Conformity Listing of Catechetical Texts and Series
Archdiocese of San Francisco
Department of Catholic Schools & the Office of Faith Formation

As of **August 2022** the following texts and series have been found to be in conformity with the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* by the Subcommittee on the Catechism, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and the Archdiocese of San Francisco for use in Parishes and Catholic Schools

*****Materials ten years or older are not accepted as approval with the Archdiocese of San Francisco**

*****NEW INFORMATION ITEM: As a matter of clarification, the Subcommittee on the Catechism does not currently review the following components in catechetical programs that may be found on this list: videos, parent and sponsor materials, websites (other than the USCCB, Vatican and the publisher's own website), digital libraries and any other materials listed on the letter on eligibility and applicability (** http://www.usccb.org/about/evangelization-and-catechesis/subcommittee-on-catechism/conformity-review/upload/NEW-Letter-on- Criteria-and-Applicability.pdf)

Key to the Conformity Listing:

S = School Student Text | P = Parish Student Text | TM = Teacher Manual

CM = Catechist Manual | S/P = single edition applicable to both school and parish
S&P = two separate editions, both found in conformity

Title	Publisher	Specifics
Pre-School Series		
Allelu! Growing and Celebrating with Jesus (3, 4, 5, and K)	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P&TM/CM ©2010, 2011, 2012
Allelu! Growing and Celebrating with Jesus (3, 4, 5, and K)	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P&CM ©2019
Allelu! Growing and Celebrating with Jesus, Ages 3-4 (PreK-3)	Our Sunday Visitor	TM&CM ©2019
Allelu! Growing and Celebrating with Jesus, Ages 4-5 (PreK-4)	Our Sunday Visitor	TM&CM ©2019
Allelu! Growing and Celebrating with Jesus, Kindergarten	Our Sunday Visitor	TM&CM ©2019
Christ Our Life: God Loves Us (Ages 5-6/Kindergarten	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2019
Finding God: Our Response to God's Gifts (Ages 4 to 6)	Loyola Press	S, TM/CM ©2018
God Made Everything (ages 3 and 4)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2008, 2010, 2019
Pflaum Gospel Weeklies: What the Church Believes and Teaches (Student Handbook) (3,4)	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P, TM ©2010, ©2018
Elementary Series: School and Parish		
Alive In Christ	Our Sunday Visitor	S&TM/P&CM © 2014
Alive In Christ (7-8)	Our Sunday Visitor	S&TM/P&CM © 2014
Alive In Christ Young Adolescents (7-8)	Our Sunday Visitor	P&CM © 2019
Be My Disciples (1-6)	RCL Benziger	P&CM © 2023, 2013; S&TM © 2014
Be My Disciples (7-8)		S&TM/P&CM
God's Promise in the Old Testament		© 2019
Christ in the New Testament		© 2014
Christ Reveals God's Mystery		© 2014
Christ in the Liturgy		© 2014
Life in Christ Jesus	RCL Benziger	© 2014
Blest Are We Faith in Action Kindergarten	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM/CM ©2019
Blest Are We Faith in Action School Edition (1-8)	RCL Benziger	S&TM ©2018
Blest Are We Faith in Action Parish Edition (1-8)	RCL Benziger	P&CM ©2019
Christ In Us, K-6	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S&TM, P&CM ©2021
Christ Our Life: The New Evangelization Edition (1-8)	Loyola Press	S/P, TM&CM ©2016
Discover! Finding Faith in Life (Grades 1-5)	Saint Mary's Press	S © 2020/ P © 2019
Faith Fusion: Knowing, Loving, and Serving Christ in the Catholic Church (3-5)	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P&TM/CM ©2016
Family Formation Home Lessons and Classroom Lessons (K-6)	Family Formation	S / CM ©2019
Finding God (7-8)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2007, © 2014
Finding God: Our Response to God's Gifts (1-6)	Loyola Press	S&TM, P&CM ©2005, ©2013, ©2021
Image of God (Pre-K-4)	Ignatius Press	S&TM © 2014
Image of God Series, Grades 5-8 and Confirmation	Ignatius Press	S/P & TM/CM © 2019
Spirit of Truth (K-8) School Edition	Sophia Institute for Teachers	S/P ©2017

Spirit of Truth (K-8) Parish Edition	Sophia Institute for Teachers	S/P ©2018
We Believe, Catholic Identity Edition	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P ©2015
We Believe Series, We Live Our Faith (7-8)	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2007, 2016
High School Texts		
The Catholic Faith Handbook for Youth, Third Edition	Saint Mary's Press	S/P © 2013
The New Testament: The Good News of Jesus Christ	Saint Mary's Press	S ©2012
The Old Testament: Our Call to Faith and Justice	Ave Maria Press	S ©2005, ©2013
High School Doctrinal Framework Texts **[the Secondary Level Protocol was approved as a review instrument by the Subcommittee on the Catechism in April 2011]**		
Becoming Disciples: What It Means to Follow Jesus Today	Dynamic Catholic	©2018 (Framework Core Course III)
The Body of Christ: The Church	Veritas Communications	©2014 (Framework Core Course IV)
The Catholic Church: Offering the Love, Healing, and Joy of God to the People of Every Age	Dynamic Catholic	©2018 (Framework Core Course IV)
Catholic Social Teaching: Christian Life in Society	Saint Mary's Press	©2012 (Framework Elective C)
Christian Morality: Our Response to God's Love	Saint Mary's Press	©2012 (Framework Core Course VI)
Church History: Apostolic Times to Today	Saint Mary's Press	©2013 (Framework Elective B)
The Church: Christ in the World Today, Second Edition	Saint Mary's Press	©2016 (Framework Core Course IV)
The Church: Foundations and Mission	Saint Mary's Press	©2020 (Framework Core Course IV)
The Church Our Story	Ave Maria Press	©2013 (Framework Core Course IV)
The Church: Sacrament of Salvation	Midwest Theological Forum	©2010, 2012 (Framework Core Course IV)
Ecumenical and Interreligious Dialogue	Veritas Communications	©2019 (Framework Elective E)
Ecumenism and Interreligious Dialogue, Semester Edition	Midwest Theological Forum	©2020 (Framework Elective E)
Encountering Christ in the Sacraments	Veritas Communications	©2015 (Framework Core Course V)
Encountering Jesus: Discovering His Invitation to Live Life to the Fullest	Dynamic Catholic	©2018 (Framework Course Course II)
Exploring Sacred Scripture	Veritas Communications	©2018 (Framework Elective Course A)
Exploring the Bible: An Introduction to the Living Word of God	Dynamic Catholic	©2018 (Framework Core Course I)
Faith and Revelation: Knowing God Through Sacred Scripture	Midwest Theological Forum	©2009, 2012 (Framework Core Course I)
Foundations of Catholic Social Teaching	Ave Maria Press	©2015 (Framework Elective C)
God's Word Revealed in Sacred Scripture	Veritas Communications	©2013 (Framework Core Course I)
The History of the Church	Midwest Theological Forum	©2010, 2013 (Framework Elective B)
The History of the Catholic Church	Ave Maria Press	©2020 (Framework Elective Course B)
The History of the Catholic Church	Veritas Communications	©2019 (Framework Elective Course B)
Jesus and the Church: One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic	Ave Maria Press	©2014 (Framework Core Course IV)
Jesus Christ and the New Testament	Saint Mary's Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course II)
Jesus Christ: God's Love Made Visible, Second Edition	Saint Mary's Press	©2015 (Framework Core Course II)
Jesus Christ: God's Revelation to the World, Second Edition	Ave Maria Press	©2016 (Framework Core Course I)
Jesus Christ: His Mission and Ministry, Second Edition	Ave Maria Press	©2017 (Framework Core Course II)
Jesus Christ: Source of Our Salvation, Second Edition	Ave Maria Press	©2017 (Framework Core Course III)
Living and Loving as Disciples of Christ	Veritas Communications	©2015 (Framework Core Course VI)
Living as a Disciple of Jesus in Society	Veritas Communications	©2018 (Framework Elective C)
The Living Word: The Revelation of God's Love	Saint Mary's Press	©2015 (Framework Core Course I)
Meeting Jesus in the Sacraments, Second Edition	Ave Maria Press	©2018 (Framework Core Course V)
The Mission of Jesus Christ (The Paschal Mystery)	Verbum	©2017 (Framework Core Course III)
Morality and God's Love	Saint Mary's Press	©2021 (Framework Core Course VI)
Our Moral Life in Christ	Midwest Theological Forum	©2009, 2013 (Framework Core Course VI)
The Mystery of Redemption and Christian Discipleship	Midwest Theological Forum	©2014 (Framework Core Course III)
The Paschal Mystery and the Gospels	Saint Mary's Press	©2020 (Framework Core Course III)
The Paschal Mystery: Christ's Mission of Salvation, Second Edition	Saint Mary's Press	©2016 (Framework Core Course III)
People of Celebration: Understanding the Genius of the Sacraments	Dynamic Catholic	©2018 (Framework Core Course V)
The Promised One: Servant and Savior	Veritas Communications	©2014 (Framework Core Course III)
Responding to the Call of Jesus Christ	Veritas Communications	©2018 (Framework Elective D)
Revelation and the Old Testament	Saint Mary's Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course I)
The Revelation of Jesus Christ in Scripture	Verbum	©2016 (Framework Core Course I)
Sacraments and God's Grace	Saint Mary's Press	©2021 (Framework Core Course V)
The Sacraments: Encounters with Christ	Saint Mary's Press	©2012 (Framework Core Course V)
The Sacraments: Source of Our Life in Christ	Midwest Theological Forum	©2009, 2012 (Framework Core Course V)
Sacred Scripture: A Catholic Study of God's Word	Ave Maria Press	©2013 (Framework Elective A)
The Social Doctrine of the Catholic Church	Midwest Theological Forum	©2013 (Framework Elective C)
Son of God and Son of Mary	Veritas Communications	©2013 (Framework Core Course II)
Spirit of Truth: Catholic Social Teaching	Sophia Press	©2020 (Framework Elective C)
Spirit of Truth: Christ's Church and World Religions	Sophia Press	©2021 (Framework Elective E)
Spirit of Truth: The Church is Christ's Living Body	Sophia Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course IV)
Spirit of Truth: Encountering Christ	Sophia Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course II)
Spirit of Truth: A Moral Life in Christ	Sophia Press	©2020 (Framework Core Course VI)
Spirit of Truth: The Paschal Mystery	Sophia Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course III)
Spirit of Truth: Revelation of Christ in Scripture	Sophia Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course I)
Spirit of Truth: The Sacraments	Sophia Press	©2020 (Framework Core Course V)
Spirit of Truth: Sacred Scripture	Sophia Press	©2020 (Framework Elective A)

This is Our Church: A History of Catholicism	Ave Maria Press	©2013 (Framework Elective B)
Understanding the Scriptures	Midwest Theological Forum	©2010, 2013 (Framework Elective A)
Vocations and the Universal Call to Holiness	Midwest Theological Forum	© 2018 (Framework Elective D)
Vocations: Answering God's Call	Saint Mary's Press	©2013 (Framework Elective D)
Walking With God: Encountering Jesus in Everyday Life	Dynamic Catholic	©2018 (Framework Core Course VI)
Your Christian Vocation	Ave Maria Press	© 2019 (Framework Elective D)
Your Life in Christ: Foundations of Catholic Morality, Third Edition	Ave Maria Press	©2019 (Framework Core Course VI)
Sacramental Preparation Materials **[These materials are only a part of catechetical preparation and do not reflect a complete presentation of all of the elements contained in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church that* should be present in catechetical formation.]**		
Believe Celebrate Live Confirmation	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2018
Believe Celebrate Live Reconciliation (Primary)	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2017
Believe Celebrate Live Eucharist (Primary)	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2017
Believe Celebrate Live Reconciliation & Eucharist (Intermediate)	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2017
Called to Mercy	Saint Mary's Press	S/P ©2018
Confirmation, Inspired by the Spirit	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2012
Candidates Handbook (Immediate Preparation)		
Confirmed in the Spirit (7-9)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM ©2007, 2013
Encounter with Christ, Eucharist and Reconciliation	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P&TM//CM © 2016
Eucharist: We Give Thanks and Praise (Primary)	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM ©2006, 2015
Eucharist: We Give Thanks and Praise (Intermediate)	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM ©2006, 2015
Family Formation: First Communion Preparation	Family Formation	S/P&TM//CM © 2019
Family Formation: First Reconciliation Preparation	Family Formation	S/P&TM//CM © 2019
Gifted with the Spirit-Confirmation: Junior High Edition	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P&TM/CM ©2018
Gifted with the Spirit-Confirmation: Senior High Edition	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P&TM/CM ©2018
Go Seek Find: Eucharist	Saint Mary's Press	S/P © 2017
Go Seek Find: Reconciliation	Saint Mary's Press	S/P © 2017
God's Gift Eucharist (Primary)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2009, 2016
God's Gift Reconciliation (Primary)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2009, 2016
God's Gift Reconciliation and Eucharist (Intermediate)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM © 2016
Meet the Gentle Jesus: First Communion (for children, catechist guide, fam	Liguori Publications	P&CM ©2020
Reconciliation: Pardon and Peace (primary)	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM ©2006, 2015
Reconciliation: Pardon and Peace (intermediate)	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM ©2006, 2015
The Sacrament of Confirmation: A Complete Preparation Course and Activities with Parents & Sponsors	Midwest Theological Forum	ST ©2018
The Sacrament of First Holy Communion	Midwest Theological Forum	S/P ©2019
Signs of Grace: You are Forgiven-Preparing for First Reconciliation	Augustine Institute	S/P ©2018
Signs of Grace: You are Loved-Preparing for First Holy Communion	Augustine Institute	S/P ©2018
Together in Jesus – First Eucharist	Pflaum Publishing Group	S&TM ©2004, 2011, 2018
Together in Jesus – First Reconciliation	Pflaum Publishing Group	S&TM ©2004, 2011, 2018
Materials in Other Languages		
¡Alelú! Crecer y celebrar con Jesús (3-4)	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P&TM/CM © 2012
Confirmación	RCL Benziger	S&TM ©2014
Confirmación: Inspirados por el Espíritu	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2013
Confirmados en el Espiritu (7-9)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2007, 2013
Creemos/We Believe (K-6)	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&CM©2005, 2011, 2017
Creer • Celebrar • Vivir Reconciliación – Primaria	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2017
Creer • Celebrar • Vivir La Eucaristía, Primaria	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2017
Cristo en nosotros (1-6)	William H. Sadlier, Inc.	S/P&TM/CM ©2022
Don de Dios, la Eucaristía (Primaria)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2009, 2016
Don de Dios, la Reconciliación (Primaria)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2009, 2016
Don de Dios, la Reconciliación y Eucaristía (Intermedio)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2016
Encontrando a Dios (Bilingual Edition of Finding God, Ages 4-6)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM©2018
Encontrando a Dios (Bilingual Edition of Finding God, 1-8)	Loyola Press	S/P&TM/CM ©2015
Encuentro con Cristo Eucaristía y Reconciliación	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P & TM/CM ©2017
Eucaristía: Damos gracias y alabanza	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM/CM ©2006, 2015, 2018
Faith Fusion: Knowing, Loving, and Serving Christ in the Catholic Church (Bilingual Edition, 3-5)	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P & TM/CM ©2016
Mi fe católica: What the Church Believes & Teaches (Pre-K - 8)	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P ©2015, ©2018
Reconciliación: Perdon y Paz	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM/CM ©2006, 2015
Reconciliación Perdón y Paz Bilingüe Intermedia	RCL Benziger	S/P&TM/CM © 2017
Relatos del amor de Dios Kindergarten	RCL Benziger	S/P & TM ©2012
Sean Mis Discípulos, 1-6 (Be My Disciples Bilingual Edition)	RCL Benziger	P&CM ©2014
Sean Mis Discípulos: Cristo en el Nuevo Testamento, Jr. High (Bilingual Edition)	RCL Benziger	P&CM © 2015
Sean Mis Discípulos: Cristo en la Liturgia, Jr. High (Bilingual)	RCL Benziger	P&CM © 2014
Sean Mis Discípulos: Cristo Revela el Misterio de Dios, Jr. High (Bilingual Edition)	RCL Benziger	P&CM © 2015

Sean Mis Discípulos: Vida en Cristo Jesus, Jr. High (Bilingual)	RCL Benziger	P&CM © 2014
Ungidos con el Espíritu	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P&TM/CM ©2021
Unidos en Jesús Primera Eucaristía	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P&TM ©2004, 2011, 2018
Unidos en Jesús Primera Reconciliación	Pflaum Publishing Group	S/P&TM ©2004, 2012, 2018
Vivos en Cristo (A-F)	Our Sunday Visitor	S/P&CM © 2015