

First Grade Religion students at St. Patrick’s will grow in their love for God and others. They will recognize that God created everything because of His love for us and that everything made by God is good. Students will learn about Jesus as God and as man and how His words and actions teach us how to love and serve God. They will begin to develop an understanding of the Sacraments and the gifts we receive from them. Students will develop a prayer relationship with God in both formal and informal prayer. They will perform acts of kindness/service to their community which demonstrate their love for Jesus and response to God’s call to serve. Students will be aware that their everyday actions are to be holy.

	<u>Standards/Goals</u>	<u>Instructional Tools</u>	<u>Assessment Tools</u>
1.1 Creed-Belief	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Students will recognize God’s love for us. b. Students will identify God as Creator. c. Students will identify Creation as a gift. d. Students will identify Jesus as a gift from God. e. Students will identify Church as family. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religion text Teacher created materials Bible Mass 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher observation Student work Tests Classroom dialogue
1.2 Sacraments-Gifts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Students will recognize the Sacraments as a sign of God’s love. b. Students will identify Baptism as becoming a Child of God and a member of the Church. c. Students will identify Reconciliation as God’s forgiveness. d. Students will identify Eucharist as the body and blood of Jesus. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religion text Teacher created materials Bible Mass 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher observation Student work Tests Classroom dialogue
1.3 Christian Living-Life	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Students will identify Jesus as our role model. b. Students will recognize that we are children of God. c. Students will learn to love others and themselves. d. Recognize the importance of serving others. e. Students understand how to keep their “Circle of Grace” sacred. f. Students will perform acts of kindness/service in our school community, church community, and community at large. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religion text Circle of Grace Lessons Religion text Teacher created materials Bible Mass School/Parish Drives 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher observation Student work Tests Classroom dialogue Participation

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1.4 Prayer- Relationship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Students will recognize that prayer is a conversation with God. b. Students will recognize Mass as “our greatest” prayer. c. Students will practice and recite informal prayer. d. Students will practice and recite formal prayer. e. Recite the following: Sign of the Cross, Glory Prayer, The Lord’s Prayer, Hail Mary, Meal Prayers, Guardian Angel Prayer. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religion text Various prayer texts Attending Mass Daily prayer Teacher created materials Bible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prayer Recites Mass Participation Teacher observation Student work Tests Classroom dialogue