## Suggested Weekly Learning Goals January

	Weekly Teaching for Parents
Week 1	<ul> <li>□ Introduce Words to Know: Parents discuss words to know with their children on Parent Guide pages 106 and 117. Teach their children what the words mean.</li> <li>□ Understand Words to Know: By the end of the week, the child should know how to explain and define the words to know.</li> <li>□ Get to know St Paul the Apostle: Parents and children should read the brief biography of St Paul on Parent Guide pages 127-128</li> <li>□ Learn Scripture Verse: Begin reciting daily the Scripture verse for the month. "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life." (John 3:16)</li> </ul>
Week 2	<ul> <li>□ Parent and Child Activities: Parents should choose one or more activities to teach the truth about the person of Jesus in Parents Guide pages 107-115, lead the children through this activity.</li> <li>□ Learning Goal for the Week: The child should understand -</li> <li>□ The truth of who Jesus is</li> <li>□ The life he has planned for us</li> <li>□ The way we should live in order to spend eternity with Him in Heaven.</li> </ul>
Week 3	<ul> <li>□ Parent and Child Activities: Parents should choose one or more activities on what makes us children of God in Parents Guide on pages 118-126 to teach their children.</li> <li>□ Learning Goals for the Week: The child should understand that -         <ul> <li>□ When we are baptized as Christians, all our sins are forgiven</li> <li>□ Baptism makes us God's adopted children</li> <li>□ Baptized Christians are no longer the lost descendants of Adam but are children of God.</li> </ul> </li> <li>□ Your Catholic Home: Parents should teach their children about the rich tradition of Epiphany and how it is a more full celebration of Christmas. If possible, get your house blessed by your parish priest, so that they can see the tradition in action.</li> </ul>