

Blest are We Noble County PSR Parish School of Religion 20/21 Calendar

Letter to Parents

Dear Parents

To serve is the greatest gift that one can give to another. As parents, you serve everyday by serving your child(ren) as the first and best of teachers. The church community, all four parishes, are here to help you too. We want you to have a most successful 2020/21 year. You are the teacher, and as such you will most likely feel overwhelmed at times. Please know that I and any resource that I have available is at your disposal. My prayers are for you and all in our parishes. Please feel free to reach out to me (740-732-4129 ext 153), if I can help in any way.

Fr Wayne

Below is from the Bulletins of 9/13 and later 20/21 PSR News

A total of 156 letters (one for every student ages 5-18 for all 4 parishes) were sent out. We have had a response of 57 letters as of my writing this on Wednesday afternoon. With this 37% response, which is actually very good in this time of COVID, we have looked at the desires of our parents.

Four options were given:

- 1—Homeschool (parents, students & a book)
- 2—Zoom (an online meeting platform, where our teachers would meet virtually with students)
- 3—Some type of combo between homeschool & Zoom
- 4—No Participation for the student

Just over 75% of the letters returned indicated that our parents preference is that of doing PSR as HOMESCHOOL. The other 25% were for a Zoom based schooling. Not wanting our teacher to have to double up their work load, we have opted for HOMESCHOOL with an aid for our parents via use of YOUTUBE.

HOMESCHOOL PSR 2020/21 DEFINATION: Books will be sent home, either to be picked up at the church of membership beginning the weekend of September 19 & 20 or mailed to the home on September 28. Parents will receive a year calendar to help them direct their child learning and to keep to a schedule close to that of a regular PSR academic year. With these schedules, we will include the "20/21 Objectives" for each grade level. To assist our parents, and to not overburden our teachers, I will be creating 10 to 15 minute videos for each chapter for our students/parents. These YOUTUBE videos will be found on our website (www.nccchurches.org). A sample of what the website page for Grade 1 is to the right. The office, myself and our teachers will be happy to assist in any way that we can to help our children and parents grow together in faith and to share the Gospel message. God Bless *FWM*

Ways we are trying to help you:

If you are having trouble, please call the Office 740-732-4219, we will do our best to help.

10 Minute or so video overview lessons

If you do not have good internet to use the overviews. Please call the Parish Office at 740-732-4129/4576 and at the machine dial 153 for Fr Morris. If no answer, please leave a message, asking for a DVD of the files for grade needed and one will be made for you which will work in your home DVD player.

ONLINE Overview Videos

- Go to **www.nccchurches.org**
 - click **PSR** tap
 - click the grade for your child
 - you will find the above calendar along with links to video files marked **LINK** to the right of every lesson. These are 10 minute or so lesson overviews to help you as a parent.
- There are other video links on each grade's webpage to help with other lessons, especially for our youngest. Please use these to help you with some of the basic prayers and instruction. Sorry, but I cannot burn these to a DVD, since that is against copyright.

LESSON TURNIN:

- Please drop the lessons in the Sunday collection [WITH NAME ON SHEET PLEASE.]
or
- Please mail chapter to: PSR
PO Box 286
Caldwell, OH 43724

+ Blest are we - Grade 1 +

Chapter 1 - OCTOBER 4	We belong to Jesus' Church Pg 25
Chapter 2 - OCTOBER 11	We gather to celebrate Mass Pg 35
Chapter 3 - OCTOBER 18	God's word teaches us Pg 45
Chapter 4 - OCTOBER 25	We give praise to God Pg 55
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Chapter 5 - NOVEMBER 8	God is our loving Father Pg 67
Chapter 6 - NOVEMBER 15	Baptism is a wonderful gift Pg 77
Chapter 7 - NOVEMBER 22	God made us to be good and holy Pg 87
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Chapter 8 - JANUARY 3	We give thanks to God Pg 97
Chapter 9 - JANUARY 10	Jesus is God's Son Pg 109
Chapter 10 - JANUARY 17	We Celebrate the Gift of Eucharist Pg 119
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Chapter 11 - JANUARY 31	Jesus teaches us about forgiveness Pg 129
Chapter 12 - FEBRUARY 7	We pray with God's word Pg 139
Chapter 13 - FEBRUARY 14	Jesus promises the Holy Spirit Pg 151
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Chapter 14 - FEBRUARY 28	We celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit Pg 161
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Chapter 17 - MARCH 21	Jesus' followers become the Church Pg 193
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Chapter 19 - APRIL 11	The Church helps the world Pg 213
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+ Blest are we - Grade 2 +

Chapter 1 - OCTOBER 4	Our Church welcomes us Pg 25
Chapter 2 - OCTOBER 11	We belong to the Church Pg 35
Chapter 3 - OCTOBER 18	Our Church shows us how to live Pg 45
Chapter 4 - OCTOBER 25	We praise and thank God Pg 55

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Chapter 5 - NOVEMBER 8	We can choose what is good Pg 67
Chapter 6 - NOVEMBER 15	We celebrate God's forgiveness Pg 77
Chapter 7 - NOVEMBER 22	We think about our choices Pg 87

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Chapter 9 - JANUARY 10	We learn about God's love Pg 109
Chapter 10 - JANUARY 17	We listen to God's word Pg 119

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Chapter 11 - JANUARY 31	We act on God's word Pg 129
Chapter 12 - FEBRUARY 7	We pray for others Pg 139
Chapter 13 - FEBRUARY 14	Jesus saves us from sin Pg 151

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Chapter 14 - FEBRUARY 28	We receive the gift of Jesus Pg 161
Chapter 15 - MARCH 7	We carry on the work of Jesus Pg 171
Chapter 16 - MARCH 14	We pray like Jesus Pg 181
Chapter 17 - MARCH 21	God gives us the Holy Spirit Pg 193
Chapter 18 - MARCH 28	We celebrate peace and service Pg 203

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Chapter 19 - APRIL 11	We work for peace and justice Pg 213
Chapter 20 - APRIL 18	We go forth in the Holy Spirit Pg 223

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+ Blest are we - Grade 3 & 4 + Grade 4 (used in 20/21)

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Chapter 3 - OCTOBER 18	The commandments and God's covenant Pg 45
Chapter 4 - OCTOBER 25	The Commandments of the the Lord's prayer Pg 55

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Chapter 13 - FEBRUARY 14	Sacraments in the Church Pg 151

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Chapter 17 - MARCH 21	Our vocation to the World Pg 193
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Chapter 19 - APRIL 11	The new commandment and the Works of Mercy Pg 213
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+ Blest are we - Grade 5 & 6 + Grade 6 (used in 20/21)

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Chapter 6 - NOVEMBER 15	Passover and the Eucharistic celebration Pg 77
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+ Blest are we - Grade 7 & 8 + Grade 8 (used in 20/21)

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Chapter 2 - OCTOBER 11	HOLY: Jesus Christ is the Sacraments Pg 41
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