



Saint Michael Parish 2026-2027 Faith Formation Registration

Please register by June 5 to help us prepare for classes.

The link to register

<https://giving.myparishsoft.io/App/Form/629dbb91-776a-48dd-92b6-7be62298e4dd>

The QR Code



For those new to our parish, we want to give a brief description of the programs to help you with registering your child(ren).

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori style way of learning faith. These classes are on Tuesday evenings on the 2nd floor of our old parish school building. Level I Atrium for children ages 3-6 meets 6-7PM. Level II/III Atrium for children 6-12 meets 5:45-7:15PM.

Good News Center is our traditional religious education classes found next to the New Lothrop Elementary School. This is for our release-time religion program, in which students in grades 1st-8th are released from class an hour a week to attend religion.

Sacramental Prep is for 2nd grade First Reconciliation & Eucharist. When you register for this your child will be on our list to receive these sacraments at our parish. You are also registering yourself for the parent sessions.

Confirmation Sessions: We run Confirmation Prep every two years. For the 2026/27 School year we are in year two. Those registering should have already completed year one. Please note those entering grades 6th & 7th will register for confirmation in the 2027/28 and 2028/29 school years.

8th Grade Small Groups: This is a new program that will meet on Sunday mornings on the days students do NOT meet for Confirmation sessions. This program will only happen if we have leaders AND it will take the place of the 8th grade GNC class.

High School Youth Ministry Girl/Boy Small Groups: We are continuing to transition into a new style of youth ministry that meets in small groups twice a month, gathers periodically as a whole group, and participates in parish events & service projects. Currently, we have a group of young men that meets on Monday evening from 6-7PM and a young lady's group that meets on Sunday evening 6:30-8PM.

Several of our programs use the Band App for communications. When you receive the schedule for the year it will include the QR Code to join that, please do so. Our Good News Center uses grade level email for communication.

For questions, please contact Kelly Knieper at (989)845-7011 ext. 3 or Kelly.knieper@stmichaelmaplegrove.org