

Post Confirmation Syllabus (Beauty & Youth)

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Introduction and background to the syllabus review

- In response to the Diocese spiritual development guidelines for children issued in 2018.
- According to the guidelines, the ceremony for First Communion and Confirmation is combined, and take place around age 9 for children who received baby baptism.
- The guidelines also recommend at least 2 years post Confirmation development. One of the purposes is to gradually change the concept the “Confirmation” is the “end of spiritual development for children” (akin to graduation). Principle of the post Confirmation syllabus is to focus less on Sacraments, and more on what our Faith means to our daily living; also reinforce the importance of the Bible and prayer as means to strengthen our relationship with God.

Who took part in the review?

- Current lead tutors of the relevant classes
- Sunday School management
- DCC representative

What constitutes the syllabus?

- The material developed by DCC, **來，耶穌和你說故事：**
 - 主題（一）：耶穌的誕生帶來救恩
 - 主題（二）：耶穌的言行帶來天國的喜訊
 - 主題（三）：耶穌的苦難和復活帶來新生命

This book only focus on the message of salvation from the Gospel.

- The current syllabus of Virtue (to become Beauty in 2019) and Youth, to compliment the DCC material, bearing in mind the principles.
- Any other topics suggested by the reviewing team.
 - 早期教會及其聚會形式
 - include in the lessons of Pope John Paul II
 - 「我信聖神」 – 如何不流於迷信
 - 天使是甚麼？
 - It was agreed to combine these two topics.

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Lesson 1 (September)	聖經	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction: icebreaking – Bingo (recap of knowledge) Agree monthly themes for weekly love activity diary 	門徒召叫 - keep	Introduction Icebreaking - Faith Bingo	<p>1. 若翰的誕生</p> <p>喜訊：天主揀選若翰預備救主耶穌的來臨，逐步實現對人許諾的救恩</p>
Lesson 2 (September)	新約兩大誡命	<p>祈禱 (目的)：</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 明白祈禱是什麼 (giving thanks is an important element of prayer) 明白怎麼祈禱 <p>實踐生活中的祈禱 (Always pray first thing in the morning so we live our day according to God's will.)</p>	聖保祿 - keep	<p>祈禱 (目的)：</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 明白祈禱是什麼 明白怎麼祈禱 <p>實踐生活中的祈禱</p>	<p>2. 耶穌的誕生</p> <p>喜訊：天主揀選了若瑟和瑪利亞，參與他的救恩計劃</p>
Lesson 3 (October)	門徒召叫	Rosary	新約兩大誡命 - keep	Briefly introduce about Rosary	<p>3. 賢士來朝拜主耶穌</p> <p>喜訊：天主引領所有人認識他的救恩</p>

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Lesson 4 (October)	聖保祿	「我信聖神」	聖經 - keep	Introduction of Mother Teresa. What can we learn from her?	4. 耶穌初顯天主性 喜訊：耶穌十二歲時，展現自己的智慧和與天父的密切關係
Lesson 5 (November)	1. 若翰的誕生 喜訊：天主揀選若翰預備救主耶穌的來臨，逐步實現對人許諾的救恩	Role model of the Saints (focus on modern age Saints)	亡羊的比喻 -> lesson 8	Crucifixes Introducing different kinds of Crucifixes and their meaning, which crucifix would represent them and why	5. 耶穌宣講天國（治病及驅魔） 喜訊：耶穌藉著治病、驅魔和宣講，讓人認識天國
Lesson 6 (November)	2. 耶穌的誕生 喜訊：天主揀選了若瑟和瑪利亞，參與他的救恩計劃	10. 光明的國度（治好瞎子巴爾提買） 喜訊：耶穌治癒瞎子，使人得見天國光明的道路	聖誕節 -> lesson 1 & 2	Activity: interview senior fellow Catholics of our Parish and learn from their faith - keep	6. 耶穌愛說故事（撒種的比喻） 喜訊：耶穌以生活的故事，讓人認識天國
Lesson 7 (December)	3. 賢士來朝拜主耶穌 喜訊：天主引領所有人認識他的救恩	11. 公義的國度（富翁與拉匝祿） 喜訊：耶穌以仁愛和正義，建立天國	服務精神（耶穌為門徒洗腳）-> lesson 12	Starts of Advent: introduction of Advent, meaning of Advent, and how to prepare themselves for Advent in daily life (i.e. action of Love in daily life)	7. 耶穌治好癩病人（治好十個癩病人只有一個回去答謝耶穌） 喜訊：天國是為所有的人

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Lesson 8 (December)	4. 耶穌初顯天主性 喜訊：耶穌十二歲 時，展現自己的智慧和與天父的密切關係	Visit Canossa Hospital	國王的婚宴	Visit Canossa Hospital - keep	8. 天主的慈愛（到稅吏瑪竇家吃飯） 喜訊：慈愛的耶穌引領迷失的人跟隨他
Lesson 9 (December)	5. 耶穌宣講天國（治病及驅魔） 喜訊：耶穌藉著治病、驅魔和宣講，讓人認識天國	Activity of love: Gift of Heart	聖母瑪利亞 - keep	Activity of love: Gift of Heart - keep	9. 樂於寬恕的天主（寬恕七十個七次） 喜訊：耶穌以慈悲憐憫的心寬恕罪人
Lesson 10 (January)	6. 耶穌愛說故事（撒種的比喻） 喜訊：耶穌以生活的故事，讓人認識天國	Pope John Paul II	窮寡婦的比喻	聖地：耶穌的足蹟	10. 光明的國度（治好瞎子巴爾提買） 喜訊：耶穌治癒瞎子，使人得見天國光明的道路
Lesson 11 (January)	7. 耶穌治好癩病人（治好十個癩病人只有一個回去答謝耶穌） 喜訊：天國是為所有的人	Pope John Paul II	十個童女的比喻	Parables of Jesus	11. 公義的國度（富翁與拉匝祿） 喜訊：耶穌以仁愛和正義，建立天國

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Lesson 12 (February)	8. 天主的慈愛 (到稅吏瑪竇家吃飯) 喜訊：慈愛的耶穌引領迷失的人跟隨他	Pope John Paul II	約伯傳- keep	Role model of the Saints	12. 愛的禮物 (最後晚餐) 喜訊：耶穌為愛建立聖體聖事
Lesson 13 (February)	9. 樂於寬恕的天主 (寬恕七十個七次) 喜訊：耶穌以慈悲憐憫的心寬恕罪人	Activity: interview senior fellow Catholics of our Parish and learn from their faith	鹽和光的比喻 (為別人犧牲的人) - keep	Pope John Paul - keep	13. 愛的堅持 (耶穌被出賣及伯多祿三次不認主) 喜訊：耶穌承行主旨，為拯救人類而受苦
Lesson 14 (March)	12. 愛的禮物 (最後晚餐) 喜訊：耶穌為愛建立聖體聖事	聖地：耶穌的足蹟	四旬期	Pope John Paul - keep	14. 愛的犧牲 喜訊：耶穌以苦難、聖死來完成救世的使命
Lesson 15 (March)	約伯傳	13. 愛的堅持 (耶穌被出賣及伯多祿三次不認主) 喜訊：耶穌承行主旨，為拯救人類而受苦	復活節	Pope John Paul - keep	15. 生命的主 (兩門徒在往厄瑪烏路上遇見主) 喜訊：復活的基督給人帶來新的生命，使人喜樂地傳揚福音
Lesson 16 (March)	鹽和光的比喻 (為別人犧牲的人)	14. 愛的犧牲 喜訊：耶穌以苦難、聖死來完成救世的使命	葡萄樹與枝條	Theme about Easter 四旬期 (導賞受難曲)	

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Lesson 17 (April)	復活節	15. 生命的主 (兩門徒 在往厄瑪烏路上遇見 主) 喜訊：復活的基督給人 帶來新的生命，使人喜 樂地傳揚福音	撒種的比喻 = lesson 6	Theme about Easter 四旬期 (導賞受難曲)	
Lesson 18 (April)	Visit Logos Corner	Visit Canossa Convent, talk to the senior nuns to learn from their faith	總結	Visit to Canossa Convent and talk with the senior nuns to learn from their faith - keep	
Lesson 19 (April)	早期教會	Visit Logos Corner		Visit Logos Corner	
Lesson 20 (May)	聖母瑪利亞	花地瑪聖母顯現事跡及 訊息		花地瑪聖母顯現事跡及訊 息 - keep	
Lesson 21 (May)		安排介紹其他青少年團 體- 小導師和聖母軍		安排介紹其他青少年團體 - 小導師和聖母軍- keep	