

**OCIA 2026-2027**  
**Presenter's Calendar Thursdays 7pm**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>	<b>HANDOUTS</b>
September 24, 2026	Introduction to OCIA & In Search of God	<i>Team</i>	<i>Q1 - Q3, C1</i>
October 1, 2026	Jesus the Christ	<i>Fr. Jose</i>	<i>Q4</i>
October 8, 2026	Intro to Scripture	<i>Sean Golden</i>	<i>Q5 - Q6</i>
October 15, 2026	How Catholics Interpret Scripture	<i>Lou Ann Tannaz</i>	<i>C10</i>
October 22, 2026	Church Leaders & Saints	<i>Gloria Sinacore</i>	<i>Q12-Q15</i>
November 12, 2026	Holy Spirit & The Church	<i>Fr. Joseph Sebastian</i>	<i>C11-C12 &amp; Q12-Q16</i>
November 19, 2027	Prayer & Spirituality & Advent	<i>Pam Fischer</i>	<i>Q7 - Q8 &amp; E6</i>
December 3, 2026	Sacraments - <i>Baptism &amp; Confirmation</i>	<i>Sean Golden</i>	<i>C2 - C4</i>
December 6, 2026	<b><i>*Rite of Acceptance &amp; Welcoming - Sunday, 11AM Mass - (All Participants)</i></b>		
December 17, 2026	Sacraments - <i>Eucharist</i>	<i>Pam Fischer</i>	<i>C5</i>
January 7, 2027	The Mass	<i>Gloria Sinacore</i>	<i>Q9-Q10</i>
January 14, 2027	Church Tour	<i>Gloria Sinacore</i>	<i>Q11</i>
January 21, 2027	Sacraments of Service - <i>Marriage &amp; Holy Orders</i>	<i>Fr. Jose Goopio/ Lou Ann Tannaz</i>	<i>C2, C8 - C9</i>
January 28, 2027	Principles of Catholic Morality - Lent	<i>Lou Ann Tannaz</i>	<i>C13 - C15, M6, E2</i>
February 13, 2027	<b><i>*Rite of Sending - Saturday 8:30am Mass (Non-Baptized)</i></b> <i>C1 &amp; E1</i>		
February 18, 2027	Sacraments of Healing - <i>Reconciliation &amp; Anointing of the Sick</i>	<i>Fr. Joseph Sebastian</i>	<i>C6-C7</i>
February 25, 2027	<b><i>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) (All Baptized)</i></b> <i>C6-C7</i>		
February 28, 2027	<b><i>*1st Scrutiny 3rd Sunday of Lent - 11AM Mass (Non-Baptized)</i></b> <i>E3</i>		
March 4, 2027	Call to Social Justice	<i>Sean Golden</i>	<i>C16</i>
March 6, 2027	<b><i>Presentation of the Creed - Saturday, 8:30am Mass (Non-Baptized)</i></b> <i>E4</i>		
March 7, 2027	<b><i>*2nd Scrutiny - 4th Sunday of Lent - 11AM Mass (Non-Baptized)</i></b> <i>E3</i>		
March 11, 2027	Call to Ministry	<i>Team</i>	<i>M1 - M4</i>
March 14, 2027	<b><i>*3rd Scrutiny 5th Sunday of Lent - 11AM Mass (Non-Baptized)</i></b> <i>E3</i>		
March 18, 2027	Summary, Evaluation and Potluck	<i>Team</i>	<i>M5, M7-M8, E5&amp;E7</i>
March 20, 2027	<b><i>Presentation of the Lord's Prayer - Saturday 8:30am Mass (Non-Baptized)</i></b> <i>E6</i>		
March 24, 2027	<b><i>*Practice for Vigil (6:30 - 8:30 pm)</i></b> <i>(Only for those being Baptized or making a Profession of Faith)</i>		
March 27, 2027	<b><i>*Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil 7:30 pm (Arrive by 6:30 pm)</i></b> <i>E8</i>		
May 13, 2027	<b><i>First Eucharist (Communion) Practice - St. Matthew ~ Thursday 6:30pm</i></b>		

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May 15, 2027      ***First Eucharist (Communion) - St. Matthew ~ Saturday 10:00am C5***  
*(For those already baptized Catholic who have not received First Eucharist)*

**Rite of Election with Bishop - Unbaptized Adults. Date: TBA C1 & E1**

**\*Adult Confirmation Practice Date: TBA**

**\*Adult Confirmation with Bishop at St. Matthew Date: TBA C4**

**\* = Sponsor/godparent required**

***Additional Non-Class Dates to remember: HO = Holy Day of Obligation***

November 1, 2026	All Saints' Day - HO	<i>Q10, Q14-Q15</i>
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November 2, 2026	All Souls' Day	<i>Q10, Q14-Q15</i>
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December 8, 2026	Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary -HO	<i>Q10 &amp; Q14</i>
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December 12, 2026	Our Lady of Guadalupe	
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December 25, 2026	The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas) - HO	<i>Q10</i>
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January 1, 2027	Mary Mother of God	<i>Q14</i>
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February 10, 2027	Ash Wednesday – Lent begins (ash distributions times tba)	<i>C2, C6 - C7</i>
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March 21, 2027	Palm Sunday (Beginning of Holy Week) - HO	<i>E7</i>
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March 25, 2027	Holy Thursday (start of the Easter Triduum)	<i>E7</i>
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March 26, 2027	Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)	<i>E7</i>
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March 27, 2027	Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)	<i>E7</i>
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March 28, 2027	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord - HO	<i>E7</i>
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