

**OUTSTANDING CATHOLIC READER PROGRAM
GRADE 8**

Students in grade 8 will read 8 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school media library center by

Faith

- _____ Hattie Big Sky by Kirby Larson
- _____ A Friend at Midnight by Caroline Cooney
- _____ Blind Spot by Chris Fabry

Hope

- _____ Drums, Girls, and Dangerous Pie by Jordan Sonnenblick
- _____ Inkheart by Cornelia Funke
- _____ Candy Bomber by Michael Tunnell

Love

- _____ Bread and Roses, Too by Katherine Paterson
- _____ Criss Cross by Lynne Rae Perkins
- _____ Body of Water by Sarah Dooley

Community

- _____ When You Reach Me by Rebecca Stead
- _____ The Diamond of Darkhold by Jeanne Duprau
- _____ Diamond Willow by Helen Frost

Justice

- _____ Deep Zone by Tim Green
- _____ Let Me Play by Karen Blumenthal
- _____ The Trial by Jennifer Bryant

Courage

- _____ Blindsided by Priscilla Cummings
- _____ Night of the Howling Dogs by Graham Salisbury
- _____ The Boy Who Dared by Susan Campbell Bartoletti

Reconciliation

- _____ Bystander by James Preller
- _____ Shooting the Moon by Frances O'Roark
- _____ Countdown by Deborah Wiles

Service

- _____ A Long Walk to Water: Based on a True Story by Linda Sue Park
- _____ Beyond Jupiter: The Story of Planetary Astronomer Heidi Hammel by Alfred Hammel
- _____ Zach Hunter: Modern-day Abolitionist by Q.L. Pearce

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GRADE 7**

Students in grade 7 will read 8 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school media library center by

Faith

- ____ Faith, Hope, and Ivy June by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
- ____ Cody's Varsity Rush by Todd Hafer
- ____ The Essential Wisdom of the Saints by Carol Kelly-Gangi

Hope

- ____ Ninth Ward by Jewell Parker Rhodes
- ____ Heat by Mick Lupica
- ____ Willow Run by Patricia Reilly Giff

Love

- ____ Emma-Jean Lazarus Fell in Love by Lauren Tarshis
- ____ The Loud Silence of Francine Green by Karen Cushman
- ____ Listen! By Stephanie Tolan

Community

- ____ Singing Hands by Delia Ray
- ____ 90 Miles to Havana by Enrique Flores-Galbis
- ____ Return to Sender by Julia Alvarez

Justice

- ____ A Difficult Boy by M.P. Barker
- ____ Counting on Grace by Elizabeth Winthrop
- ____ Code Talker by Joseph Bruchac

Courage

- ____ The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate by Jacqueline Kelly
- ____ Heart of a Samurai: Based on the True Story of Manjiro Nakahama by Margi Preus
- ____ The Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan

Reconciliation

- ____ Bird Lake Moon by Kevin Henkes
- ____ One Crazy Summer by Rita Williams-Garcia
- ____ Hothead by Cal Rpinkin, Jr.

Service

- ____ Something Out of Nothing: Marie Curie and Radium by Carla Killough
- ____ The Outcasts of 19 Schuyler Place by E.L. Konigsburg
- ____ Trapped 8 (Vet Volunteers) by Laurie Halse Anderson

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Faith

- _____ Okay for Now by Gary D. Schmidt
- _____ So Be It by Sarah Weeks
- _____ Lost in Peter's Tomb by Dianne Ahern

Hope

- _____ Elijah of Buxton by Christopher Curtis
- _____ Out of My Mind by Sharon Draper
- _____ Children of the Great Depression by Russell Freedman

Love

- _____ Leap by Jane Breskin Zalben
- _____ Olivia and the Little Way by Nancy Belanger
- _____ The Underneath by Kathi Appelt

Community

- _____ Turtle in Paradise by Jennifer Holm
- _____ The Wednesday Wars by Gary D. Schmidt
- _____ Wonderstruck: A Novel in Words and Pictures by Brian Selznick

Justice

- _____ Chasing Lincoln's Killer by James L. Swanson
- _____ Chains by Laurie Halse Anderson
- _____ Luba: the Angel of Bergen-Belsen by Michelle McCann

Courage

- _____ Iron Thunder (I Witness) by Avi
- _____ Hidden Child by Isaac Millman
- _____ Under Siege! Three children at the civil war battle for Vicksburg by Andrea Warren

Reconciliation

- _____ Eight Keys by Suzanne LaFleur
- _____ Notes from a Liar and Her Dog by Gennifer Choldenko
- _____ Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy by Gary D. Schmidt

Service

- _____ ER Vets by Donna M. Jackson
- _____ Stand Tall by Joan Bauer
- _____ Tracking Trash: Flotsam, Jetsam, and the Science of Ocean Motion by Loree Griffin

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GRADE 5**

Students in grade 5 will read 8 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school media library center by

Faith

- _____ The Boy Who Saved Cleveland by James Giblin
- _____ The Last Synapsid by Timothy Mason
- _____ Pie by Sarah Weeks

Hope

- _____ The Mysterious Benedict Society by Trenton Less Stewart
- _____ Penny Dreadful by Laurel Snyder
- _____ Brothers in Hope: The Story of the Lost Boys of Sudan by Mary Williams

Love

- _____ Love, Aubrey by Suzanne LaFleur
- _____ Each Little Bird that Sings by Deborah Wiles
- _____ The Secret World of Walter Anderson by Hester Bass

Community

- _____ Moon Over Manifest by Clare Vanderpool
- _____ Rules by Cynthia Lord
- _____ Extra Credit by Andrew Clements

Justice

- _____ The Voice That Changed a Nation: Marian and the Struggle for Equal Rights by Russell Freedman
- _____ Silent Music by James Rumford
- _____ Freedom Summer by Deborah Wiles

Courage

- _____ Miss Spitfire: Reaching Helen Keller by Sarah Miller
- _____ Boy Named Beckoning by Gina Capaldi
- _____ Night of the Hurricane's Fury by Candice Ransom

Reconciliation

- _____ How to Steal a Dog by Barbara O'Connor
- _____ Swindle by Gordon Korman
- _____ Elvis and Olive by Stephanie Watson

Service

- _____ Give a Goat by Jan West Schrock
- _____ 10 Inventors Who Changed the World by Clive Gifford
- _____ Jeremy Fink and the Meaning of Life by Wendy Mass

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GRADE 4**

Students in grade 4 will read 10 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school media library center by

Faith

- _____ Something to Sing About by C.C. Payne
- _____ The World According to Humphrey by Betty Birney
- _____ Heaven for Kids by Randy Alcorn

Hope

- _____ Mockingbird (Mok'ing-burd) by Kathryn Erskine
- _____ White Crane by Sandy Fussell
- _____ The Beatitudes: From Slavery to Civil Rights by Carole Weatherford

Love

- _____ The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Katie DiCamillo
- _____ The Penderwicks: a Summer Tale of Four Sisters, Two Rabbits, and a Very Interesting Boy by Jeanne Birdsall
- _____ School Days According to Humphrey by Betty G. Birney

Community

- _____ The King Who Barked: Real Animals Who Ruled by Charlotte Jones
- _____ Sequoyah by James Rumford
- _____ A Nest for Celeste: A Story About Art....by Henry Cole

Justice

- _____ The Lemonade Crime by Jacqueline Davies
- _____ Maggie and Oliver, or, A bone of One's Own by Valerie Hobbs
- _____ Emma's Poem: The Voice of the Statue of Liberty by Linda Glaser

Courage

- _____ Eleven by Patricia Reilly Giff
- _____ The Year of the Rat: a Novel by Grace Lin
- _____ Cats in Krasinski Square by Karen Hesse

Reconciliation

- _____ Back to School by Wanda Brunstetter
- _____ Because of Mr. Terupt by Rob Buyea
- _____ Roxie and the Hooligans by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor

Service

- _____ Just Grace Goes Green by Charise Harper
- _____ Vermeer Interviews by Bob Raczka
- _____ Special Delivery by Sue Stauffacher

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GRADE 3**

Students in grade 3 will read 10 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school media library center by

Faith

- _____ A Handshake from Heaven by Carol Bannon
- _____ Perfectly Chelsea by Claudia Mills
- _____ The Can Man by Laura Williams

Hope

- _____ Saving the Baghdad Zoo: A True Story of Hope and Heroes by Kelly Halls
- _____ Selavi, That is Life: A Haitian Story of Hope by Youme
- _____ Julia Gillian (and the Art of Knowing) by Alison McGhee

Love

- _____ Clementine, Friend of the Week by Sara Pennypacker
- _____ Blackie, the Horse Who Stood Still by Christopher Cerf
- _____ A Dog's Life: the Autobiography of a Stray by Ann Martin

Community

- _____ Bless This Mouse by Lois Lowry
- _____ Henry and the Kite Dragon by Bruce Edward Hall
- _____ January's Sparrow by Patricia Polacco

Justice

- _____ Martin's Big Words: The Life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by Doreen Rappaport
- _____ Abe's Honest Words: The Life of Abraham Lincoln by Doreen Rappaport
- _____ A Friendship for Today by Pat McKissack

Courage

- _____ Moses: When Harriet Tubman Led Her People to Freedom by Carole Boston Weatherford
- _____ Librarian of Basra by Jeanette Winter
- _____ Queens of Falls by Chris Van Allsburg

Reconciliation

- _____ Just Grace by Charise Harper
- _____ Tumford the Terrible by Nancy Tillman
- _____ Possum Summer by Jen Blom

Service

- _____ Miss Brooks Loves Books (and I Don't) by Barbara Bottner
- _____ 31 Ways to Change the World by Tanis Taylor
- _____ Sarah Emma Edmonds was a Great Pretender by Carrie Jones

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**OUTSTANDING CATHOLIC READER PROGRAM
GRADE 2**

Students in grade 2 will read 10 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school library media center by

Faith

- _____ Becoming Me: A Story of Creation by Marty Boroson
- _____ The Oak Inside the Acorn by Max Lucado
- _____ Lolek the Boy who Became John Paul II by John Hoffman

Hope

- _____ The Pied Piper's Magic by Steven Kellogg
- _____ Clever Jack Takes the Cake by Candace Fleming
- _____ Butterflies Under Our Hats by Sandy Eisenberg

Love

- _____ Henry and Mudge and the Great Grandpas by Cynthia Rylant
- _____ Grandpa Green by Lane Smith
- _____ Memoirs of a Goldfish by Devin Scilian

Community

- _____ One Hen by Katie Smith
- _____ Henry Aaron's Dream by Matt Tavares
- _____ Have You Filled Your Bucket Today? By Carol McCloud

Justice

- _____ Ben and the Emancipation Proclamation by Patrice Sherman
- _____ Louis Sockalexis by Bill Wise
- _____ Mama Panya's Pancakes by Mary Chamberlain

Courage

- _____ No Easy Way: The Story of Ted Williams and the Last .400 Season by Fred Bowen
- _____ Finn McCool and the Great Fish by Eve Bunting
- _____ The Giant Surprise: a Narnia Story by Hiawyn Oram

Reconciliation

- _____ Child's Guide to Reconciliation by Elizabeht Fiocelli
- _____ Big Whopper by Patricia Reilly Giff
- _____ Forgiveness by Cynthia Amoroso

Service

- _____ That Book Woman by Heather Hensen
- _____ New York's Bravest by Mary Pope Osborne
- _____ Buffalo Music by Tracey Fern

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**OUTSTANDING CATHOLIC READER PROGRAM
GRADE 1**

Students in grade 1 will read 10 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school library media center by

Faith

- _____ Mighty Casey by James Preller
- _____ God Found Us You by Lisa Bergren
- _____ The Song of Francis and the Animals by Pat Mora

Hope

- _____ Buffalo Song by Joseph Bruchac
- _____ Dogku by Andrew Clements
- _____ How to Heal a Broken Wing by Bob Graham

Love

- _____ The Hello, Goodbye Window by Norton Juster
- _____ Little Pink Pup by Johanna Kerby
- _____ The Song of Francis by Tomie DePaola

Community

- _____ City Dog, Country Frog by Mo Willems
- _____ Homer, the Library Cat by Reeve Lindbergh
- _____ A Picnic in October by Eve Bunting

Justice

- _____ Sojourner Truth's Step-Stomp Stride by Andrea Davis Pinkney
- _____ The Bus Ride that Changed History: The Story of Rosa Parks by Pamela Edwards
- _____ Busing Brewster by Richard Michelson

Courage

- _____ Abe Lincolne Crosses a Creek: A Tall, Thin Tale by Deborah Hopkinson
- _____ Two Bobbies: A True Story of Hurrican Katrina, Friendship, and Survival by Kirby Larson
- _____ Four Feet, Two Sandals by Karen Lynn Williams

Reconciliation

- _____ Mad Maddie Maxwell Level 1 by Stacie Maslyn
- _____ Ruthie and the (not so) Teeny Tiny Lie by Laura Rankin
- _____ Don't Worry, Douglas! By David Melling

Service

- _____ Brother Juniper by Diane Gibfried
- _____ Me....Jane by Patrick McDonnell
- _____ Pascual and the Kitchen Angels by Tomie DePaola

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**OUTSTANDING CATHOLIC READER PROGRAM
KINDERGARTEN**

Students in Kindergarten will read 10 books from the Outstanding Catholic Reader book list. Students will place a check mark next to the titles of the books that are read. The complete book list should be turned in to the school library center by

Faith

- _____ My Friend Rabbit by Eric Rohmann
- _____ How Big is God? by Lisa Bergren
- _____ Jesus A to Z by Michael McGrath

Hope

- _____ I Can Be Anything by Jerry Spinelli
- _____ Little Rat Rides by Monika Bang-Campbell
- _____ Giraffes Can't Dance by Giles Andreae

Love

- _____ The Biggest Snowman Ever by Steven Kroll
- _____ The House in the Night by Susan Marie Swanson
- _____ Thanks to the Animals by Allen Sockabasin

Community

- _____ All the World by Elizabeth Garton Scanlon
- _____ First Snow in the Woods by Carl Sams
- _____ Under the Night Sky by Amy Lundebrek

Justice

- _____ Lilly and the Paper Man by Rebecca Upjohn
- _____ The Greedy Sparrow by Lucine Kasbarian
- _____ The Little Matador by Julian Hector

Courage

- _____ My Name is Sangoel by Karen Williams
- _____ Goyangi Means Cat by Christine McDonnell
- _____ Library Mouse: A World to Explore by Daniel Kirk

Reconciliation

- _____ Big Red Lollipop by Rukhasana
- _____ Little Blue Truck by Alice Schertie
- _____ Llama Llama Mad at Mama by Anna Dewdney

Service

- _____ A Sick Day for Amos McGee by Philip Christian
- _____ Rain School by James Rumford
- _____ Before You Were Mine by Maribeth Boelts

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