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**Dear Parents,**

Thank you for registering your child for our **Home Study Program!** We hope this experience helps your family grow together in faith throughout the year.

Below is a guide to help you stay on track with the Home Study requirements:

 **‘Alive in Christ’ Chapter and Unit Reviews**

Refer to the schedule enclosed with home study materials; this is also available to download at <https://www.stjoans.org/religious-education/>

 **Family Life Book & Assignment** – Due February 1, 2026

Please see the enclosed letter for full details.

**Important:** Do not write in the *Family Life* books, as we reuse them for our fall programs. Be sure to return both the book and the completed review by the February 1 due date so that we have them available for our weekly classes.

 **Activity Log** – Due May 31, 2026

All students must complete an Activity Log by attending at least **four in-person events** at St. Joan of Arc.

- For a list of eligible events, visit [stjoans.org/parish-activities-for-families](https://www.stjoans.org/parish-activities-for-families) (also available under the “Religious Education” drop-down menu).
- Kids Lit may count as one activity on the log, but children are always welcome to attend more often!

 **Liturgical Season At-Home Lessons**

Families may choose to complete *either* the Advent or Lent at-home lessons.

More information and materials will be sent from our office as each season approaches. These lessons fulfill the curriculum requirements related to the liturgical seasons.

Thank you for entrusting us with this important part of your child’s faith journey. We wish you a joyful year of growing together in our beautiful Catholic faith!

**Yours in Christ,**

**Mrs. Jessica Donohue**  
**Director of Religious Education**



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## Home Study Guide, Grades 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>

### Chapter and Unit Test Information & Due Dates

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#### Due Dates & Topics

| Due Date          | Units & Topics                                     | Chapters | Notes   |
|-------------------|--|----------|---|
| January 15, 2026  | Units 1 & 2 – <i>Revelation &amp; Trinity</i>      | 1–6      |   |
| February 28, 2026 | Units 3 & 4 – <i>Jesus Christ &amp; The Church</i> | 7–12     | <i>Family Life book and review due February 1</i>                       |
| April 30, 2026    | Units 5 & 6 – <i>Morality &amp; Sacraments</i>     | 13–18    |   |
| May 31, 2026      | Unit 7 – <i>Kingdom of God</i>                     | 19–21    | <i>Include any outstanding reviews<br/>Activity Log also due May 31</i> |

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#### Getting Started

- Read through each chapter with your child.
- To support your at-home lessons, you can access plans and resources from the *Alive in Christ* textbook publisher here:

👉 <https://tinyurl.com/583atevs>

#### Chapter and Unit Reviews

Children are required to complete:

- the **Chapter Review** at the end of each chapter, and
- the **Unit Review** at the end of each unit.

When all reviews are completed:

1. **Tear out** the review pages from the book.
  2. Write your child's **name and grade** clearly at the top of each page.
  3. Place all review pages in an **envelope labeled with your child's name**.
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#### Submitting Work

You may submit completed reviews in one of the following ways:

### **1. Drop Off in Person**

At the Religious Education Office. Please call ahead to ensure someone is available, as office hours may vary due to meetings and parish activities.

### **2. Drop Off in the Collection Bin**

Located near the front doors of the school (facing the parking lot).

Please use the **gray bin marked “Religious Education.”**

Be sure you are not placing materials in another bin in the same area.

### **3. Mail Your Work To:**

*St. Joan of Arc Church*

*Attn: Religious Education Home Study*

*101 Evans Road*

*Marlton, NJ 08053*

 **Please note:** We cannot accept reviews via email. All work must be submitted in **hard copy format**, with your child’s **name and grade** clearly written on each page.

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For general information about the Home Study Program, please visit:

 [www.stjoans.org/religious-education](http://www.stjoans.org/religious-education)