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June 24, 2026

Dear Parents/Guardians,

On behalf Fr. Martin, Deacon Andy, Deacon Bill, our catechists and myself, I am happy to welcome you to the 2026-2027 school year! We are looking forward to a productive partnership with you to ensure your child can achieve their highest potential in their faith formation. As quoted in the Catechism of the Catholic Church 2223, "Parents have the first responsibility for the education of their children." And at your child's Baptism, "You are accepting responsibility of training them in the practice of the faith." We recognize that to be successful a child needs support from both the home and school. We know that a strong partnership with you will make a great difference in your child's faith life. As partners, we share the responsibility for our children and want you to know that we will do our absolute best to carry out those responsibilities.

Presently, our schedule will be:

Grades 7-8 will be held on Sunday mornings from 9:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m. This allows for you to attend Mass as a family on Saturday at 4:00 p.m., Sunday at 8:00 a.m. prior to class, or 12:00 p.m. Mass after class. Holy Family also offers a 10:00 a.m. Mass. Grades 7-8 will attend 10:00 a.m. Mass on September 13th, November 1st, January 10th, and March 7th, will be seated as a group, and will be responsible for the readings, the Universal Prayer and the Offertory Procession. Children will return to the school after Mass. Please feel free to join us at these Celebrations of the Mass.

Grades K-6 will meet on Tuesday OR Wednesday from 4:45 p.m.-6:15 p.m. We understand that there may be times you need to attend a different day due to scheduling conflicts. It is never a problem. We just want your children there. If you are able to let us know ahead of time, please email smarkey@youngstowndiocese.org so we can plan accordingly.

As a reminder, per Diocesan policy, your child is expected to attend eight consecutive years of CCD classes. Kindergarten is suggested, but optional.

Per Diocesan policy, in order for your child to receive their sacraments, attendance two consecutive years prior to reception is mandatory. NO EXCEPTIONS

Enclosed please find a copy of our new schedule and registration form for you to complete and return by **August 7, 2026**. Please read the information carefully, as the registration form also serves as a Parent/Parish contract.

Thank you for your continued dedication to your child's faith formation,

Mrs. Marnie Kelty
Mrs. Marnie Kelty, DRE/YM



CCD REGISTRATION CHECKLIST



	DID YOU...
	Fill out <u>BOTH</u> sides of the registration form, including checking photo permission choice, and sign form?
	Regardless of your marital status, fill out the Diocesan Custody form in its entirety, including choosing yes or no regarding a court order, and sign it?
	Include a copy of your child's sacrament certificates. (ALL students must submit Baptismal Certificates with registration if NOT received at Holy Family. Grades 3-8 must submit 1st Communion Certificates with registration if NOT received at Holy Family. You may call the church of Baptism and have them send us a copy.)
	Enclose your check made out to "Holy Family Parish" for the Class Fees and Sacrament Fees (if applicable)?
	Call Marnie Kelty or Stephanie Markey at 330-757-1545 with any questions or concerns?

We will keep you updated regarding Religious Education classes via email.
Thank you in advance for returning your registration by **August 7th!**

****Please do not wait to turn your form in until after you hear about your fall schedule.**

If you need to make any adjustments after you send in your form, please email or call Stephanie Markey at smarkey@youngstowndiocese.org or 330-757-1545 and we will make any changes necessary.

Returning your registration forms prior to August 7th allows us the time needed to purchase materials and make sure we have enough catechists.

Holy Family Parish
2729 Center Road
Poland, Ohio 44514
330-757-1545



DUE AUGUST 7, 2026

Religious Education Registration Form
School Year 2026-2027

Family Last Name:/s _____

Mailing Address: _____

Father's Name (first, last) _____ Religion _____

Father's Phone _____ Father's Email _____

Mother's Name (first, last, MAIDEN) _____ Religion _____

Mother's Phone _____ Mother's Email _____

Legal Guardian (if applicable) _____

Guardian's Phone _____ Guardian's Email _____

Emergency Contact #1 _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____

Emergency Contact #2 _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____

- **ALL students must submit Baptismal Certificates with registration if NOT received at Holy Family.**
- **Grades 3-8 must submit 1st Communion Certificates with registration if NOT received at Holy Family.**

Student #1 Information

Student Name (first, middle, last) _____ Date of Birth _____

School _____ Grade in Fall _____

Medical/Behavioral Concerns _____

☐ Check if new to our program: Name of Previous Program _____

Please check current preferred date of classes.

(If you need to make a change, please email smarkey@youngstowndiocese.org)

☐ Tuesdays (K-6) 4:45 - 6:15pm ☐ Wednesdays (K-6) 4:45 - 6:15pm ☐ Sundays (7-8) 9:45-11:45am

Student #2 Information

Student Name (first, middle, last) _____ Date of Birth _____

School _____ Grade in Fall _____

Medical/Behavioral Concerns _____

☐ Check if new to our program: Name of Previous Program _____

Please check current preferred date of classes.

(If you need to make a change, please email smarkey@youngstowndiocese.org)

☐ Tuesdays (K-6) 4:45 - 6:15pm ☐ Wednesdays (K-6) 4:45 - 6:15pm ☐ Sundays (7-8) 9:45-11:45am

Student #3 Information

Student Name (first, middle, last) _____ Date of Birth _____

School _____ Grade in Fall _____

Medical/Behavioral Concerns _____

☐ Check if new to our program: Name of Previous Program _____

Please check current preferred date of classes.

(If you need to make a change, please email smarkey@youngstowndiocese.org)

☐ Tuesdays (K-6) 4:45 - 6:15pm ☐ Wednesdays (K-6) 4:45 - 6:15pm ☐ Sundays (7-8) 9:45-11:45am

OVER

Permission and Verification (Please indicate which choice)

() **I GIVE** permission for my child's picture to be included on the Parish website or other social media and publications.

OR

() **I DO NOT GIVE** permission for my child's picture to be included on the Parish website or other social media and publications.

I have read the Religious Education handbook and agree to the requirements of the program, including the Code of Conduct. (The Religious Education handbook & the Code of Conduct can be found at www.HolyFamilyPoland.org.)

I hereby verify that the above information is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date
CCD Fees

- Class fees cover books and other Religious Education Material.
- Out of fairness to all families, we cannot place your child(ren) in a classroom until all fees are paid in full.
- In case of financial hardship, please contact Mrs. Marnie Kelty at 330-757-1545. All information discussed is held in the strictest confidence.
- There is **NO fee** for children of full time Catechists only.

Parishioner Status	One child	Two children	Three or more children	My total due
Parishioner	\$50	\$100	\$125	
Non-Parishioner	\$130	\$260	\$390	

Sacrament Fees

- Sacramental fees are in addition to the class fees and cover additional materials needed for sacramental preparation, including retreats.

Sacrament	Fee	My total due
First Communion (2 nd grade ONLY)	\$30 additional	
Confirmation (8 th grade ONLY)	\$40 additional	

Late Fees

- For registrations received after AUGUST 7, 2026.
- Fees must be paid by check and returned to the Parish Office by August 7th to be considered on time.
- Waived **ONLY** for families new to our program for the current catechetical year

Number of children	Fee	My total due
One Child	\$25 additional	
Two or more children	\$50 additional	

- Please make your check out to "Holy Family Parish" and write "RE" in the memo line.
- Your cleared check is your receipt.

My total due:

*****For Office Use Only*****

Date Received _____ Class Fees _____ Sacrament Fees _____ Late Fees _____ Total Owed _____
 Amount Paid _____ Check # _____ Other Notes: _____



CATHOLIC DIOCESE
of YOUNGSTOWN

DUE AUGUST 7, 2026

Office of Faith Formation and Lay Ecclesial Ministry
Diocesan Directory for Catechesis
INFORMATION REGARDING LEGAL CUSTODY
To be completed as part of the registration/re-registration agreement

Date _____

Child's Name _____ Grade _____ School _____ Year _____

Address of child's residence _____

Child lives with

_____ both natural parents
_____ natural mother, step/adoptive father
_____ natural father, step/adoptive mother
_____ only mother
_____ only father
_____ grandparent(s) (with legal custody)
_____ other relative (with legal custody)
_____ relationship _____
_____ Other

Please explain _____

Residential parent/guardian Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Is there a court order (or pending order) affecting the custody and/or residency of the child ____ Yes* ____ No

SIGNATURE _____

*Please attach a certified copy of the page of the court decision bearing the case number and those sections referring to visitation rights and contacts with the parish. Also include the page bearing the judge's signature and court seal. This copy should include any and all modifications made as of the date of registration of the child in this formation process. It is also the responsibility of the parents to inform the parish of any subsequent modifications during the child's involvement in the parish formation process.

Non-Residential parent/guardian Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Does the non-residential parent have visitation rights? ____ Yes ____ No

Is there a court decision that states that the non-residential parent should NOT receive information or attend activities? ____ Yes ____ No

Is the non-residential parent responsible for paying fees? ____ Yes ____ No

***SIGNATURE** _____

Holy Family Religious Education Calendar 2026-2027

Classes will be in session on the following dates:

Month	<u>Sundays</u> 9:45-11:45am Grades 7 & 8	<u>Tuesdays</u> 4:45-6:15pm Grades K-6	<u>Wednesday</u> 4:45-6:15pm Grades K-6
August	30		
September	13, 20, 27	8, 15, 22, 29	9, 16, 23, 30
October	4, 18, 25	6, 13, 20, 27	7, 14, 21, 28
November	1, 8, 15, 22	3, 10, 17	4, 11, 18
December	6, 13	1, 8, 15	2, 9, 16
January	10, 24	5, 12, 19, 26	6, 13, 20, 27
February	7, 21, 28	9, 16, 23	10, 17, 24
March	7*, 21 * 7 th grade only	2, 9, 16, 23	3, 10, 17, 24

7th and 8th grade Mass Schedule

(Students report to school as usual, attend Mass, and will be dismissed from school at normal time)

September 13, November 1, January 10, March 7

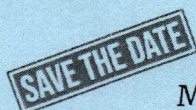
K-6 Music Schedule

(Students report to school as usual and will be dismissed from school at normal time)

September 15, 16 November 17, 18 January 19, 20 March 16, 17

Advent and Lenten Penance Services

Dates to be determined.



Vacation Bible School

Monday, June 7th-Thursday, June 10th

Sacrament Dates 2026-2027

First Reconciliation/First Communion

Parent Meeting

Sunday, September 27th - 9:15 am-9:45 am at Holy Family Parish Center

First Reconciliation/First Communion Retreat (WITH PARENT)

Saturday, March 20th - 10:00 am - 12:00 pm at St. Paul New Middletown

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper

Thursday, March 25th - TBD (meet in Parish Center one hour before the service)

First Reconciliation

Monday, April 19th - 7:00pm at Holy Family Church

First Communion Practices

For the 10:00am Mass:

Tuesday, April 27th - 4:30-5:30pm at Holy Family Church

For the 1:00pm Mass:

Wednesday, April 28th - 4:30-5:30pm at Holy Family Church

First Communion

Saturday, May 1st - 10:00am and 1:00pm at Holy Family Church

Confirmation

Parent Meeting

Sunday, September 27th - 11:15 - 11:45 am at Holy Family Parish Center

Candidate/Sponsor Retreat (WITH SPONSOR)

Saturday, February 27th - 10:00 am-12:00 pm at St. Paul New Middletown

Confirmation Retreat and Mass

(To be determined)

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper

Thursday, March 25th - TBD (meet in Parish Center one hour before the service)

Confirmation Practice

(To be determined)

Confirmation

(To be determined by Diocese)