

SPIRIT FOR 2022-2023

A 28-week program for Catholic teens
based on the Sunday Gospels

	DATE/GOSPEL	STORIES & INTERVIEWS	CATHOLIC BELIEFS
	1 October 2, 2022 Luke 17.5-10	Testimonies of faith	Prayer: Creeds
	2 October 9, 2022 Luke 17.11-19	Bringing outsiders in	Prayer: Thanks, petition, intercession
	3 October 16, 2022 Luke 18.1-8	Kibera Girls Soccer	Prayer: Eight ways to seek God
	4 October 23, 2022 Luke 18.9-14	Attitudes	Prayer: Labyrinth, Contemplation
	5 October 30, 2022 Luke 19.1-10	Racism and privilege	Holding life sacred, common good
	6 November 6, 2022 Luke 20.27-38	Grieving	Bible: Two testaments
	7 November 13, 2022 Luke 21.5-19	Where is God in an accident?	Bible: Apocalyptic writing
	8 November 20, 2022 Luke 23.35-43	Forgiveness	Sacraments: Reconciliation
Advent	9 November 27, 2022 Matthew 24.37-44	Resentment	Envisioning positive peace
	10 December 4, 2022 Matthew 3.1-12	Family	Building peace
	11 December 11, 2022 Matthew 11.2-11	Learning to dialogue	Communicating for peace
	12 December 18, 2022 Matthew 1.18-24	An unusual friend	Jesus, Emmanuel, prince of peace
	13 January 8, 2023 Matthew 2.1-12	Three Epiphanies	God, our beginning and end
	14 January 15, 2023 John 1.29-34	Experiencing God's presence	The human heart
	15 January 22, 2023 Matthew 4.12-23	A passion for service	Church: Call, vocation
	16 January 29, 2023 Matthew 5.1-12	Theater of the oppressed	Church: Doing Jesus' mission
	17 February 5, 2023 Matthew 5.13-16	Intentionally green	Church: Four marks
	18 February 12, 2023 Matthew 15.17-37	Cruel friends	Church: People of God
	19 February 19, 2023 Matthew 6.24-34	Healing children of war	Church: Called to Nonviolence
	20 February 26, 2023 Matthew 4.1-11	Unconditional love	Humans can choose
	21 March 5, 2023 Matthew 17.1-9	Overcoming bulimia	Who tells me who I am?
Lent	22 March 12, 2023 John 4.1-41	Healthy Relationships	Breaking invisible boundaries
	23 March 19, 2023 John 9.1-41	Archbishop Romero	Faith calls us to action
	24 March 26, 2023 John 11.1-45	Accompanying	What is death for Christians?
	25 April 2, 2023 Matthew 26.14-27.66	Freedom supper	Liturgy of Holy Week
	26 April 9, 2023 John 20.1-31	Finding faith	Church: Body of Christ
	27 April 16, 2023 Luke 24.13-35	Who influences me?	Baptism, grace
	28 April 23, 2023 John 10.1-10	This is My Body	Eucharist: Abundant life.