

Correlation

faith first® Legacy Grades 1–6 and *faith first*® Legacy Junior High with Catholic Principles for Teaching Human Sexuality

Introduction

Resources for Christian Living (RCL) is pleased to provide this correlation of **Faith First Legacy** with the statements of the principles on the teaching of human sexuality set forth by the U.S. Bishops, the Congregation for Catholic Education, and the Pontifical Council on the Family. **Faith First Legacy** presents the Church's teachings on the profession of faith, the sacraments, Christian moral life, and prayer in a developmental manner in all grade levels of its curriculum. The key principles of the Catholic Church on the teachings on human sexuality are therefore able to be appropriately introduced in the early grades and developed across all grade levels.

The key documents of the Church used as the foundation of this correlation are:

- Catechism of the Catholic Church*, Second Edition, 1997
- Educational Guidance in Human Love: Outlines for Sex Education* (Congregation for Catholic Education, 1983)
- Education in Human Sexuality for Christians: Guidelines for Discussion and Planning* (United States Catholic Conference, 1981)
- Human Sexuality: A Catholic Perspective for Education and Lifelong Learning* (United States Catholic Conference, 1990)
- The Truth and Meaning of Human Sexuality: Guidelines for Education within the Family* (Pontifical Council for the Family, 1996)
- General Directory for Catechesis* (Congregation for the Clergy, 1997)

The key principles with which **Faith First Legacy** is correlated are:

1. Each person is created by God, is an image of God, and is unique.
2. All human life, despite original sin, is fundamentally good in its physical, psychological, and spiritual dimensions.
3. Each person is created to be loved and to love as Christ, who is loved by God, loves us.
4. Humans are created male and female. Human relationships are expressed in a way that is enfleshed and sexed. Each human person should acknowledge and accept one's sexual identity.
5. Human sexuality carries the responsibility to work toward Christian sexual maturity.
6. Education for chastity is essential. Mature Christian sexuality, in whatever state of life, demands a life-enriching commitment to other persons and the community. Christ is the model of chastity. Every baptized person is called to lead a chaste life according to one's state in life.
7. Conjugal sexuality is an expression of the faithful, life-enriching love of husband and wife and is ordained toward the loving procreation of new life.
8. The Paschal mystery of Christ, celebrated in the Eucharist, is the model and source of strength for building and living Christian human relationships. Human existence acquires its full meaning in the vocation to divine life. Only by following the self-sacrificing life and love of Christ does one achieve this vocation and become fully human.
9. The total self-giving in love of the three Persons of the Holy Trinity is the model of all human relationships.

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1. Each person is created unique in the image of God.	Ch. 2 Ch. 15 Ch. 17 Ch. 22	Ch. 1 Ch. 2 Ch. 3 Ch. 18 Ch. 26	Ch. 2 Ch. 20	Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 17 Ch. 22	Ch. 5 Ch. 16 Ch. 20 Ch. 23	Ch. 4 Ch. 21 Ch. 22	Mystery of God: Ch. 4 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 1 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 12 Jesus in the New Testament: Ch. 9 Ch. 10
2. Despite original sin, all human life in its physical, psychological, and spiritual dimensions is fundamentally good.	Ch. 2 Ch. 11 Ch. 22	Ch. 2 Ch. 3 Ch. 12	Ch. 2 Ch. 18	Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 15 Ch. 22	Ch. 5 Ch. 12 Ch. 20 Ch. 23 Ch. 26	Ch. 4 Ch. 13 Ch. 19	Mystery of God: Ch. 4 Ch. 9 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 6 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 11 Jesus in the New Testament: Ch. 1

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<p>3. Each person is created to be loved and to love, as Christ, loved by God, loves us.</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 2 Ch. 3 Ch. 5 Ch. 6 Ch. 7 Ch. 8 Ch. 9 Ch. 11 Ch. 13 Ch. 14 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Ch. 18 Ch. 19 Triduum/Good Friday Easter, Week 4</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 2 Ch. 3 Ch. 5 Ch. 6 Ch. 7 Ch. 9 Ch. 11 Ch. 12 Ch. 13 Ch. 14 Ch. 18 Ch. 19 Ch. 20 Ch. 22 Ch. 23 Ch. 26</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 2 Ch. 6 Ch. 7 Ch. 8 Ch. 10 Ch. 12 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Ch. 18 Ch. 19 Ch. 20 Ch. 22 Triduum/Good Friday</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 6 Ch. 8 Ch. 10 Ch. 11 Ch. 13 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 18 Ch. 22 Ch. 23 Easter, Week 5</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 2 Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 6 Ch. 8 Ch. 11 Ch. 17 Ch. 20 Ch. 21 Ch. 22 Ch. 23 Lent, Week 4 Triduum/ Holy Thursday Easter, Week 4 Easter, Week 6</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 2 Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 6 Ch. 7 Ch. 10 Ch. 11 Ch. 14 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 18 Ch. 19 Ch. 21 Ch. 22 Lent, Week 2 Lent, Week 4 Easter, Week 3 Easter, Week 5</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 4 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 4 Ch. 6 Ch. 7 Ch. 9 Ch. 10 Ch. 11 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 12 Jesus in the New Testament: Ch. 3 Ch. 5 Ch. 7 Ch. 9 Ch. 10 Ch. 11 Liturgical Lessons: Lent, Week 5 Easter, Week 5</p>
<p>4. Human relationships are expressed in a way that is enfleshed and sexual.</p>	<p>Ch. 3 Ch. 7 Ch. 9 Ch. 14 Ch. 17 Ch. 20 Ch. 21 Ch. 25</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 5 Ch. 7 Ch. 11 Ch. 18 Ch. 26</p>	<p>Ch. 2 Ch. 5 Ch. 8 Ch. 16 Ch. 20</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 6 Ch. 10 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 10 Ch. 12 Ch. 17 Ch. 19 Ch. 23</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 13 Ch. 18 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 4 Ch. 6 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 9 Ch. 10 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 12</p>
<p>5. Human sexuality carries the responsibility to work toward Christian sexual maturity.</p>	<p>Ch. 3 Ch. 7 Ch. 15 Ch. 17 Ch. 20 Ch. 21</p>	<p>Ch. 7 Ch. 12 Ch. 14 Ch. 18 Ch. 20 Ch. 22 Ch. 23</p>	<p>Ch. 2 Ch. 8 Ch. 20</p>	<p>Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Ch. 8 Ch. 17 Ch. 18 Ch. 20 Ch. 23</p>	<p>Ch. 18 Ch. 19 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 5 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 10 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 12</p>
<p>6. Mature Christian sexuality, in whatever state of life, demands a life-enriching commitment to other persons and the community.</p>	<p>Ch. 6 Ch. 8 Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Ch. 18 Ch. 19 Ch. 20 Easter, Week 2</p>	<p>Ch. 11 Ch. 12 Ch. 20 Ch. 23 Ch. 24 Triduum/ Holy Thursday</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 9 Ch. 12 Ch. 17 Ch. 18 Ch. 21 Easter, Week 3</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 10 Ch. 12 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 20 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 4 Ch. 9 Ch. 12 Ch. 13 Ch. 14 Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Ch. 19 Ch. 20 Ch. 23 Ch. 25</p>	<p>Ch. 8 Ch. 13 Ch. 18 Ch. 20 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 1 Ch. 6 Ch. 12 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 2 Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 6 Ch. 10 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 2 Ch. 3 Ch. 7 Ch. 12 Jesus in the New Testament: Ch. 3 Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Ch. 7 Ch. 10 Ch. 11 Ch. 12</p>

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<p>7. Conjugal sexuality is an expression of the faithful, life-enriching love of husband and wife and is ordained toward the loving procreation of new life and education of their children.</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 3 Ch. 6 Ch. 16</p>	<p>Ch. 11 Ch. 26</p>	<p>Ch. 5 Ch. 15 Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Ch. 20</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 16 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Ch. 6 Ch. 17 Ch. 23</p>	<p>Ch. 7 Ch. 18 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 4 Ch. 5 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 10 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 12</p>
<p>8. Paschal Mystery, Eucharist, is the source for building and living Christian human relationships.</p>	<p>Ch. 13 Ch. 24 Lent, Week 1 Holy Thursday/ Triduum</p>	<p>Ch. 8 Ch. 16 Ch. 17 Triduum/ Holy Thursday</p>	<p>Ch. 6 Ch. 10 Ch. 12 Ch. 13 Triduum/ Holy Thursday</p>	<p>Ch. 7 Ch. 11</p>	<p>Ch. 7 Ch. 11 Ch. 14 Ch. 15</p>	<p>Ch. 5 Ch. 12 Ch. 15 Ch. 18 Triduum/ Good Friday</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 8 Ch. 9 Ch. 10 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 6 Ch. 7 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 1 Ch. 6 Ch. 9 Jesus in the New Testament: Ch. 3 Ch. 11 Liturgical Lessons: Triduum/ Holy Thursday</p>
<p>9. Trinity is the model of all relationships, self-giving, oneness in diversity.</p>	<p>Ch. 7 Ch. 17</p>	<p>Ch. 2 Ch. 11 Ch. 23</p>	<p>Ch. 1 Ch. 19 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Ch. 8 Ch. 11 Ch. 22</p>	<p>Ch. 3 Ch. 10 Ch. 11 Ch. 20</p>	<p>Ch. 4 Ch. 7 Ch. 11 Ch. 19 Ch. 24</p>	<p>Mystery of God: Ch. 5 Ch. 10 Morality: Life in Christ: Ch. 6 Church and Sacraments: Ch. 6 Ch. 9 Jesus in the New Testament: Ch. 7 Ch. 10</p>