

WHAT IS THEOLOGY OF THE BODY?

Theology of the Body is an uplifting, inspiring Christian education in what it means to be human - the gift of being made in the image and likeness of God, as male and female, called to love one another as God loves. It gives us a profound perspective on why we are here and how we are to reach our ultimate destiny.



Pope St. John Paul II's Theology of the Body plunges us into "the perspective of the whole gospel, of the whole teaching, even more, of the whole mission of Christ." (TOB 49:3)

It's a culture-changer at any age.

AN AUTHENTIC K-12 TOB CURRICULUM

AGE-APPROPRIATE LESSONS derived from the original texts of *Man and Woman He Created Them* and the teaching style of Pope St. John Paul II.

SUPPLEMENTAL COURSES that are both inexpensive and easily taught alongside your current curriculum.

AUTHENTIC to Pope St. John Paul II, as all curriculum writers and designers are graduates of the JP II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family.

ENJOYABLE TO EXPLORE for both teachers and students alike - a classic grade school approach and relevant online high school style opens minds to discovering truth through the deep beauty of the concepts at every age.

CHURCH APPROVED with the imprimatur from the Archdiocese of Cincinnati serving as your assurance that all teaching is in conformity with the magisterium of the Catholic Church.

TEACHING SUPPORT available through Ruah Woods Press includes live educator workshops and seminars, training videos and downloadable podcasts all to enrich your life and your gift of teaching.

WE ARE A TOB CAMPUS!



It's a way of seeing as we uphold the dignity of every human person. It's a way of living as we recognize our mission to serve the needs of our brothers and sisters as a response of gratitude to God's ineffable love for us. It's a treasure for our time as we realize the fruits of the Holy Spirit throughout the hallways and the rest of our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, gentleness, faithfulness, self-control and more. Do you desire this for your school? TOBCampus.org

YOU CAN'T GIVE WHAT YOU DON'T HAVE

LIVE EDUCATOR TRAINING

- TOB for Teachers: Intro Workshop. 3-day at Ruah Woods
- Special Topics in TOB: Gender and Sexual Identity. 2-day at Ruah Woods
- Custom TOB In-Service: 1-3 day options available at your location

DIGITAL EDUCATOR TRAINING

- TOB20. Twenty podcasts. tob20.podbean.com
- Called to be More. Online course for one or a group

Sign up at ruahwoodspress.com/training



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RESTORING THE DIGNITY OF THE HUMAN PERSON.

STARTING HERE. *Starting now.*



ROOTED: K-12
THEOLOGY of THE BODY CURRICULUM

K-GRADE 5



TWO UNITS PER GRADE (1-4 weeks of learning per unit)
The perfect addition to the curriculum you already use!

LITERATURE-BASED UNITS

Even as a priest, future Pope St. John Paul II, used the plays, poetry, art and stories of his day to awaken young people to the wonder of being human, the purpose of love, and the beauty of their culture. His teaching changed lives then and it's changing lives now. Borrowing insight from the master, our curriculum is literature-based. You can capture with your students the joy, wonder, peace and virtue of discovering the gift of life and of being human. Teach the mysteries of God, love and self-gift with warmth, inventive crafts, and adventure. Engage minds and stir the senses with every lesson leading to happiness for a lifetime—and eternity beyond!

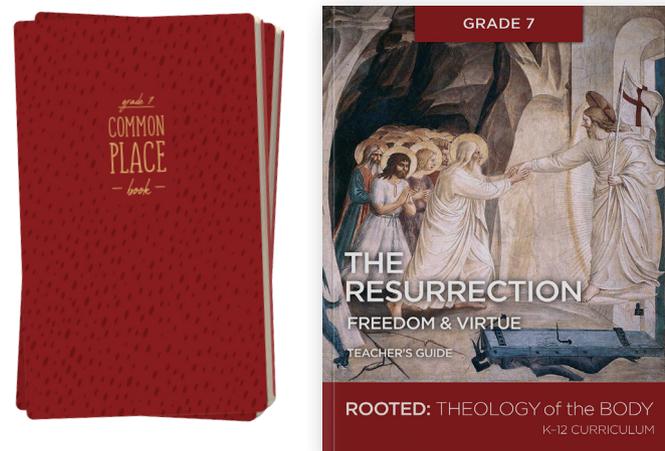
K-2 \$99 per Grade (2 unit set: 4 pieces)
Specify Grade K, 1 or 2

3-5 \$99 per Grade (2 unit set: 3 pieces)
incorporating your classroom Bible as one literature component Specify Grade 3, 4 or 5

"Thank you for creating materials that are literature based! I believe that this approach helps students remember the concepts and to apply them much more effectively than a simple, traditional textbook would. I have been teaching religion for over 15 years, and this is by far the very best approach I have ever used. It has ignited a whole new passion in my teaching. What a blessing!"

-- Second Grade Teacher

GRADE 6-8



COMMONPLACE BOOK PER STUDENT AND TEACHER'S GUIDE 3-6 weeks of supplemental exploration

REFLECTION-INSPIRED LEARNING

Through a time of great change in a young person's life, Theology of the Body provides an anchor to what is lasting, true, good and beautiful. This curriculum will help them explore many topics essential to building a strong love of self, others, the world, and God. This curriculum engages the student in capturing insight and inspiration through journaling, illustration and note-taking in a Commonplace Book — so they learn self-gift through self-expression. The Companion Teacher's Guide enables the educator to walk this journey with young students — to help them appreciate their being as gift, discover their true identity, and open themselves to their call to love.

Commonplace Book \$10 (per student)
Consumable. Specify Grade 6, 7 or 8

Teacher's Guide \$35
Non-Consumable. Specify Grade 6, 7 or 8

"Instead of just talking about what we believe, TOB gives us a roadmap for how to live out our purpose. Students realize that they are created in God's own image and filled with incredible dignity. It is awesome to witness them respond to this lifechanging message especially because it is completely counter to what their culture is telling them. TOB is a gamechanger."

-- Middle School Teacher

GRADE 9-12



CALLED TO BE MORE 1-2 days of supplemental TOB material for every lesson in the USCCB Framework

ONLINE REVELATION

Called to be More is a supplemental high school curriculum based on St. John Paul II's *Theology of the Body*. Seven to ten lessons are provided for eight semesters of the USCCB's framework for catechetical instruction. This approach enables educators to weave a relevant and authentic understanding of the human person created in God's image and likeness into all four years – a response to St. John Paul II's observation that the crisis of our day is a "degradation indeed a pulverization of the fundamental uniqueness of the human person."

\$10 per student per school year.
Access to all EIGHT SEMESTERS

- The Revelation of Jesus Christ in Scripture
- Who is Jesus Christ?
- The Mission of Jesus Christ (The Paschal Mystery)
- Jesus Christ's Mission Continues in the Church
- Sacraments as Privileged Encounters with Jesus Christ
- Life in Jesus Christ (Morality)
- Living as a Disciple of Jesus Christ in Society (Social Justice)
- Responding to the Call of Jesus Christ (Vocations)

Includes online lessons, student video testimonials, discussion questions, saint stories, prayer, activity ideas and more.