COURSE TITLE: The Revelation of Jesus Christ in Scripture

COURSE LENGTH: 1 semester COURSE TYPE: required

COURSE CREDIT: 0.5 credit GRADE LEVEL: 9

PREREQUISITE: n/a

COURSE GOALS:

1. Students will identify Scripture as revelation, the inspired word of God.

- 2. Students will distinguish the relation between oral and written tradition and the Canon of Scripture.
- 3. Students will relate biblical interpretation to archeology and science, using Church teachings as their guide.
- 4. Students will recognize the structure and unity of the Old Testament and the New Testament.
- 5. Students will identify the Gospels as central to Christian faith.
- 6. Students will apply Scriptural passages in their life and prayer.
- 7. Students will identify key scriptural themes from the Old Testament and the New Testament.

COURSE CONTENT:

- 1. Respect for Scripture as the revealed Word of God
- 2. Regard for the Gospels as central to the Bible
- 3. Acceptance in faith of Jesus Christ and his teaching
- 4. Acceptance that authentic interpretation of Scripture comes through the Church
- 5. Knowledge of the structure of the Bible and how to locate Scripture passages
- 6. Definitions of Divine Revelation and Divine Inspiration.
- 7. Identification of the various literary forms in Scripture
- 8. Connection of the truths of scripture and faith with science
- 9. Explanation of persons and events in scripture and their meaning
- 10. Application of Scripture to life and as guide in decision making