



Archdiocese of Dublin
Education Secretariat



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GROW IN LOVE

Class Level	Theme	Lesson
Junior Infants	Seasonal Lesson Theme 2: Our World	1. Autumn, 1. God created the world 2. God created us ... we are special 3. We can care for the world
Senior Infants	Theme 2: We Belong	1. I belong in my family 2. My family belongs in a community 3. We all belong in one human family 4. We can pray to God
First Class	Seasonal Lesson Theme 2: Jesus	1. The Rosary (October) 2. Jesus had many friends 3. Jesus healed people 4. Jesus taught his friends how to live
Second Class	Seasonal Lesson Theme 2: Jesus	1. The Rosary (October) 2. Jesus heals Simon Peter's mother-in-law 3. Jesus heals Jairus' daughter 4. Jesus gives his followers the Law of Love
Third Class	Theme 2: The Bible Theme 3: Jesus	2. The Bible Teaches Us About God 1. John the Baptist 2. Jesus the Teacher 3. Jesus the Healer
Fourth Class	Theme 2: The Bible Theme 3: Jesus	2. The New Testament 1. The Parable of the Mustard Seed 2. The Parable of the Good Samaritan 3. The Parable of the Lost Coin
Fifth Class	Theme 2: Jesus Theme 3: Our Christian Vocation,	2. Jesus the Healer 3. "Who do you say I am?" 1. God Calls Each One of Us 2. We Respond to God's Call
Sixth Class	Theme 2: Creation Theme 3: Jesus	2. God Speaks to Us through Creation 3. The Story of Adam and Eve 1. Jesus Invites Us to Use Our Gifts 2. Jesus Calls Us to Forgive



World Mission Sunday: Sun, Oct 22, 2023

World Mission Sunday falls on the penultimate Sunday in October. It is the one Sunday in the year when the Mass is celebrated exclusively for missionary activity. In 2023, World Mission Sunday will be celebrated on Sunday, 22 October.

What is the theme for World Mission Sunday 2023?

The theme the pope chose for the 2023 celebration is "Hearts on fire, feet on the move," which he said was inspired by the story of Jesus and the disciples on the road to Emmaus after the resurrection. 25 Jan 2023

Who is the patron of Mission Sunday?

St. Therese, patroness of the Missions, would be quick to tell us this is the work of the Missionary and we are all Missionaries because we have been baptized and told to go out to all to bring the light of Christ wherever there is darkness.

