



FAITH FORMATION NEWSLETTER

OUR LADY OF THE HOLY ROSARY PARISH

UPCOMING EVENTS

* Giving Tree Tags

December 6 & 7, 2025

Gifts are due during weekend masses.

Volunteers need to organize gifts. Use sign-up link to register for service hours.

* Immaculate Conception mass

December 8, 7pm

Holy Day of Obligation
Highschool students to attend / volunteer at mass.
Everyone is welcome.

* Prayer around the crib

December 15, 7pm

Advent prayer service
Highschool students to attend. Everyone is welcome.

* Upcoming Class Dates

December 8 & 9 - Class
December 15 & 16 - Class

**December 22 - January 20
NO CLASS**

We can't fit it all in here. Be sure to visit our [website](#) and check the [bulletin](#) for additional information each week.

Prayer Leaders

Thank you to our students who helped to lead our Elementary classes in prayer this week.



What's happening

Our Middle Schoolers attended their baby shower during class this week. We are very grateful to the students and families for your generosity.

The space around our Christmas tree was full! It was beautiful!

We also made nativity scenes (instead of gingerbread houses. Keep an eye out for the opportunity to vote on their work.



Ways to Pray with your Kids

Create your own family Advent calendar. Each day, list a special intention to pray for as a family.

Display an Advent wreath in your home and talk about how your family can prepare for Jesus' arrival.



Middle School Student Focus

Today your youth got to go to a baby shower. They played some classic baby shower games to bring home the point that during Advent we wait in joyful anticipation for the birth of Jesus.

They listened to the Gospel narrative from Luke 2:1-20 about the birth of Jesus and talked about the importance of keeping the true meaning of Christmas at the center of their lives this Advent season.

Scripture:

Luke 2:1-20



Testing the life rafts made earlier in the semester.



High School Student Focus

This week, students completed lessons from the Circle of Grace.

Next week, confirmation students will attend mass with a parent(s) to celebrate the Immaculate Conception. The following week, we will have the prayer around the crib service.

These services are open to all to join.

Student Challenge

Pray for new moms and expectant mothers during this Advent Season.

Family Reflection Questions

Ask your student:

Middle School:

- Why is Advent so important?
- What is the true meaning of Christmas?
- What are some things that we can do as a family to keep Christ at the center of all our Christmas celebrations this year?

Highschool:

- What message did you get from this week's lesson?

Resources for individuals and families

Visit our website at www.olohr.com to learn more about upcoming events, find opportunities to serve, read the latest bulletin, and access additional online resources

[Diocese of Baton Rouge](#)

[Catechism of the Catholic Church](#)

[New American Bible via USCCB](#)

formed.org

(lots of videos for kid and adult learning)

Advent resources

Get Involved!

Volunteer for an on-campus ministry at: <https://www.olohr.com/ministries> or

[Service Hours Sign-up](#)