

Catechist Volunteer Application 2025-2026

Family Mass 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM, Church

Middle School & High School Youth Group (Grades 7 - 12) – Sundays

Youth Mass 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Youth Dinner 6:45 PM to 7:15 PM, Parish Center

Youth Group 7:15 PM to 8:30 PM, Parish Center

Year 1 Confirmation Prep students (Grade 8) must attend youth group or family formation classes.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

CATECHETICAL VOLUNTEER HISTORY

Please list your previous catechetical volunteer activities.

Include the name of the parish, the number of years in ministry, and the grade levels taught.

CATECHETICAL TRAINING / EDUCATION

Please list your catechetical training and education experience.

Please include the name each course, as well as when and where it was taken.

PERSONAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Thank you for your interest in serving as a catechist of children, youth or adults at San Antonio! While formal training is not required for beginners, the parish seeks catechists who can answer "Yes" to the following questions. Check those to which you can honestly answer "Yes."

- ☐ Do I love God - Father, Son (Jesus) and Holy Spirit - and seek to do God's will?
- ☐ Am I a registered member of San Antonio Parish?
- ☐ Am I a fully initiated Catholic (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation) who attends Saturday Vigil or Sunday Mass and receives the Eucharist weekly when reasonably possible?
- ☐ Do I live a chaste single life (not cohabiting) or am I faithful to a Sacramentally valid marriage?
- ☐ Do I agree that I will teach only the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church as stated in the Catechism of the Catholic Church?
- ☐ Will I try to learn more about Catholic teaching and participate in training when possible?
- ☐ Will I do my best to act and speak only in ways that are consistent with Church teaching?
- ☐ Am I willing to complete the Safe Environment forms, training & fingerprinting required by the Diocese of Venice?
- ☐ Will I only use materials approved by the Director of Religious Education (DRE) and use a written lesson plan.
- ☐ Will I adhere to curriculum standards of the Diocese of Venice or the parish as applicable?
- ☐ Will I do my best to be present for classes at least 15 minutes early and notify the DRE as soon as I know if I must miss a class or be late?

AFFIRMATION OF FACTS

All parish volunteers, ages 18 and up, who serve children or vulnerable adults must also complete fingerprinting, clearance forms, and Safe Environment Training PRIOR to beginning their service in ministry.

If approved for catechetical ministry at San Antonio Catholic Church, I agree to complete fingerprinting as soon as possible, to fill out all clearance forms, and complete all Safe Environment Training before beginning service in my respective ministry.

X

Signature of Applicant

X

Date