

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

PROGRAM CALENDAR*

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Schedule Overview

Sunday sessions are held in the Coleman Center from 11:30am - 12:30pm

Wednesday Sessions are held on Zoom from 7pm - 8:30pm.

Both Sunday and Wednesday sessions are required.

Sundays

- 8/31: Knowing and Desiring God, Revelation and Faith
- 9/7: Introduction to Prayer and the Sacraments
- 9/14: No session - 10am Installation Mass of Fr. Will
- 9/21: The Most Holy Trinity
- 9/28: Creation and the Fall
- 10/5: Encountering Jesus in the Scriptures
- 10/12: Jesus Christ: True God and True Man
- 10/19: Jesus Christ: Our Savior and Redeemer
- 10/26: The Holy Spirit
- 11/2: The Church
- 11/9: The Blessed Virgin Mary and the Communion of Saints
- 11/16: Baptism and Confirmation
- 11/23: The Eucharist
- 11/30: No session - Thanksgiving break
- 12/7: The Mass and Liturgical Prayer
- 12/14: Confession
- 12/21: No Session - Christmas Break
- 12/28: No Session - Christmas Break
- 1/4: Marriage
- 1/11: Happiness and the Christian Moral Life
- 1/18: Law and the Ten Commandments
- 1/25: The Life of Grace
- 2/1: Faith
- 2/8: The Virtue of Hope and the Last Things
- 2/15: Love of God, Love of Neighbor
- 2/22: Prudence and Conscience
- 3/1: Living Out Catholic Teaching in a Secular Society
- 3/8: Beatitudes and the Gifts of the Holy Spirit
- 3/15: Priesthood and Religious Life
- 3/22: Justice
- 3/29: *Session at 12:30pm: Temperance and Chastity
- 4/5: No sessions - Easter Sunday
- 4/12: Divine Mercy Sunday prayer service after 10am Mass
- 4/19: Introduction to the Mystagogy
- 4/26: Mental Prayer
- 5/3: Frequent Confession, Holy Communion, Eucharistic Adoration
- 5/10: No Session - Mother's Day
- 5/17: Sacred Study: Scripture and Spiritual Reading
- 5/24: No Session - Pentecost
- 5/31: Mary, the Saints, and Devotions
- 6/7: Stewardship and Handing on the Faith



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Wednesdays

Every Wednesday from 9/10 - 5/20

Except: 11/26, 12/24, 12/31, 2/18, 4/1, 4/22

Wednesday sessions are held in collaboration with St. Vincent de Paul in Huntington Beach, and provide formation that supplements the Sunday sessions.

rites

Mandatory, only for those who have not been Baptized, or who were Baptized outside of the Catholic Church.

RITE OF ENTRANCE INTO THE CATECHUMENATE

Date TBD

Will occur during the 10am Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe

ANOINTING OF CATECHUMEN

Date TBD

Will occur during the 10am Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe

RITE OF ELECTION

Date and time TBD

Christ Cathedral, Garden Grove

SCRUTINIES

March 8, March 15, March 22

During the 10am Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe

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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS

- Mass attendance every Sunday
- Sessions on Sundays and Wednesdays
- Meeting with an OLG staff or clergy member
- *For OCIA only:* Dismissals every Sunday during the 10am Mass until Easter Sunday (except the Sundays that we do not have sessions)
- *For OCIA only:* Rites

DRESS CODE POLICY

- The Church is a sacred space where we are in the Real Presence of Our Lord in the Eucharist
 - Clothing with inappropriate images are not permitted
 - Women
 - Shoulders covered, neckline modest, skirt/dress at or below the knee
 - No strapless, backless, low-cut, or excessively tight clothing
 - Midriff must be covered (no crop tops or cutouts)
 - Men
 - Pants and shorts must be on waist
 - No tank tops

ABSENCE AND MAKE-UP POLICY

- **Only 3 unexcused absences for Sunday sessions, and 3 unexcused absences for Wednesday sessions**
- **Unexcused absences must be given with at least a week of notice for approval**
- **Excused absences are absences due to a sudden emergency (i.e. illness, death of family member, etc.)**
- **All absences must be made up by completing the make-up assignment**
 - **For Sunday Sessions:** Read the chapter(s) that you missed in the book, write a short reflection (one paragraph) and email it to Kimberly
 - **For Wednesday Sessions:** Read the recap email that will be sent out by Cathy Wallace, watch the videos included, and write a short reflection (one paragraph) and email it to Kimberly

RECEPTION OF THE SACRAMENTS

FOR OCIA ONLY: SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION SCHEDULED TO BE RECEIVED AT THE EASTER VIGIL MASS SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 2026

YOU WILL CONTINUE ATTENDING SESSIONS UNTIL MID-JUNE PER THE CALENDAR

FOR THOSE ALREADY BAPTIZED CATHOLIC: SACRAMENTS SCHEDULED TO BE RECEIVED ON PENTECOST SUNDAY AT THE 10AM MASS SUNDAY, MAY 24 AT 10AM

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