

1st Grade
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Children's Ministry
2010 -2011 First Grade Lesson Plan Schedule

9/19, 9/22/2010	Diversity/Welcome 1 st Class	Faith Formation Begins!
9/26, 9/29/2010	Faith Formation Rally for kids	Guest Speaker for Parents SFFC room 130ab during session times.
10/3, 10/6/2010	Ch. 2 God is Our Father and Creator	
10/10, 10/13/2010	Ch. 3 Jesus is the Son of God	
10/17, 10/20/2010	Ch. 4 Mary is the Mother of God	Catholic Family Book Fair 10/17 8am - 1:30pm room 130 SFFC
10/24, 10/27/2010	Ch. 5 Jesus Shows God's Love	
10/31, 11/3/2010	Bible Journey Wedding Feast at Canaan	Bible Journey's Room 106
11/7, 11/10/2010	Ch. 7 The Holy Spirit is Our Helper	
11/14, 11/17/2010	Ch. 8 Jesus Gave us the Church	
11/21, 11/24/2010	Ch.10/Advent The Church Celebrates All Year	
11/28, 12/1/2010	Thanksgiving Break No Sessions	
12/5, 12/8/2010	Advent/Christmas	
12/12, 12/15/2010	Christmas Program	Children's Ministry Christmas Program
12/19/2010 - 1/5/2011	Christmas Break No Sessions	
1/9, 1/12/2011	Ch. 11 The Church's Celebrations	
1/16, 1/19/2011	Ch. 12 Come Follow Jesus (SS)	
1/23, 1/26/2011	Ch. 13 We Celebrate Mass	
1/30/, 2/2/2011	Ch. 14 Jesus Feeds a Crowd (SS)	
2/6, 2/9/2011	Ch. 15 We Live As Children of God	OUTREACH Stuff Teddy Bears for CCCAC
2/13, 2/16/2011	Ch. 16 We Live As a Family	
2/20, 2/23/2011	Ch. 18 Moses Leads God's People (SS)	
2/27, 3/2/2011	WHO/VIRTUS	WHO/VIRTUS
3/6, 3/9/2011	No Sessions	3/8 Mardi Gras SFFC 5:30 - 8:00 pm 3/9 Ash Wed. Children's Liturgy Prayer Svc 4:30 pm 3/11 Stations of the Cross 5:15 pm/Soup Suppers 5:30 pm 3/18 Stations of the Cross 5:15 pm/Soup Suppers 5:30 pm
3/13 - 3/19/2011	Spring Break/No Sessions	
3/20, 3/23/2011	Ch. 19/Lent We Love God	3/25 Stations of the Cross 5:15 pm/Soup Suppers 5:30 pm
3/27, 3/30/2011	21/Lent We Love Through Forgiveness	4/1 Stations of the Cross 5:15 pm/Soup Suppers 5:30 pm
4/3, 4/6/2011	Ch. 23/Lent We Talk and Listen to God Ch	4/8 Stations of the Cross 5:15 pm/Soup Suppers 5:30 pm
4/10, 4/13/2011	Ch. 24/Lent Jesus Taught His Followers to Pray	4/15 Stations of the Cross 5:15 pm/Soup Suppers 5:30 pm
4/17, 4/20/2011	No Sessions	
4/24, 4/27/2011	Holy week/Easter lesson	
5/1, 5/4/2011	Review/Party	Last Session /End of Year Parties
6/20 - 24/2011	VBS	

See reverse side for important information.

Did you know that this is the first year of your Sacrament Preparation?

That's Right! The Bishop says that you must prepare for two years to receive a sacrament. Therefore, children who wish to receive First Reconciliation and First Eucharist next year must attend Faith Formation this year. This year is going to be very exciting as you begin to learn that God Is Calling You to His Church by studying:

- What WE Believe: God Loves Us and Helps Us
- How WE Worship: The Mass
- How WE Live: As Children of God, Loving God and Others
Outreach – Why do people need food? Why do we need to help?
- How WE Pray: Talking to God
- How WE Celebrate: The Seasons of the Church year
- Scripture Stories: The Bible

Because this is a sacrament preparation year, children will be expected to attend class regularly. If a session is missed, it is required that the lesson be made up. This may be accomplished by working on the lesson at home with a parent and then contacting Eileen Schuett at eschuett@eseton.org with a note that the lesson has been completed so that she can make the proper notation for the attendance files. Sunday classes can be made up in the same week by attending the Wednesday class as a visitor. If you are unsure of the correct lesson to be made up, please contact Raylene Juneau at rjuneau@eseton.org. It is extremely important that children attend Sunday Mass each week. This is an opportunity for the family to worship together and to share their Faith. When the children begin to prepare for the Eucharist next year they will Study the Mass and learn that Sunday mass attendance is one of the laws of the Church. If they have been attending each Sunday they will have a base of experience with the Mass from which to better understand it.

Rite of Welcome Saturday April 30, 2011 - 5:00pm Mass and Sunday May 1, 2011 - 8:15am & 11:45am Masses

The children will be welcomed into their preparation year for Reconciliation and Eucharist at the three masses. (Choose one mass to attend.) This is a simple rite that the family participates in together at the Sunday Liturgy.

**This year begins one of the most exciting times in a child's faith life.
Prepare for fun and awesome experiences for you and your child.**

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During Session Times 972-398-5400 x 4260

Your Child's Catechist:

Name : _____

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Phone number: _____

e-mail: _____

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Please let your child's catechist know if you are a cleared adult and willing to substitute in your child's classroom if a second cleared adult is needed. Please contact Children's Ministry Office about become a cleared adult.

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