

Religious Education Curriculum Directory 3–5 Early Years  
cross referenced with *Come and See*

	Theme	Topic
<b>Revelation</b>		
come to know that God loves each one always and at all times;	Domestic Church Baptism /Confirmation Reconciliation	Myself Welcome Friends
come to know Jesus is God the Father's Son;	Advent/Christmas	Birthday
experience and come to know that Jesus tells us about God his Father;	Eucharist Pentecost Reconciliation	Gathering Good News Friends
hear the story of Christmas	Advent/Christmas	Birthday
hear the story of Easter;	Lent/ Easter	Growing
hear about the good news of Pentecost;	Pentecost	Good News
experience and become familiar with the sign of the cross.	Baptism /Confirmation Lent/ Easter	Welcome Growing
<b>The Church</b>		
know that they are special within their family and the community;	Domestic Church Baptism /Confirmation	Myself Baptism /Confirmation
come to know that Mary is the Mother of Jesus;	Advent/Christmas Local Church Lent/ Easter	Birthday Celebration Growing
experience that a church is a special place where God's People gather to pray;	Baptism /Confirmation Local Church Eucharist	Welcome Celebration Gathering
begin to hear about God's wonderful world.	Universal Church	Our World
<b>Celebration</b>		
come to appreciate their friendship with Jesus through Baptism;	Baptism /Confirmation	Welcome
come to know that Jesus helps us to choose the good;	Lent/ Easter Reconciliation	Growing Friends
come to know that Sunday is a special day for the church family who come together to celebrate;	Local Church Eucharist	Celebration Gathering
experience and recognise prayer is talking and listening to God;	All themes: especially Domestic Church Eucharist Reconciliation	All topics: especially Myself Gathering Friends
experience praying with others as a celebration;	All themes: especially  Local Church Eucharist	All topics: especially in the <i>Rejoice</i> section and in Celebration Gathering
experience liturgical celebrations in a variety of simple settings;	Baptism /Confirmation Local Church Eucharist	Welcome Celebration Gathering
be able to join in simple prayers and	All themes: especially	All topics : especially in the

hymns	Advent/Christmas Eucharist Reconciliation	<i>Rejoice</i> section and in Birthday Gathering Friends
<b>Life in Christ</b>		
respect each other, respect adults;	All themes: especially Lent/ Easter	All topics: especially Growing
learn to take responsibility for choices and actions;	Lent/ Easter Reconciliation	Growing Friends
learn to say 'sorry';	Reconciliation	Friends
form, and experience good relationships with peers and with adults in the school community.	All topics: especially Lent/ Easter Reconciliation	All topics: especially Growing Friends
ways in which a Christian family and parish share and celebrate life, and show care for one another	Baptism /Confirmation Local Church Eucharist Pentecost	Welcome Celebration Gathering Good News