

St. John Vianney Theological Seminary



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Course Reading Assignments

Most courses will also have one or more handouts(distributed in class). Bible readings/passages are assigned in class.

CODE	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Text Title</u>	<u>Reading Assignments</u>
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Moral Living

SL1	Sacraments & Liturgy I	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 1066-1419
SL2	Sacraments & Liturgy II	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 1420-1690
CM	Christian Maturity – Catholic Morality	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Part 3: Living in Christ ~ In Brief boxes
PS	Prayer & Spirituality	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Part 4 – Christian Prayer
FD	Faith Development	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 26-50; 68-73; 96-100; 134-84
HF	Healthy Families ~ Holy Families	<i>John Paul's letter to Families</i>	Entire Text
CST	Catholic Social Teaching	<i>Sollicitudo Rei Socialis (On Social Concerns)</i> <i>Everyday Christianity ~ to Hunger and Thirst for Justice</i> by US Bishops	Instructor's preference Instructor's preference
GPM	God's Plan for a Joy filled Marriage	<i>Good News about Sex and Marriage</i> By Christopher West	Entire Text
SPT	Spirits: Angels and Demons	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 326-36, 350-52, 390-8

Scripture

RSF	Revelation, Scripture, and Faith	<i>The Bible</i> <i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 26-184
OT	Intro to the Old Testament: The Story of God's People	<i>The Bible</i> <i>A Guide to the Bible</i>	Bible selections Pp. 11-99
PPW	Prophets, Psalms, & Wisdom Writers	<i>The Bible</i> <i>A Guide to the Bible</i>	Bible Selections Pp. 11-24; 100-164
SG	The Synoptic Gospels	<i>The Bible</i> <i>A Guide to the Bible</i>	Gospels of Matthew, Mark and Luke Pp. 11-17; 167-86
JN	The Gospel of John	<i>The Bible</i> <i>A Guide to the Bible</i>	Gospel of John Pp. 11-17; 167-74; 186-93
PL	The Writings of St. Paul	<i>The Bible</i> <i>A Guide to the Bible</i>	Pauline Epistles: Rom.-Titus Pp. 11-17; 193-224

Tradition

CH1	Church History I	<i>Compact History of the Catholic Church</i>	Pp. 1-63; 118-120; 159-165
Ch2	Church History II	<i>Compact History of the Catholic Church</i>	Pp. 55-117; 127-128; 166-73
CMS	The Church, Mystery and Sacrament	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 748-987
VII	History & Documents of Vatican II	<i>Christifideles laici</i> <i>Documents of Vatican II</i> (Flannery, ed., v. 1) Read the Preface and Introduction, plus the 4 constitutions. Flannery document #'s are in parentheses. Students may also use Abbott edition	Entire Text The Liturgy (#1) The Church (#28) Divine Revelation (#58) The Church in the Modern World #64
CR	The Creed: What Catholics Believe	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Part One, Section Two-"In Brief" boxes
CCC	Introduction to the Catechism of the Catholic Church	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i> <i>Essentials of the Faith</i>	<i>Fidei Depositum</i> , Prologue & Contents Preface & Introduction
CHR	Christology: Who is Jesus?	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Paragraph Nos. 65, 422-682, 727-30
MRY	Mary, Mother of God	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i> <i>Lumen Gentium</i> <i>Redemptoris Mater</i>	Paragraph Nos. 487-511 Chapter 8
TLT	The Last Things: Death, Judgment, Hell, Purgatory and Heaven	<i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i> <i>Love is Stronger Than Death</i> <i>Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Heaven...</i> <i>But Were Afraid to Ask</i>	Paragraph Nos. 988-1060 Entire text Entire text
LEC	Lectionary and the Liturgical Year	<i>The Sunday Lectionary:</i> <i>Ritual Word, Paschal Shape</i>	Entire text

Methodology / Ministry

FCE	Foundations of Catholic Education	<i>Précis of Official Teaching on Catholic Education</i>	Survey intros. & text
FC	Foundation of Catechetics	<i>The General Directory of Catechesis</i>	Preface, Intro, Parts I-III
TCE	Transforming Culture through Catholic Education	<i>The Bible</i> <i>Catechism of the Catholic Church</i>	Overview
BSK	Basic Skills for New Catechists	<i>Catechesi Tradendae</i> <i>General Directory for Catechesis</i>	Para nos. 5-13, 18-19, 26-28, 68 Part 1, Chp 1 & 2, Para nos. 69-86, 94-102, 119-129
TCC	The Creative Catechist	<i>The Mystery We Proclaim</i>	Survey entire book