



BOOK LIST FOR CATECHETICAL SCHOOL CLASSES

***Catechism of the Catholic Church* – required**

ISBN: 1601376499; can also be accessed online for free

General recommended *Catechism* resources

† Introduction to the Catechism of the Catholic Church by Joseph Cardinal Ratzinger and Christoph Cardinal Schonborn

ISBN: 0898704855

† The Companion to the Catechism of the Catholic Church

ISBN: 0898704510

† Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church

ISBN: 1574557203

† From Blessing to Blessing: The Catechism as a Journey of Faith by Dr. Sean Innerst

ISBN: 1935940120

General recommended theological works

† The works of Saint Thomas Aquinas (especially the *Summa theologiae*)

Multiple publishings exist; can also be accessed online for free

† The Catechism of the Council of Trent

Multiple publishings exist; can also be accessed online for free

† The Baltimore Catechism

Multiple publishings exist; can also be accessed online for free

† The Catholic Encyclopedia

<https://www.newadvent.org/cathen/>

† Fundamentals of Catholic Dogma by Fr. Ludwig Ott

ISBN: 1905574657

† Faith of the Early Fathers by Fr. William Jurgens (Three Volume Set)

ISBN: 0814610250

† My Way of Life by Fr. Walter Farrell

ISBN: 1618908332



Recommended resources for Year 1

Semester 1 – The Creed

† The Aquinas Catechism
ISBN: **1928832105**

† Theology and Sanity by Frank Sheed
Multiple publishings exist

† The Creed: Professing the Faith by Dr. Scott Hahn
ISBN: **1941447775**

Semester 2 – The Liturgy and Sacraments

† The Aquinas Catechism
ISBN: **1928832105**

† The Wellspring of Worship by Fr. Jean Corbon
ISBN: **1586170228**

† Sacraments in Scripture by Dr. Tim Gray
ISBN: **1931018049**

Recommended resources for Year 2

Semester 1 – The Moral Life

† The Aquinas Catechism
ISBN: **1928832105**

† The Sources of Christian Ethics by Fr. Servais Pinckaers
ISBN: **0813208181**

† A Brief Reader on the Virtues of the Human Heart by Josef Pieper
ISBN: **0898703034**

Semester 2 – Prayer

† The Aquinas Catechism
ISBN: **1928832105**

† The Soul of the Apostolate by Dom Jean-Baptiste Chautard
ISBN: **9780895550316**

† Prayer Primer: Igniting a Fire Within by Fr. Thomas DuBay
ISBN: **1569553394**