The Feasts of the Cross Code: 9/FE/6

1. General Aims of the unit

To Celebrate the feasts of the Church and utilize them for more participation in the church life and the flourishing of the spiritual progress .

2. Special aims of the lesson

- 1. To revise the history of the discovery of the cross.
- 2. To highlight the importance of the feast of the cross in our Coptic church and the two occasions we celebrate it (10 Baramhat the discovery of the cross, 17 Tut.-consecration of the Resurrection church). The tunes in this feast is in "Palm Sunday tunes- Shaaneni"
- 3. To highlight the appearances of the cross and the last appearance in the next coming.(Luke24:30)
- 4. To encourage the teens to use the sign of the cross in their personal life as a source of power.
- 5. To highlight the fact that the cross is the "source of blessings" and its use in all the services of the church as the Liturgies, sacraments, prayers,....

3. Outcomes:

By the end of this lessons the teens are able to:

- 1. List the 2 feasts of the cross, their occasions and the tunes used in the cross feasts.
- **2.** Debate the importance of the cross in our personal life, give examples.
- **3.** Summarize the presence of the cross in all the church services and in our personal spiritual life. Explain?
- **4.** Remember by heart some of the verses of the cross and use them in the different times of the day.
- **4. Verses:** Matt. 28:19; 1Cor. 1:18, 2:2; Col. 1:20, Gal. 6:14Matt. 16:24, Gal.5:24
- **5. References**: 1. SUS program –Yr. 9 –September lesson 3
 - 2. Liturgy Book and different ecclesiastic books of different occasions