

2020 - 2021 ST. JOSEPH'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR

1st - 5th grades – *AT HOME LEARNING*

Family Catechesis Year II – *SUNDAYS, 10:10 - 11:10 a.m. (Sept.-Nov.)*

6th - 7th grades; – *TUESDAYS, 6:30 - 7:45 p.m.*

8th - 9th grades; – *WEDNESDAYS, 6:30 - 7:45 p.m.*

Confirmation – *2nd SUNDAY of the month, 4-7 p.m.*

- **Aug. 25 Tues.** PARENT Orientation/Registration (Last names that begin with A-L) 6:00 p.m. – church
- **Aug. 26 Wed.** PARENT Orientation/Registration (Last names that begin with M-Z) 6:00 p.m. – church

These students will finish up last year's 2nd grade RE program, (started last year 2019-2020), in order to make their First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion in 2020-2021:

- Sept. 3 Th. Last year's 2nd graders and parent, session #1, 6-8 p.m.
- Sept. 10 Th. Last year's 2nd graders and parent, session #2, 6-8 p.m.
- Sept. 17 Th. Last year's 2nd graders and parent, session #3, 6-8 p.m.
- Sept. 24 Th. Last year's 2nd graders and parent, session #4, 6-8 p.m.
- Sept. 30 Wed. ** FIRST RECONCILIATION ** 6 p.m. in the church**
- Oct. 1 Th. Last year's 2nd graders and parent, session #5, 6-8 p.m.
- *Oct. 7 Wed. Last year's 2nd graders and parent, session #6, 6-8 p.m. **and 1st Communion practice**
- Oct. 10-11, 24-25 ** FIRST HOLY COMMUNION **** – Last year's 2nd graders – *during the Mass with their family*

These students will finish up the Family Catechesis – Year II program (started last year 2019-2020) In order to make their First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion in 2020-2021:

- Sept. 13 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #1, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Sept. 20 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #2, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Sept. 27 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #3, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Oct. 4 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #4, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Oct. 11 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #5, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Oct. 18 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #6, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Oct. 25 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #7, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Nov. 1 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #8, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Nov. 4 Wed. ** FIRST RECONCILIATION ** and 1st Communion practice for FC-II – 6 p.m. in the church**
- Nov. 8 Sun. **FC-Year II and parents, session #9, 10:10-11:10 a.m.**
- Nov. 14-15 ** FIRST HOLY COMMUNION **** – FC-Year II – *during the Mass with their family*

These Confirmation students (& those who missed a session in 2019-2020) will attend ALL sessions, in order to get Confirmed in 2020-2021:

- Sept. 13 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #1, 4-7 p.m.**
- Oct. 11 Sun. Confirmation Investiture Ceremony, 9 a.m. Mass**
- Oct. 11 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #2, 4-7 p.m.**
- Nov. 8 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #3, 4-7 p.m.**
- Dec. 13 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #4, 4-7 p.m.**
- Jan. 10 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #5, 4-7 p.m.**
- ? TBA **Confirmation RETREAT**
- Feb. 14 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #6, 4-7 p.m.**
- *March 7 Sun. Confirmation Commitment Ceremony – during 9 a.m. Mass for Candidates/Sponsors**
- *March 7 Sun. **Confirmation – candidates/sponsors; class #7, 4-7 p.m.**
- TBA **Confirmation Blessing Ceremony, Practice, and Reconciliation, 6 p.m.**
- TBA ****CONFIRMATION** during the _____ Mass – *for last year's and this year's candidates***

These LAST YEAR students will finish up last year's RE program, in order to advance to their current school year in RE:

Sept. 1	Tue. Class – last year's 6 th & 9 th graders
Sept. 2	Wed. Class – last year's 7 th & 8 th graders
Sept. 8	Tue. Class – last year's 6 th & 9 th graders
Sept. 9	Wed. Class – last year's 7 th & 8 th graders
Sept. 15	Tue. Class – last year's 6 th & 9 th graders
Sept. 16	Wed. Class – last year's 7 th & 8 th graders
Sept. 22	Tue. Class – last year's 6 th & 9 th graders
Sept. 23	Wed. Class – last year's 7 th & 8 th graders
Sept. 29	Tue. Class – last year's 6 th & 9 th graders
Sept. 30	Wed. Class – last year's 7 th & 8 th graders

This schedule is for 2020-2021 and THIS YEAR's students:

Sept. 20 Sun.	RE OPENING MASS / Catechetical Sunday, 9 a.m. Mass – <u>for Catechists, ALL students & parents</u>		
Oct. 4	Sunday lessons #1 due for 1st-5th graders		
Oct. 4	St. Francis Blessing of the Pets – VIRTUAL during Mass (9/23 - deadline to submit pet photos via email)		
Oct. 6	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades		
Oct. 7	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades		
Oct. 7	PARENT MEETING for 9TH grade parents – 6:45 p.m. in the church		
Oct. 11	Sunday lessons #2 due for 1st-5th graders		
Oct. 13	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades		
Oct. 14	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades		
Oct. 18	Sunday lessons #3 due for 1st-5th graders		
Oct. 20	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades		
Oct. 21	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades		
Oct. 25	Sunday lessons #4 due for 1st-5th graders		
Oct. 27	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades	Rosary said with both classes in the church	
Oct. 28	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades	Rosary said with both classes in the church	

Nov. 1	Sunday lessons #5 due for 1st-5th graders		
Nov. 3	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades	Reconciliation 6 th graders	
Nov. 4	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades	Reconciliation 8 th graders	
Nov. 8	Sunday lessons #6 due for 1st-5th graders		
Nov. 10	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades	Reconciliation 7 th graders	
Nov. 11	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades	Reconciliation 8 th graders	
Nov. 15	Sunday lessons #7 due for 1st-5th graders		
Nov. 17	Tue. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades	Reconciliation 7 th graders	Letters for Seminarians due
Nov. 18	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades	Reconciliation 9 th graders	Letters for Seminarians due
Nov. 22	Sunday lessons #8 due for 1st-5th graders		
Nov. 24-25	NO CLASSES – Thanksgiving holidays		
Nov. 29	NO SUNDAY LESSONS DUE for 1st-5th graders – Thanksgiving holidays		

Dec. 1	Tues. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades	(ADVENT/St. Nicholas Day)	
Dec. 2	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades	(ADVENT/St. Nicholas Day)	
Dec. 6	Sunday lessons #9 due for 1st-5th graders		
Dec. 8	Tues. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades		
Dec. 9	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades		
Dec. 13	Sunday lessons #10 due for 1st-5th graders		
Dec. 15	Tues. Class – 6 th & 7 th grades		
Dec. 16	Wed. Class – 8 th & 9 th grades		
Dec. 20	Sunday lessons #11 due for 1st-5th graders		
Dec. 22 – Jan.3	NO CLASSES / NO SUNDAY LESSONS DUE for 1st-5th graders – Christmas holidays		

- **Classes to resume on Tuesday, January 5th (6th & 7th graders); Wednesday, January 6th (8th & 9th graders); and Sunday, January 10th (lessons due for 1st-5th graders)**
- **We will reassess over the Christmas holidays if St. Joseph will continue doing RE the same in the 2nd semester.**