ST. CHRISTINE'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

<u>FIRST GRADE Curriculum Guide 2017-2018</u> <u>Lauretta Grant – 781-837-0088 (cell = 781-588-6444)</u>

September 11 PARENT MEETING - Monday @ 7:30pm Parish Hall WEEK OF September 17 **Catechetical Sunday** CCD Teacher Commissioning at 9:00 am Mass - all teachers and families are encouraged to attend the opening Mass of Religious Education. September 17 Welcome **Chapter 1- God is Our Father** Sept 24 Chapter 2 – We believe in the Blessed Trinity Chapter 3 – Jesus Grew up in a Family October 1 October 8/9 No Sunday or Monday Classes – Columbus Day October 10/11 **Chapter 4 – Jesus Works Among the People** October 15 Grade 1 Special Mass at 9:00 am on Sunday Please join us for this Mass. October 15 Chapter 5 Jesus teaches us about love. October 22 **Chapter 10: Jesus Sends the Holy Spirit** October 29 **Chapter 6: The Church Year** October 31 No Tuesday class - Halloween **Tour of the Church**- during class time with Father Tom (Mon, Tues, Wed) **November 6,7,8, Chapter 7 - Ordinary Time (Tour of church for Sunday)** November 12 November 19 **Chapter 8 - Jesus had many followers** November 21-26 Thanksgiving week - No Tuesday, Wednesday, or Sunday classes. (Classes meet on Sunday11/21, Monday11/22only) Personal SafetyUnit I-(Sunday and Monday) November 27 **No Sunday Classes** Chapter 11 – Holy Spirit helps the Church to Grow. **Personal Safety – Unit I – Lesson Cards 1,2 and 3.** (Tuesday and Wednesday)

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Third Sunday of Advent

Dec 3

December 10

December 17

Christmas Party for the Sunday and Monday classes.

Christmas Party for the Tuesday and Wednesday classes.

Chapter 13 Advent - First Sunday of Advent

Chapter 14 – Second Sunday of Advent

Dec 19 - Jan 1	CHRISTMAS BREAK
January 2	Classes Resume Chapter 15 - We Belong to a Parish Family
January 7	Chapter 16 – We celebrate the Sacraments
January 14/15	No Sunday or Monday classes ~ Martin Luther King Holiday Chapter 17 – The Church celebrates new members.
January 21	Chapter 18 – We are Followers of Jesus
January 28	Chapter 19 – We celebrate God's Forgiveness
February 4	Chapter 22 – Jesus gives us the Eucharist
	Personal Safety Unit II – Lesson Cards 4,5 and 6
February 11	Chapter 23 - We celebrate the Mass
February 14	ASH WEDNESDAY – Service at 4:30 (note: during class time)
February 18-22	No Classes - Vacation week
February 25	Chapter 26 – We Care for the Gifts of God's creation.
March 4	Chapter 20 Lent - Lent is a preparation of the celebration of Easter
March 11-15	LENT- Second Week of Lent Stations of the Cross – during class time in Church
March 18	Chapter 24 We Share God's Love- Third Week of Lent
March 25	Palm Sunday Chapter 21 - The Three Days - Fourth Week of Lent
March 28	No Wednesday class - set up for Holy Week
April 1	Easter Sunday - He Has Risen - No Sunday Classes
April 2	Chapter 25 - We Honor Mary and the Saints
	Personal Safety Unit III – lesson cards 12 and 13
April 8	This is the last week of classes
May 6	Closing CCD Mass and May Procession 9:00AM