Primary 7 – God Gives Me Life

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| Experiences and Outcomes | Core Learning | Month/Theme |
| P7 RERC 2-01a Mystery of GodI examine God’s precious gift of life and can reflect an act upon my God-given role. | I know that Science and Sacred scripture are complementary in helping me to deepen my understanding of the wonder of creation.I know that creation is ongoing and that we can co-operate in God’s creative work by protecting nature and promoting life (Gen. 1:26-28).I have considered God’s precious gift of life from conception to natural death and, in doing so, I can recognise the need to cherish it, particularly when it is most vulnerable e.g. the unborn child,the elderly, the fragile, and sick. | 1. God versus Science2. Covenants3. Monastic communities4. Ancient UniversitiesAugust /September1. God’s Precious Gift of Life2. Eternal Life - Heaven and Hell3. Remembrance November |
| P7 RERC 2-02a In the Image of GodI know that God wants me to develop my God-given gifts and I have reflected on how I can usethem for the common good. | I see, think and wonder about the beginning of life and the development of a child in its mother’swomb.I recognise that life is precious and God-given from the moment of conception.I recognise that this is how I started my life and I can give thanks and praise to God for my life(Psalm 139).I know that my sexuality is a precious gift from God and is something to be cherished. | 1. God’s Precious Gift of Life2. Eternal Life - Heaven and Hell3. Remembrance November |

Primary 7 – God Delights In Me

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| P7 RERC 2-01b Mystery of GodI explore the Biblical stories of creation and I can reflect on how we understand these truths inour modern world. | I know that men and women are created equal and that, in Gen. 2:• the rib is symbolic of a person’s life;• God shares life equally between man and woman (Gen. 2:21)• so that they are “bone of my bone and flesh of my flesh” (Genesis 2:23)I recognise that relationships between men and women are a mysterious and beautiful gift whichalways require patience and maturity to be fully appreciated.I know that men and women whether friends, family, peers, husbands or wives, help each other to develop their own identity and personality in relationship with one another. | 1. God versus Science2. Covenants3. Monastic communities4. Ancient UniversitiesAugust/September |
| P7 RERC 2-02a In the Image of GodI know that God wants me to develop my God-given gifts and I have reflected on how I can usethem for the common good. | I recognise that my body is the temple of the Holy Spirit (1 Cor. 6: 19-20; John 14:23-26), and thismeans that I should respect myself, body and soul and that I should also respect other people.I know that God sees me as beautiful - inside and out - and rejoices as I develop physically,spiritually and emotionally. | 1. God’s Precious Gift of Life2. Eternal Life - Heaven and Hell3. Remembrance November |

Primary 7 – God Calls Me To Love

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| P7 RERC 2-21a Reign of GodI can recognise how my relationship with God and others can be shaped by the values ofJesus’ Kingdom. | I can help to make the Kingdom of God present in this world by ensuring that my behaviour and actions are inspired by the values of the Gospel. | 1. Pentecost2. The Holy Trinity3. The Role of the Catholic CommunityJune |
| P7 RERC 2-20a Reign of GodI know that I have been called by God to grow in love justice and peace in my relationship withothers. | I understand that the gift of peace is to be shared and is closely linked to justice and that I amcalled to be a peacemaker in my own relationships and in the wider world. | 1. Pentecost2. The Holy Trinity3. The Role of the Catholic CommunityJune |

Primary 7 – God’s Loving Plan Guides My Choices

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| P7 RERC 2-02a In the Image of GodI know that God wants me to develop my God-given gifts and I have reflected on how I can usethem for the common good. | I recognise that my body is a temple of the Holy Spirit (1 Cor. 6:19-20; John 14:23-26), that this means I should respect myself, my body and soul and that I should also respect other people.I know that my sexuality is a precious gift from God and something to be cherished.I know that God created man and woman and calls them into the life-long faithful union of marriage, the single life, or the celibate life of priesthood or religious life.I understand that it is part of God’s plan that sexual intercourse between a man and a woman is an act of love within marriage.I recognise that when parents welcome the precious gift of life they are sharing in God’s creativework. | 1. God’s Precious Gift of Life2. Eternal Life - Heaven and Hell3. Remembrance November |

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| P7 RERC 2-23a Reign of GodI know that God has given me the freedom to make choices about the way I live my life. I have reflected on how the decisions of my conscience affect my relationship with God and others. | I have explored Jesus’ Temptations in the Desert (Luke 4: 1-13) and I know that I will experiencetemptations in my lie which are contrary to Gospel values.I know that God has given me the ability to resist temptation through prayer and sacraments and Iunderstand the link between my conscience, my moral life as a Christian and faithfulness to the teachings and the liturgical life of the Church.I understand that human life is sacred and I know that God commands me, out of love, to show respect for every human life from conception to natural death.I know that God alone is the author of all sacred life and, therefore, that we cannot remove or destroy life. (Fifth Commandment: *You shall not kill.*)I recognise that marriage is between a man and a woman who are called to love one another faithfully and exclusively until death, without engaging in extra-marital sexual relationships. (Sixthcommandment: *You shall not commit adultery.)*I know that we are called to purity of heart and mind, to modesty in behaviour and dress, and to chaste relationships with one another. (Ninth Commandment: *You shall not covet your**neighbour’s wife.*) | 1. Mary’s Significance within Catholic Tradition2. Forgiveness in the Face of Violence3. 5th, 6th and 9thCommandmentsAdvent/Christmas |