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Learning goals Home-Study

 **Bible & Scripture**

* Can identify relationship with God through bible stories (our God / we are His people)
* Can recognize Jesus in the stories of Christmas and Easter

 **Creed – What we believe**

* Knows who God, Jesus, Mary and Joseph are
* Learns the three persons of God; God as our loving Father, Jesus God’s son,
God’s Holy Spirit
* Learns that we are all part of God’s creation

 **Mass & Sacraments – How we celebrate**

* Learns that Baptism welcomes us to God’s family; use of baptismal font/holy water
* Knows basic body movements and gestures of the Mass (kneeling, genuflect,
sign of the cross)
* Understands Liturgical calendar basics (intro to seasons), and colors
(green, purple, white)

 **Values – How we live**

* Demonstrate respect for parents, teacher, classmates, & God’s creation
(earth, plants, creatures)
* Understands concept of Guardian Angel
* Understands the difference between good and bad choices

 **Prayer – How we pray**

* Basic understanding that prayer is talking with and listening to God
* Learns the words to making the Sign of the Cross

 *Rockford Catholic Diocese guidelines. Learn more at* [*https://www.ceorockford.org/religious-educationyouth-ministry/*](https://www.ceorockford.org/religious-educationyouth-ministry/)


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Lesson focus by month
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**SEPTEMBER: God Made the World**

* Lesson 1 – New Places and Faces
* Lesson 2 – God is Great!
* Lesson 3 – God Made Me Wonderful

 **OCTOBER: God and My Church**

* Lesson 4 – I Love God & God Loves Me
* Lesson 5 – My Family
* Lesson 6 – Welcome to the Church
* Lesson 7 – The Church is Everywhere

 **NOVEMBER: My Church (continued)**

* Lesson 8 – Mary, Mother of Us All
* Lesson 9 – Inside Our Church
* Lesson 10 – Thank You, God

 **DECEMBER: Jesus, God’s Son**

* Lesson 11 – Jesus is Coming
* Lesson 12 – Joseph Has a Dream
* Lesson 13 – Mary & Joseph Take a Trip
* Lesson 14 – Jesus Is born

**JANUARY: Jesus Loves Everyone**

* Lesson 15 – Jesus Meets the Children
* Lesson 16 – Jesus Makes New Friends
* Lesson 17 – Jesus Heals a Sick Man

 **FEBRUARY: Jesus Loves Everyone**

* Lesson 18 – God Takes Care of Us
* Lesson 19 – Love Each Other
* Lesson 20 – Jesus Calms the Storm
* Lesson 21 – Share with Others

**MARCH: Beginnings and Endings**

* Lesson 22 – We are Sorry
* Lesson 23 – Jesus Dies
* Lesson 24 – Jesus is Alive
* Lesson 25 – New Life

 **APRIL: Beginnings and Endings**

* Lesson 26 – Caring for Animals
* Lesson 27 – I Am Growing
* Lesson 28 – Good-bye!

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