages 183-184)	Continue with Prayer Journal	Luke 21:25-36 & 1 Timothy 2:1-6
10/5/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Lord's Prayer Third Petition lesson 35 page 74	Third Petition and Meaning (page 186)	Continue with Prayer Journal	Matthew 26:36-45
10/12/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Lord's Prayer Fourth Petition lesson 36 page 76	Fourth Petition and Meaning (page 189)	In your Prayer Journal write prayers of thanks for all the "daily bread" God has given to you.	Mark 10:46-52
10/19/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Lord's Prayer Fifth Petition lesson 37 page 78	Fifth Petition and Meaning (page 193)	Clip an article, or write about a story you know of, which tells of somebody forgiving somebody else.	Genesis 50:15-21
10/26/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Lord's Prayer Sixth Petition lesson 38 page 80	Sixth Petition and Meaning (page 195)	In your prayer Journal write about the temptations that you commonly face. Ask God to help you battle these.	Luke 22:54-60
11/2/16	7:30-9:00 PM	Lord's Prayer Seventh Petition and Conclusion lesson 39 page 82	Seventh Petition and meaning (page 198) AND Conclusion and meaning (page 200)	Continue with Prayer Journal	Daniel 6:1-28
11/9/16	7:30-9:00 PM	TEST over the Lord's Prayer	Review for Test	TURN IN PRAYER JOURNAL	MARK 4:35-41

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11/16/16	7:30-9:00 PM	The Nature of Baptism -- Not Simple Water Only Lesson 40 page 84	The Nature of Baptism First (page 204)	Talk to your parents, or check your baptismal certificate to answer the following questions: When, where and by whom were you baptized? Who are your sponsors?	Matthew 3:1-6, 13-17
11/23/16		THANKSGIVING EVE			THE BOOK OF ESTHER (The reading of this entire book will probably take less than 20 minutes. Don't worry about struggling with the names of characters. Concentrate on the many things for which Esther and others could be thankful)
11/30/16	8:00 - 9:00 PM	The Nature of Baptism - God's Command lesson 41 page 86	Matthew 28:18-20	Read the texts to the Baptism hymns in the hymnal LSB 590-605) Choose one of them and locate the Bible passage on which it is based. Be ready to discuss these in class.	John 3:1-18
12/7/16	8:00 - 9:00 PM	The Blessings of Baptism -- Forgiveness, Life and Salvation lesson 42 page 88	The Blessings of Baptism Second (pages 208-209)		Acts 8:26-40
12/14/16	8:00 - 9:00 PM	Te Power of Baptism -- The Word of God Lesson 42 page 90	The Power of Baptism Third (pages 212-213) Also Study for Test over Baptism.	Check out <a href="http://www.worldvieweverlasting.com">www.worldvieweverlasting.com</a> and look at the videoblog.	John 5:1-15 (note: see the footnote in your Bible to read verse 4) 2 Kings 5:1-14
12/21/16	8:00 - 9:00 PM	TEST OVER BAPTISM (and, as time permits: Drowned Yet Alive -- I'm a New Person Lesson 44 page 92.)			
12/28/16		<i>BLESSED CHRISTMAS!</i>			John 1:1-34 & Luke 2:1-20
1/4/17	7:30-9:00 PM	Confession -- We Confess our Sins to Our Waiting Father Lesson 45 page 94	Confession [2 questions only. Ending with "...and feel in our hearts."] (pages 217-218)		Luke 15:1-10
1/11/17	7:30-9:00 PM	The Office of the Keys -- A Special Power Lesson 46 page 96 and A Repentant Life -- Forgiven and Forgiving Lesson 47 page 98	The Office of the Keys [1 question only. Ending with "...do not repent."] (page 224)	Look through a Lutheran Hymnal (LSB) to find the section of printed prayers. Copy one of those prayers on a paper to hand in. Tell why this prayer could be helpful to you.	Matthew 18:12-22

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1/18/17	7:30-9:00 PM	Pastor and people -- Shepherd and Sheep Lesson 48 page 100	What do you believe according to these words? [1 question only. Starting with "I believe that when..." Ending with "...dealt with us Himself."] (page 224)	Log on to <a href="http://www.lcms.org">www.lcms.org</a> and look around. Go to the "About Us" section and look at "Belief and Practice" and "Frequently Asked Questions." Find a question similar to something you might have questions about. Print the section and bring it to class so we can discuss it.	2 Timothy 2:1-19
1/25/17	7:30-9:00 PM	Church Discipline and Excommunication -- Difficult Decisions Lesson 49 page 102	Matthew 18:15-17	Log on to <a href="http://issuesetc.org/">http://issuesetc.org/</a> and listen to this internet radio station for at least 15 minutes. Write down what subject was being discussed.	2 Timothy 3:1-17
2/1/17	7:30-9:00 PM	TEST over Confession, Office of the Keys, Church Discipline (Lessons 45-49)	STUDY FOR TEST		Galatians 6:1-18
2/8/17	7:30-9:00 PM	The Nature of the Sacrament of the Altar -- A Gift from the Lord Lesson 50 page 104	What is the Sacrament of the Altar?; Where is this Written? (pages 231-232)	Read the Passover story (Exodus 12:1-13) and the story of the Last Supper (Matthew 26:26-28, Mark 14:22-24, Luke 22:19-20, and 1 Corinthians 11:23-25). Write in which ways they are similar and in which ways they are different.	(See Bible passages for Homework and read them as a family.)
2/15/17	7:30-9:00 PM	The Sacrament of the Altar -- "In Remembrance" Lesson 51 page 106	1 Corinthians 11:26		Exodus 16:1-15, 31
2/22/17	7:30-9:00 PM	The Benefit of The Sacrament of the Altar -- Strengthening Your Faith Lesson 52 page 108	The Benefit of the Sacrament of the Altar (page 237)	Look through a Lutheran Hymnal (LSB or LW) to find the section of hymns about the Lord's Supper. Choose one Hymn and write Bible passage(s) it is based upon. Also give the name of the composer of the text and of the music. Tell how this hymn helps you to understand the Benefit of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper	Luke 8:40-56
3/1/17	8:00 - 9:00 PM	Power in the Sacrament -- Given for You Lesson 53 page 110	The Power of the Sacrament of the Altar (page 239)	Work on Confirmation Questions	John 6:47-69
3/8/17	8:00 - 9:00 PM	How to Receive the Sacrament Worthily Lesson 54 page 112	How to Receive This Sacrament Worthily (page 241)	Work on Confirmation Questions	1 Corinthians 11:17-32

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3/15/17	8:00 - 9:00 PM	TEST over the Lord's Supper	STUDY for test over Lord's Supper	Work on Confirmation Questions	Read one of the following accounts of Palm Sunday: Matthew 21:1-11, 14-17; Mark 11:1-11; Luke 19:19-44; John 12:12-19
3/22/17	8:00 - 9:00 PM	Confirmation -- A Blessed Life Lesson 55 page 114	Romans 6:3-5	Work on Confirmation Questions	1 Kings 18:16-40
3/29/17	NO CLASS	CARO SPRING BREAK			
4/5/17	8:00 - 9:00 PM	The Lutheran Confessions and The Holy Christian Church	2 Corinthians 4:13 and John 10:27-28	Work on Confirmation Questions	Acts 9:1-31 and Acts 12:1-19a
4/12/17	7:30-9:00 PM	What Is Worship? Why do we do what we do?			Numbers 21:4-9
4/19/17	7:30-9:00 PM	PRACTICE FOR QUESTIONING SERVICE	2 Corinthians 4:13 and John 10:27-28	Work on Confirmation Questions	2 Corinthians 4:13 and Ephesians 4:3-14
4/26/17		Hello/Goodbye Dinner FOLLOWED BY PRACTICE FOR QUESTIONING SERVICE (if needed)		TURN IN WORKBOOKS	Ezekiel 37:1-14
5/3/17	7:30-9:00 PM	Questioning Service followed by brief meeting for students and parents about Confirmation Sunday		TURN IN CONFIRMATION QUESTIONS	Acts 16:1-40
5/7/17	11:00	CONFIRMATION SUNDAY	READ ROMANS 10:9-11 !!!	CONGRATULATIONS!	READ ROMANS 10:9-11 !!!