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FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



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Dear Teachers,

We are celebrating the Arizona Statehood Centennial in the year 2012. Our state was added to the United States as the 48th State, on February 14, 1912, with the signing of a proclamation by President William Howard Taft. The state adopted the motto “Deat Deus” or “God Enriches.”

I asked the Catholic Schools Office to provide a curriculum to the schools that highlights the contributions of the Catholic Church and prominent Catholic figures in the history of Arizona. These suggested areas of study will develop a knowledge of and awareness to the students of the importance and involvement of the Catholic Church in the exploration, settlement, and eventual statehood of Arizona. “God Enriches” through the diversity of persons, religious worship and experience, political discourse and governmental development of Arizona.

May the Lord bless you with His love and mercy.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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The Catholic Schools Office of the Diocese of Phoenix expresses gratitude to the Arizona Centennial Project Committee for its research and writing of a Catholic component to the Social Studies Standards as we celebrate 100 years of statehood in Arizona.

The High School American History Standards and Strand 8 of the Elementary Social Studies Curriculum Standards address Arizona History and Government. The Arizona Centennial Project for Catholic Schools emphasizes the contribution of Catholics and the Catholic Church in the development and history of our state and builds on the Standards already in place. This project is at the special request of Bishop Thomas Olmsted. Our expectation is that each school will celebrate this historical occasion with appropriate classes, projects and events.

The document here includes background information, focus objectives, resources, and activity suggestions. If your school is planning something that develops the Catholic aspect of Arizona's hundred years and is other than the suggestions listed here...please continue with your plans. This document is designed to be a help and is not all-exclusive.

It is our hope that celebrating this special Arizona event will assist our schools in developing students who will go out into the greater society as socially-conscious citizens who will work to maintain the stability of the family, protect the environment, sustain just government systems on both the national and local levels and express a love for God and all God has made.

Sincerely,

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Introduction

As Catholic schools in the Diocese of Phoenix, during the Arizona Centennial celebration of statehood, we will study the impact of Catholics on Arizona History. The following are areas of focus that the individual school (preschool through grade twelve) may choose to emphasize the Centennial within the context of the Diocesan Elementary Social Studies Curriculum Strand 8 and High School American History Standards. These areas of focus may also be included in the integration of Religion and World Language Standards.

Suggested areas of focus:

- Missionaries to the Southwest
- Native American Heritage
- Mexican Heritage
- Bishops and Parishes
- Religious Orders
- Significant Events/Personages/Organizations/Agencies

These areas of focus include objectives, resources, and activities which may be incorporated within the classroom. Every parish and school has available *Celebrating 40 Years, 1969-2009 The Diocese of Phoenix*. This book is a comprehensive history of the Diocese of Phoenix. Another valuable resource to pursue is the Kino Library located at the Diocesan Pastoral Center (<http://www.kinoinstitute.org/library>). Additional information is available through the Diocesan Archivist – (Maria Beteran (602) 354-2475, Email: mbeteran@diocesephoenix.org). Upon completion of projects for the Centenary, submissions to the archivist for historical records would be beneficial for future educational use.

Name of Lesson: Missionaries to the Southwest

Objectives:

- Identify the significant Catholic influence in the history of Arizona.
- Select the most significant missionaries and their contributions to spreading the faith and lasting impact to southwest culture.
For example: Marcos de Niza, Father Escalante, Padre Kino, Fray Garces

Resources:

Books:

Hispanic Arizona, 1536-1856 (James E. Officer)

DeGrazia and Padre Kino, 1979 (____)

The Dominguez-Escalante Journal (Edited by Ted J. Warner)

The Spanish Frontier in North America (David J. Weber)

Videos:

The Clock of Juan Diego (Located at the Kino Library)

The Gift of Katherine Drexel (Located at the Kino Library)

Slideshows:

Slideshow – inside San Xavier del Bac Mission <iframe title="YouTube video player" width="640" height="390" src="http://www.youtube.com/embed/jtcKOO_hvZM" frameborder="0" allowfullscreen></iframe>

Websites:

Arizona Centennial Website <http://www.arizona100.org/>

Arizona Historical Society <http://www.arizonahistoricalsociety.org/>

Article about Father Kino from the AZ Republic

<http://www.azcentral.com/travel/articles/2011/02/24/20110224arizona-father-kino-missions.html>

Websites (Continued)

Fray Marcos de Niza Bio/Timeline <http://www.elizabethan-era.org.uk/fray-marcos-de-niza.htm>

Fray Marcos de Niza Journey/ /Map
<http://www.psi.edu/epo/coronado/journeyofmarcosdeniza.html>

Fray Marcos de Niza Image/Journal Writings
<http://www.bing.com/images/search?q=fray+marcos+de+niza&view=detail&id=F37F84503169E29F8AA32D22C487864859378061&first=1&FORM=IDFRIR&qvpt=fray+marcos+de+niza>

HORIZON PBS Video: restoring San Xavier del Bac Mission [<iframe title="YouTube video player" width="640" height="390" src="http://www.youtube.com/embed/3LTPx_7NIE" frameborder="0" allowfullscreen></iframe>](http://www.youtube.com/embed/3LTPx_7NIE)

Lessons <http://southwestcrossroads.org/record.php?mum=52>

List of Spanish Contributions
www.davis.k12.ut.us/staff/kvialpando/files/10EAC49E1E3441C3B04092B66BC3BEEC.pdf

Padre Kino <http://www.discoverseaz.com/History/Kino.html>

Padre Kino Bio/ image for coloring <http://www.discoverseaz.com/History/Kino.html>

Padre Kino Downloadable poster/Maps/Images/Music <http://padrekino.com/>

Missionary Era Activities Sources:

Draw and label diagram of typical Spanish Mission:
<http://www.goldridge08.com/pictures/ca/spanish%20missiondiag.jpg>

Make a Mission/Church from cardboard: http://www.ehow.com/how_6470094_make-mission-cardboard.html

Write a journal entry based on daily life at a Spanish mission:
<http://www.houstonculture.org/spanish/missionlife.html>

Activities:

- Make a paper model of missions
- Research paper
- Create power point
- Create a timeline
- Map the Missions and/or their journeys

Name of Lesson: Native American Heritage

Objectives:

- Identify the significant Catholic influence in the history of Arizona.
- Analyze the response of Native Americans to Catholic influences.
- Describe the interactions between the missionaries and the Native Americans.
- Investigate social justice issues.

Resources:

Books:

The Spanish Frontier in North America (David J. Weber)

Videos:

Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha (Located at the Kino Library)

Websites:

<http://www.arizona100.org/>

Arizona Native American Tribes <http://edrp.arid.arizona.edu/tribes.html>

Kateri Tekakwitha <http://conservation.catholic.org/kateri.htm>

Pope address to Native Americans: http://www.nativevillage.org/Inspiration-/apostolic_journey_to_the_united.htm

Native American Catholics Connections poster:

<http://catalog.americancatholic.org/product.aspx?prodid=Y0796&pcat=169>

Native American Catholics- statistics

http://www.nccbuscc.org/comm/backgrounders/native_american.shtml

Southwest Culture <http://www.u-s-history.com/pages/h949.html>

Activities:

- Research connections between Native American heritage and Catholic faith
- Create PowerPoint
- Create a timeline
- Prayer Service
- Religious themed sand paintings
- Simulations

Name of Lesson: Mexican Heritage

Objectives:

- Identify the significant Catholic influence in the history of Arizona.
- Analyze the influence of Mexican Heritage on Arizona.
- Examine the influence of Our Lady of Guadalupe.
- Investigate social justice issues.

Resources:

Books:

Hispanic, AZ 1536-1856 (James E. Officer)

The Spanish Frontier in North America (David J. Weber)

Videos:

The Clock of Juan Diego (Located at the Kino Library)

Websites:

Arizona's Mexican Heritage stories <http://latinopm.com/features/arizona%E2%80%99s-mexican-heritage-an-american-story-5810>

Arizona Centennial Website <http://www.arizona100.org/>

Day of the Dead history/videos/slideshows/ and activities :
<http://www.azcentral.com/ent/dead/articles/dead-history.html>

Lady of Guadalupe documentary: Part 1 of 3: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k8E-f92sr0>

Our Lady of Guadalupe activities and prayers <http://www.sancta.org/>

Our Lady of Guadalupe activities
http://www.associatedcontent.com/article/2443256/free_printable_our_lady_of_guadalupe.html

Coloring page and brief history: <http://www.loyolapress.com/our-lady-of-guadalupe.htm>

Activities:

- Research papers
- Create PowerPoint
- Create a timeline
- Prayer Service
- Simulations
- Religious themed art and culture (i.e. shrines, Day of the Dead)

Name of Lesson: Bishops and Parishes

Objectives:

- Identify the significant Catholic influence in the history of Arizona.
- Recognize the noteworthy bishops of Arizona.
- Analyze the historical development as the bishops moved from the Diocese of New Mexico to the Diocese of Tucson to the Diocese of Phoenix.
- Investigate the history of your local parish or school.

Resources:

Books:

The First Bishop of Sonora (Albert Stagg)

Guide to the Sacred Art of St. Mary's Basilica (Gary K. Weiland)

Historical Sketch of the Catholic Church in New Mexico (Thomas J. Steele, S.J.)

John Baptist Salpointe Soldier of the Cross (edited by Odie B. Faulk)

Videos:

St. Mary's Church Short documentary: [iframe title="YouTube video player" width="480" height="390" src="http://www.youtube.com/embed/pmc-YB6jFJY" frameborder="0" allowfullscreen></iframe>](http://www.youtube.com/embed/pmc-YB6jFJY)

St Mary's Stained Glass (PBS Horizon news show) [iframe title="YouTube video player" width="480" height="390" src="http://www.youtube.com/embed/pmc-YB6jFJY" frameborder="0" allowfullscreen></iframe>](http://www.youtube.com/embed/pmc-YB6jFJY)

Websites:

Archbishop Jean Baptiste Lamy Photo/Short bio: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jean-Baptiste_Lamy

Archbishop Jean Baptiste Lamy His description of Southwest: <http://www.newmexicohistory.org/filedetails.php?fileID=379>

Bishop Peter Bourgade: bio/description of daily work/photo: <http://www.bourgade.org/About/bishop.htm>

Websites (Continued)

Edward A. McCarthy bio/photo [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Edward A. McCarthy](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Edward_A._McCarthy)

History of the Diocese of Phoenix <http://www.diocesephoenix.org/dioceseInfo/history.htm>

Sacred Heart Catholic Church (first parish) Detailed history /early photos

<http://www.prescottaz.com/main.asp?Search=1&ArticleID=85703&SectionID=1&SubSectionID=1086&S=1>

St. Mary's Church: oldest Catholic Church in the Phoenix area

Images/history: [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St. Mary's Basilica, Phoenix](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/St._Mary's_Basilica,_Phoenix)

Activity Sources

Stained glass art coloring pages: <http://www.roman-catholic-catechism.com/stained-glass-coloring-pages.html>

Activities:

- Research papers (i.e. first pastor, first principal, ground breaking, etc...)
- Create PowerPoint
- Create a timeline
- "Pick a Decade"
- Interviews
- Oral Presentations
- Simulations (i.e. Famous Person Day)
- Examine population growth
- Biographical writings

Name of Lesson: Religious Orders

Objectives

- Identify the significant Catholic influence in the history of Arizona.
- Examine the role of religious orders on the development of Catholicism in Arizona.

Resources:

Books:

And Some Fell on Good Ground—A History of the Sisters of Mercy of California And Arizona
(Sister Mary Athanasius Sheridan)

Fifty Years of the Franciscan Renewal Center

The Gift of Katherine Drexel (Located at the Kino Library)

St. Joseph's: The First Hundred Years, 1991.

Websites:

Franciscans <http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/06217a.htm>

History of the Diocese of Phoenix <http://www.diocesephoenix.org/dioceseInfo/history.htm>

Jesuits <http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/14081a.htm>

Katherine Drexel Sisters <http://www.newadvent.org/cathen/02599a.htm>

Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary <http://www.bvmcong.org>

Sisters of Mercy & St. Joseph's Hospital: history and documentary: http://www.stjosephs-phx.org/Who_We_Are/History/index.htm

Activities:

- Research papers
- Interview a religious priest, brother, or sister in your parish or school
- Biographical writings (i.e. reports, newspaper articles, brochures)
- Create PowerPoint
- Oral Presentations
- Create a timeline
- "One room school house" experience
- Simulations (i.e. Famous Person Day)

Name of Lesson: Significant Events/Personages/Organizations/Agencies

Objectives

- Identify the significant Catholic influence in the history of Arizona.
- Investigate important Catholic events in recent history. (i.e. Pope John Paul II's visit, Mother Teresa's visit)
- Examine influential people, organizations and agencies of our Catholic identity. (i.e. Virginia Piper, Knights of Columbus, St. Vincent de Paul, Newman Centers)

Resources:

Videos:

Pope Paul II in Phoenix site:youtube.com

Pope John Paul II visits Diocese of Phoenix 1987: short film: http://www.youtube.com/embed/k_qYJLHHUVO frameborder="0" allowfullscreen></iframe>

Websites:

Article about Mother Teresa's AZ visit

<http://www.southcoasttoday.com/apps/pbcs.dll/section?Category=SPECIAL26>

ASU Newman Center <http://www.asucatholic.org>

Knights of Columbus AZ <http://www.azknightsofcolumbus.com/>

NAU Newman Center <http://www.naunewman.org/>

Pope John Paul II address to Phoenix:

http://www.vatican.va/holy_father/john_paul_ii/speeches/1987/september/documents/hf_jp-ii_spe_19870914_fedeli-phoenix_en.html

St. Vincent de Paul <http://www.stvincentdepaul.net/>

Timeline (Diocese of Phx) <http://www.diocesephoenix.org/dioceseInfo/history.htm>

U of A Newman Center <http://newman.arizona.edu/>

Activities:

- Research papers
- Interviews
- Oral Presentations (i.e. Famous Person Day)
- Create PowerPoint
- Create a timeline
- Simulations
- Watch videos pertaining to events or people
- Organize school-wide drives for specific charities
- In person experience (i.e. service hours, events at Newman Centers)