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ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sacraments for Adults
OCIA Adult Inquirer Form



2026-2027

- Thursday Class 6-8 PM
- No Session
- OCIA Events (attendance required)
- Holy Day/Special Mass: See Bulletin

- Not Baptized attends
- Baptized Non-Catholic attends
- Baptized Catholic attends
- Sponsor or Proxy must attend

September						
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August 27th: First class
 27: Welcome to your Journey of Faith,
 What is Faith? ✠✠✠∞ Q1/Q2
 3: Holy Trinity/Who is Jesus? Q3/Q4
 10: Prayer Life/Catholic Prayers
 and Practices Q7/Q8
 17: Potluck
 24: Divine Revelation/ The Bible
 29: Annulment Paperwork due Q5/Q6

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1: Church Shepherds/Church
 Community Q12/Q13
 8: The Church Year/Church Tour
 Q10/Q11
 15: The Mass/The Eucharist Q9/C5
 22: Mary/The Saints Q14/Q15
 29: No Class
 31: All Paperwork due: checklist

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1st - All Saints Day: Holy day of
 obligation
 5: Eschatology/ OCIA Rites/
 Process Q16/C1
 12: The People of God/ The
 Sacraments: An Introduction
 C10/C2
 19: Potluck
 21: Rite of Acceptance/Welcoming
 @ 5:30pm mass ✠✠✠∞
 26: Thanksgiving-No Class

December						
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3: The Early Church (Pentecost)
 Church History C11/C12
 8: Immaculate conception
 10: Sacraments of Matrimony/
 Holy Orders C8/C9
 17: OCIA Class Xmas Potluck
 24: No Class
 25: No Session: Christmas Break

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1st -Solemnity of Mary-Holy
 Day of obligation
 7: Sacraments of Baptism/
 Confirmation C3/C4
 14: Sacrament of Penance/
 Anointing of the Sick C6/C7
 21: Moral Living/Dignity of Life
 C13/C14
 28: Ethic of Life/Social Justice
 C15/C16

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4: Living Lent E2
 10: Ash Wednesday
 11: Election: Saying "Yes" to E1
 Jesus/ Commandments (1&2)
 13: Rite of Sending @ 5:30 pm
 14: Rite of Election Venice ✠✠✠∞
 18: Scrutinies/Commandments
 (3&4) E3
 25: Creed/ Commandments
 (5&6) E4
 27: 1st Scrutiny @ 5:30pm ✠✠✠∞

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4: Way of the Cross/
 Commandments (7&8) E5
 6: 2nd Scrutiny @ 5:30pm ✠✠✠∞
 11: Lord's Prayer/
 Commandments (9&10) E6
 13: 3rd Scrutiny @ 5:30pm ✠✠✠∞
 18: Holy Week E7
 20: Easter Retreat & 1st
 Reconciliation ✠✠✠✠∞ E8
 26: Good Friday
 27: Easter Vigil @ 8:30pm
 28: Easter

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1: Call to Holiness/Family Life
 M2/M7
 8: Spiritual Gifts/Discernment
 M3/M4
 15: Our Call to Holiness /
 Living the virtues M5/M6
 22: A Lifelong Process /
 Evangelization M1/M8

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6: Ascension of Jesus
 16: Pentecost ✠✠✠∞



Goal:

- Become further acquainted with Jesus Christ.
- Deepen the life of prayer, especially by the habit of regular participation in the Mass.
- Begin to experience the joy of belonging to the Catholic community.
- Be enriched by the teachings of the Catholic Church.
- Take steps on the journey of conversion away from sin and toward the life of grace.
- Receive the blessings Jesus offers through the Sacraments.

Checklist for the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

Reach out to us early with any concerns; we are here to work with you to make the best plan for you.

- ❑ **Meet with Father Prior to First Class** (by the first class **8/28/26**).
- ❑ Complete Inquiry Form (by the first class **8/28/26**).
- ❑ Complete Annulment Paperwork (by **9/30/26**).
- ❑ Participate in classes, events, and Masses on the OCIA calendar. Family and sponsors are welcome to attend anything on this calendar. (Note: a means your Sponsor is required to attend.)
- ❑ Turn in certificate(s) by **10/31/26**. If your legal name has changed, turn in a copy of your driver's license.
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- ✚ Unbaptized: Turn in a copy of the Birth certificate.
- ✚ Baptized Non-Catholic: Turn in a copy of the Baptism certificate.
- ✚ Baptized Catholic, need First Communion and Confirmation: Turn in a copy of the Baptism certificate.
- ✚ Baptized Catholic, need Confirmation only: Turn in copy of Baptism & First Communion certificates.
- ❑ Turn in completed Sponsor form by **10/31/26**. A local Sponsor is best since their role is to assist throughout preparation and beyond; if you do not know anyone qualified, we can help you find someone.
- ❑ Complete the Saint Essay about a Catholic saint of the same gender as the candidate by **2/04/27**.
- ❑ For possible marriage impediments, those who are married outside the Catholic Church, engaged, living together, or are unsure if this applies to you:
 - Meet with Father during the month of September.
 - Marriage to be blessed by the Sacrament of Matrimony or other resolution by **2/04/27**.

What if I'm going to miss something?

We look forward to working closely with you during this year of intense preparation. Each session has a corresponding video and study guide that will be posted on the church website.

Session Information:

Information for all sessions will be posted to the Parish Web Site:

<https://www.cabriniparrish.org/adult-formation>

- Agendas
- Schedules
- Class Videos
- Resources

Dress Code for Candidates and Sponsors for the celebration of the Sacraments

For gentlemen, a button-down dress shirt of any color (short or long sleeved), dress pants, neck/bow tie of any color, and dress shoes; a sport coat is optional.

For ladies, any modest dress suitable for a special occasion is appropriate. Spaghetti straps, bare shoulders or midriffs, and low necklines are not appropriate. Dresses must reach the knees. Heels must be no more than 1 inch. No full-length dresses or petticoats (they are a tripping hazard), no pants or gloves.

Nothing else should be carried by the candidates or sponsors at Mass such as cell phones, purses, prayer books, bibles, flowers, rosaries, or candles.

You are expected to complete all Paperwork and sacramental/marriage-related requirements?

Including: Previous marriages/divorces, Marriages/convalidations, Marriage Retreat (for full marriages) or Marriage Online Course (for convalidations)