# St. Cecilia Family Faith Formation - Doctrine

#### **The 7 Sacraments**

*Initiation*: Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist *Healing*: Reconciliation & Anointing of the Sick

Service: Matrimony & Holy Orders

## 4 Marks of the Church

One, Holy, Catholic, Apostolic

## The Precepts of the Church

- Attend Mass on Sundays and holy days & rest from servile labor.
- 2. Confess your sins at least once a year.
- 3. Receive Holy Communion at least once a year during Easter time.
- 4. Fast and abstain on days of penance.
- 5. Provide for the needs of the Church.

## **Holy Days of Obligation**

Immaculate ConceptionDec. 8ChristmasDec. 25Mary, Mother of GodJan. 1

Ascension of the Lord 40 days > Easter

Assumption of Mary Aug. 15 All Saints Day Nov. 1

## 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Wisdom Knowledge Understanding Piety

Counsel Fear of the Lord

Fortitude

## 12 Fruits of the Holy Spirit

Charity (Love) Generosity
Joy Faithfulness
Peace Gentleness
Patience Modesty
Kindness Self-Control
Goodness Chastity

## **Virtues**

Theological: Faith, Hope, & Love

Cardinal: Prudence, Justice, Fortitude, Temperance

#### **The Ten Commandments**

1. I, the Lord, am your God.

You shall not have strange gods before me.

You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.

- 3. Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day.
- 4. Honor your father and mother.
- 5. You shall not kill.
- 6. You shall not commit adultery.
- 7. You shall not steal.
- 8. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
- 9. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.
- 10. You shall not covet your neighbor's possessions.

## **Spiritual Works of Mercy**

Warn the sinner. Bear wrongs patiently.

Teach the ignorant. Forgive injuries.

Counsel the doubtful. Pray for the living & dead.

Comfort the sorrowful.

## **Corporal Works of Mercy**

Feed the hungry. Shelter the homeless.

Give drink to the thirsty. Visit the sick. Clothe the naked. Bury the dead.

Visit the imprisoned.

## **The 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.

Blessed are they who hunger & thirst for righteousness,

for they will be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful,

for they will receive 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 they who are persecuted

for righteousness' sake,

for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.