

Text Books: United States Catholic Catechism for Adults; The Great Adventure Catholic Bible, Second Edition, 2024.

It is essential that all inquirers attend Mass each Sunday in addition to the classes. Classes will begin *promptly with prayer at 4:15pm each Sunday* and *conclude no later than 5:45pm* with any announcements and prayer.

(Pre-catechumenate or Inquiry Phase)

September

I. The Creed – What we Believe

13	Introductions, Faith Sharing		
20	Session 1: The Journey of Faith	<i>United States Catholic Catechism for Adults</i>	pp 1-9
27	Session 2: Divine Revelation		11-19

October

04	Session 3: Who is Jesus		
11	Session 4: The Story of Salvation		
18	Session 5: The Bible		21-33
25	Session 6: The Holy Spirit and the Life of Grace		101-110
31	Georgia Martyrs Beatification Mass, Savannah Convention Center 11:00 am		

November

01	All Saint's Day	Session 7: The Saints	
02	All Soul's Day		
08	Session 8: Why Do I need the Church?		125-140
15	Session 9: The Last Things		151-164
22	Christ the King Sunday and Rite of Welcoming		
	Session 10: Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist)		181-232
29	First Sunday of Advent - Thanksgiving Break - No Class		

(Catechumenate/Candidacy Period)

II. The Sacraments – What we Celebrate

December

06	Session 11: Sacraments of Healing (Reconciliation and Anointing the Sick)		233-260
08	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception - Holy Day of Obligation		
12	Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe		
13	Session 12: The Mass Part One		
20	Session 13: The Mass Part Two		
12/27-01/02	Christmas and New Years Break		

January

01	Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God – Holy Day of Obligation	
03	Session 14: Sacraments of Service (Matrimony and Holy Orders)	261-292
10	Session 15: Mary	141-150
17	Session 16: A Love that Lasts - 1 Corinthians 13	307-338

III. Christian Morality: Living our Faith

24	Session 17: Catholic Social Teaching	
31	Session 18: Chapters 25-27 – the 1 st - 3 rd Commandments	339-371

February

07	Session 19: Chapters 28-30 – the 4 th - 6 th Commandments	373-416
10	Ash Wednesday Mass at 8:30am or 7:00pm (not obligatory)	
14	Rite of Election with Bishop Stephen Parkes at the Cathedral - 2:30pm - No class	

(Purification and Enlightenment Period for the Elect)

19	<i>Friday of Lent - Stations of the Cross</i>	
21	Session 20: Chapters 31-34 – the 7 th - 10 th Commandments	417-457
26	<i>Friday of Lent - Stations of the Cross</i>	
28	Session 21: Conversion, Faith, Sacrifice, and Penance First Scrutiny – The Samaritan Woman at the Well	

IV. Prayer**March**

05, 12, 19, 26 *Fridays of Lent - Stations of the Cross*

07	Session 22: Miracles in the Church (Eucharistic and from the Saints) Second Scrutiny – The Man Born Blind – Handing on of the Nicene Creed	
15	Session 23: Catholic Devotional Life Third Scrutiny – Lazarus – Handing on of the Our Father	295-303
17	<i>St. Patrick's Day – Erin Go Bragh</i>	
19	St. Joseph's Day – Candidates received into full communion?	
21	Palm Sunday Session 24: The Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and The Easter Vigil)	
23	Tuesday of Holy Week, Chrism Mass at the Cathedral 11:00am	
25	Holy Thursday Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00pm	
26	Good Friday, Stations at 12:00pm; Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 7:00pm	
27	Easter Vigil at 8:00pm – Sacraments of Initiation for the Elect	
28	Easter Sunday	

April**(Mystygogia)**

04	Session 25: Chapter 35-36, God calls us to pray	461-495
11	Session 26: Getting involved in the parish (Last Class)	