

2017-2018 Diocese of Marquette Catholic Schools
History Curriculum – Fifth Grade

Unit 2: 1865- Present
Catholics in America

General Unit 2 Description

This unit will look at Catholics in the United States in the 19th century.

Overall Components

Teacher Resources

- From Sea to Shining Sea, chapters 20, see chapter goals and what students should know in the teacher’s manual.

Timeline

- Make a time line of events from
- Make a timeline of the events of this unit and keep building it throughout the year

Backdrop – Setting the Stage

Students should learn about the struggles Catholics faced, that they are largely an immigrant population with the exception of the southwest.

Catholic Missionaries continue to spread the Gospel of Christ to the American People.

If all students have a copy of the book, read the chapters aloud and stop to discuss, some of the more detailed sections may be skipped at the teacher’s discretion. If only the teacher has a book, the teacher should be selective ahead of time to determine which sections will be read aloud to the students to give them a good sense of the events and actions of the characters in these events. The key is not to overwhelm with detail while conveying enough detail to make the event and narrative interesting.

- Maps
- Places, Geographical Features, Natural resources
- Insights into Everyday Life
- Existing Circumstances & Situations (brief)
 - Political
 - Cultural
 - Economic

Particulars

- Persons
 - Saint Katharine Drexel
 - <https://www.ewtn.com/library/mary/drexel.htm>
 - Sister Marie-Josephine Nebraska (first Sioux nun)
 - Bishop Patrick Manogue
 - https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Patrick_Manogue
 - Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini
 - <https://www.motherscabrini.org/who-we-are/mother-cabrini/>

- Rose Hawthorne Lathrop
 - <http://www.ncregister.com/blog/stephaniemann/mother-mary-alphonsa-daughter-of-nathaniel-hawthorne-is-now-called-a-servan>
- Chief Justice Taney
 - <http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/14442c.htm>
- Father Abram J. Ryan
 - <http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/13282b.htm>
- Pope Leo xiii and (Rerum Novarum 1891)
- Vocabulary
- Biographies to be Read
- Primary Sources
- Poetry, Music, Paintings
 - Enduring Legacy Today (symbols, holidays, etc.)
- To be Memorized (and so carried in the Heart)
 - Speeches
 - Poems
 - Songs
 - Quotes
- Writing Assignments

Subsection of a unit: Unit 2 – Part A

Unit 2 – Part A Description

- Major questions or ideas in this section-2 or 3
- Actions & Events
- Key Tales & Stories
- What about the stories, actions and events inspire wonder (think heroism, sacrifice, acting on principles, leadership, humility etc.)
 - The creativity and hard work of the inventors
 - The struggle for fair working conditions
 - See above for some examples.
- Catholic Saints and Church Contributions
 - Morals, Virtues, & Catholic Principles that apply to the choices and events considered
 - Civic Connections & Virtues

General Unit 2 After Unit Complete

Unit Assessments

Further reading

Creative activities

Summary writing suggestions

At Home Questions w/ Parents

FINAL WORKING DRAFT