Religious Education Sacramental Prep and Family Formation 2025 – 2026 Schedule

Family Formation consists of all families with children in grades 1st -7th registered for Religious Education enrolled in Family Formation and/or Sacramental Preparation.

All Family Formation parents are given curriculum workbooks to do at home, https://aliveinchrist.osv.com/family/in_the_home/grade_1/187

All families are invited to come together with other parish families most First Saturdays. **First Saturdays** are an opportunity for all families to come together for Devotions, Mass and a potluck with the parish. Liturgical Living materials will be sent home.

Family workshops will be put on quarterly for Family Formation.

Sacramental Prep If your child is of age to prepare for any of their sacraments, the classes listed are Wednesday's 6:00 - 7:00 PM

- 1 **First Communion, Conf. Rm 1** baptized 2nd graders will receive First Holy Communion on April 25 at 4:00 p.m. Mass
- 2 **RCIC Catechumens, Rm. 206** children grades 4th-7th without Baptism-all sacraments will be received at the Easter vigil April 4 at 7:00 p.m. Mass
- 3 **RCIC Candidates, Rm. 206** children grades 4th 7th who need First Communion and Confirmation-will receive both on April 26 at 11:00 a.m. Mass
- 4 RCIC Catechumens, Rm. 205- youth grades 8th-12th without Baptism-all sacraments will be received at the Easter Vigil on April 4 at 7:00 p.m. Mass
- 5 **RCIC Candidates Rm. 205** youth grades 8th-12th who need First Communion & Confirmation- both sacraments will be received on April 26, at 11:00 a.m. Mass
- 6 **Youth Confirmation Conf. Rm 2** youth grades 7th-9th who are baptized and received First Communion will receive the sacrament of Confirmation on April 26 at 11:00 a.m. Mass:

August 20 Family Night Conference Rooms 1 & 2 after 6:00 p.m. Mass

August 27 Sacramental Preparation classes

September 3 Sacramental Preparation classes

September 6 First Saturday Devotions, Mass, & potluck

September 10 Sacramental Preparation classes

September 17 Family Night Conference Rooms 1 & 2 after 6:00 p.m. Mass

September 24 Sacramental Preparation classes

October 1 Sacramental Preparation classes

October 4 First Saturday Devotions, Mass

October 8 Sacramental Preparation classes

October 15 Sacramental Preparation classes

October 22 Sacramental Preparation classes

October 29 Trunk or Treat – 6:00 p.m. Back Parking Lot for all parish families

November 1 First Saturday Devotions, Mass, & potluck

November 5 *Saints Festival*-5:30-7:30 p.m. Children dress as saints, families attend Mass, & participate in a chili cookoff

November 12 Sacramental Preparation classes

November 19 No class

November 26 No class Thanksgiving Break

November 29 Saturday Advent Family workshop 8:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

December 3 Sacramental Preparation classes

December 5 *Cookies & Cocoa* 5:00-6:00 p.m. children ages 4-11 bring a shoe for St. Nick to fill, families bring cookies to share

December 6 Breakfast with Saint Nick Saturday 9-11AM

December 10, 17, 24 & 31 No class

January 3 First Saturday Devotions, Mass, & potluck

January 7 Sacramental Preparation classes

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January 21 Sacramental Preparation classes

January 28 Sacramental Preparation classes

February 4 Sacramental Preparation classes

February 7 First Saturday Devotions, Mass, & potluck

February 11 Sacramental Preparation classes

February 18 No class Ash Wednesday Mass at 7:00 PM

February 25 No class

February 28 Saturday Lent Family workshop 9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

March 4 Sacramental Preparation classes

March 7 First Saturday Devotions, Mass, & potluck

March 11 Sacramental Preparation classes

March 18 No class Spring Break

March 25 No class

April 1 No class Holy Week

April 4 Saturday Easter Vigil, unbaptized children who are receiving all of their sacraments will have a 10 a.m. practice and attend the 7 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass

April 8 Sacramental Preparation classes

April 15 Sacramental Preparation classes

April 22 No class

April 25 Saturday First Holy Communion for 2nd graders 4:00 p.m. Mass (**children arrive at 3 p.m.** to Conf. Rm 1) Cake reception to follow in Parish Center

April 26 Sunday Sacrament of CONFIRMATION at 11:00 a.m. Mass (Youth and sponsors arrive immediately after 9:00 a.m. Mass) Potluck reception to follow in Parish Center

June 20 Saturday Family Mass workshop

Vacation Bible School July 27-31