

## Holy Family Academy

### Summer Reading List 2017-2018

Required	Recommended
<p><b><u>Grades 11-12*</u></b>  <i>My Antonia</i> by Willa Cather (English)  <i>The Transforming Power of the Faith</i>            by Benedict XVI (Theology)  <i>US Dec of Independence and Constitution</i> (History)</p>	<p>“Parker’s Back” by Flannery O’Connor  <i>Red Badge of Courage</i> by Stephen Crane  <i>Hannah Coulter</i> by Wendell Berry</p>
<p><b><u>Grades 9-10*</u></b>  <i>Macbeth</i> by William Shakespeare (English)  <i>To Know Christ Jesus</i> by Frank Sheed (Theology)  <i>Rule of Benedict</i> by St. Benedict (History)</p>	<p><i>Ivanhoe</i> by Sir Walter Scott  <i>Acts of the Apostles</i> New Testament</p>
<p><b><u>Grades 7-8*</u></b>  <i>Seawolf</i> by Jack London (English)  <i>Book of Job</i> Old Testament (Theology)  <i>Our Lady of Guadalupe and the Conquest of Darkness</i>            by Warren Carroll (History)</p>	<p><i>Life on the Mississippi</i> by Mark Twain  <i>Last of the Mohicans</i> by James Fenimore Cooper</p>
<p><b><u>Grade 6</u></b>  <i>The Gospel of Luke</i>  <i>Fatima in Lucia’s Own Words</i> (Available at HFA)  <i>Tales of Shakespeare</i>, Charles and Mary Lamb  <i>The Hobbit</i> by JRR Tolkien</p>	<p><i>Lord of the Rings</i> by JRR Tolkien</p>
<p><b><u>Grade 5</u></b>  <i>The Gospel of Mark</i>  <i>Dominic Savio</i>, St. Don Bosco (Available at HFA)  <i>Little Men</i> or <i>Little Women</i>, Louisa May Alcott (unabridged)  <i>Johnny Tremain</i>, Edith Forbes</p>	
<p><b><u>Grade 4</u></b>  <i>The Gospel of Matthew</i>  <i>St. Isaac and the Indian</i>, Milton Lomask <u>or</u>  <i>St. Rose of Lima</i>, Mary Fabyan Windeatt  <i>Treasure Island</i>, R. Stevenson <u>or</u>  <i>Caddie Woodlawn</i>, Carol Ryrie Brink</p>	
<p><b><u>Grade 3</u></b>  <i>The Little Flower</i>, M.F. Windeatt  <i>A Door in the Wall</i>, Marguerite de Angeli</p>	
<p><b><u>Grade 2</u></b>  <i>Blessed Imelda</i>, M.F. Windeatt  <i>Aesop’s Fables</i></p>	
<p><b><u>Grade 1:</u></b> Re-read “The Duck Book.” Rising 1<sup>st</sup> Graders should read for 15 minutes a day.</p>	
<p>* Students in the Upper Grades will be tested on required readings at the beginning of the year in the respective classes.</p>	<p><b><u>Parents’ Summer Reading:</u></b>  <i>Hannah Coulter</i> by Wendell Berry  <i>Strangers in a Strange Land</i> by Archbishop Charles Chaput            (book discussions will be held in Sept)</p>