There has been much confusion regarding the Diocesan Curriculum Standards, and what parishes are supposed to do with them. Some parishes might not even be aware that they exist. An effort has been made to address these questions, as well as offer some practical helps for utilizing these standards. To this end, the following appendices have been added to the Diocesan Curriculum Standards:

**Appendix A:** The Role of Catechesis within Evangelization

**Appendix B:** The Role of the Heart in Catechesis
  - Questions to gauge where someone is at in their journey
  - Ideas for engaging the heart by topic

**Appendix C:** FAQ about the Curriculum Standards

**Appendix D:** Abbreviated Outlines by Grade
  - Preschool
  - Kindergarten
  - First Grade
  - Second Grade
  - Second Grade – Immediate Preparation for Reconciliation
  - Second Grade – Immediate Preparation for Communion
  - Third Grade
  - Fourth Grade
  - Fifth Grade
  - Sixth Grade
  - Seventh Grade
  - Eighth Grade
  - Pillar One
  - Pillar Two
  - Pillar Three
  - Pillar Four