

**Ethical  
Decision  
Making**

**I. Fundamental  
beliefs are  
expressed in  
the scriptures**

**A. Created by  
God Gen 1:27**

**1. Gift from  
God (grace)**

**B. Stewards of  
Creation Gen 1:**

**C. I am Holy  
as You are Holy Lev**

**D. Salvation -  
1 Cor 11.1**

**E. Love of Neighbour  
Respect/dignity**

**1. Mark 12:29**

**II. Decalogue  
provides a  
basic  
platform**

**A. Protect core  
values**

**B. Covenant  
God's law  
love &  
loyal**

**C. Central to  
faith**

- D. Natural  
to humans**
- E. Links natural law**
- F. The 5th  
Commandment**

### **III. Influenced by the beliefs we hold**

- A. Natural Law**
  - 1. Implanted  
by God**
- B. The Eternal Law**
  - 1. Through  
reason**
    - a. Thinking**
- C. Revealed Law**
  - 1. Scripture**
- D. Church Law**
  - 1. Vatican, Council  
Synod**

### **IV. Christ's commandment of love**

- A. heart of  
the life  
& teachings  
John 15**
- B. It summarizes  
all commandments  
moral beliefs**

**C. Love of  
enemy**

**D. How to  
relate  
to others**

**E. goodwill, kindness  
compassion**

**1. Suffer  
with**

**V. Christ's  
teaching about  
the kingdom - Paul**

**A. Salvation**

**B. Pastoral  
Theology**

**C. I Cor**

**1. Expectations**

**D. Temples of the  
Holy Spirit - 1 Cor**

**E. We are ALL  
part of the  
resurrection**

**F. Choice of  
a moral =  
salvation**

**1. Respect  
for  
life**

**VI. Beatitudes  
treatment of other**

**A. Christ's  
Matt 5:11/ Luke**

**B. Pursuit  
of happiness**

**C. Directed toward  
the needy**

**1. Worse situation -  
dying**

**2. Allows to  
find the  
good in  
a situation**

**a. Advanced  
thinking**

**D. Path that  
leads to  
union with God**

**1. Justice**

**a.**

**b. For all the  
type of justice**

**2. Guide to  
live a  
moral life**

**E. Set out  
expectations to  
follow**

**VII. Conclusion  
Summary of the  
description  
and  
explanation**