

REVISED 2025 - 2026 ST. JOSEPH'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR

Kinder - 5th grades; Sacramental Prep for Older Students – **SUNDAYS, 10:15 - 11:15 a.m.**

6th grade – Pre-Conf.; Family Catechesis Levels I & II – **WEDNESDAYS, 6:30 - 7:45 p.m.**

10th - 12th grades – **1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS, 6:30 - 7:45 p.m.** (Oct.–April. / Exception in Feb. – April)

Confirmation – **1st SUNDAYS of the month, 3-6 p.m.**

A Year of “First in the Continent” Saints

➤ OCTOBER's Saint of the month is St. THOMAS (Asia)

Oct. 19	Sunday Class
Oct. 19	Sacramental Preparation for Older Students and parents, session #7
Oct. 22	Wednesday Class
Oct. 26	Sunday Class
Oct. 26	Sacramental Preparation for Older Students and parents, session #8
Oct. 26 Sun.	1st Communion RETREAT – 2:00-5:00 p.m. for qualifying Sac. Prep. students, parents
Oct. 29	Wednesday Class

➤ NOVEMBER's Saint of the month is St. PETER (Europe)

Nov. 2 Sun.	<u>YOUTH Mass, 9 am – 7th graders in charge</u>
➤ Nov. 2 Sun.	All Saints Presentation by 2nd graders, during the 9am & 11:30am Masses
Nov. 2	Sunday Class
Nov. 2	Sacramental Preparation for Older Students and parents, session #9
Nov. 2 Sun.	Confirmation session #3, for candidates and a parent/sponsor
Nov. 5	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders – RECONCILIATION 9th graders
Nov. 9	Sunday Class - RECONCILIATION 5 th graders
Nov. 9	Sacramental Preparation for Older Students and parents, session #10
Nov. 9	Rite of Election for Sac. Prep. for Older Students, 11:30am Mass
Nov. 9 Sun.	Lifetime of Learning (for adults), 5-6:30 p.m. - “Made to be Saints”
Nov. 12	Wednesday Class – RECONCILIATION 8th graders
Nov. 16	Sunday Class – RECONCILIATION 4 th graders
Nov. 16	Sacramental Preparation for Older Students and parents, session #11
Nov. 19	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders – RECONCILIATION 7th graders
Nov. 23-26	<u>NO CLASSES – Thanksgiving holidays</u>
Nov. 30	Sunday Class – RECONCILIATION for 3 rd graders

➤ DECEMBER's Saint of the month is St. MARK (Africa)

Dec. 3 Wed.	** <u>FIRST RECONCILIATION</u> ** and 1st Communion Practice for <u>Sac. Prep.</u> – 5:00 p.m. in the church
Dec. 3	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders – RECONCILIATION 6th graders
Dec. 6 Sat.	** <u>FIRST RECONCILIATION</u> ** for 2nd grade – 10:30 a.m. in the church
Dec. 7 Sun.	**<u>FIRST HOLY COMMUNION</u>** for <u>Sac. Prep.</u> - done individually during the 9:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. Masses
Dec. 7 Sun.	<u>YOUTH Mass, 9 am – 5th graders in charge</u>
Dec. 7	Sunday Class
Dec. 7 Sun.	Confirmation session #4, for candidates and a parent/sponsor
Dec. 7 Sun.	Lifetime of Learning (for adults), 5-6:30 p.m. - “Trust in God”
Dec. 10	Wednesday Class – RECONCILIATION FC-I and FC-II
Dec. 14	Sunday Class
Dec. 17	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders
Dec. 21-Jan. 4	<u>NO CLASSES – Christmas holidays</u>

➤ **JANUARY's Saint of the month is ST. ROSE OF LIMA (South America)**

Jan. 4 Sun.	Confirmation session #5 , for candidates and a parent/sponsor
Jan. 7	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders
*Jan. 11 Sun.	<u>YOUTH Mass, 9 am – 6th graders in charge</u>
Jan. 11	Sunday Class
Jan. 11 Sun.	<i>Lifetime of Learning (for adults), 5-6:30 p.m. “Defending Your Faith: Purgatory”</i>
Jan. 14	Wednesday Class – Empowering God’s Children
Jan. 18	Sunday Class – Empowering God’s Children
Jan. 21	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders
Jan. 25	Sunday Class
Jan. 28	Wednesday Class

➤ **FEBRUARY's Saint of the month is St. KATERI TEKAKWITHA (North America)**

Feb. 1 Sun.	<u>YOUTH Mass, 9 am – 4th graders in charge</u>
Feb. 1	Sunday Class – 2nd & 3rd go to ADORATION
Feb. 1 Sun.	Confirmation session #6, (+ Rite of Election) for candidates and a parent/sponsor
Feb. 4	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders – 6th, 7th & FC-I go to ADORATION
* Feb. 6-8	Confirmation RETREAT – Pax Christi in Brenham (7:30 p.m. Friday – 1 p.m. Sunday)
Feb. 8	Sunday Class
Feb. 11	Wednesday Class – 8th, 9th & FC-II go to ADORATION
Feb. 15	Sunday Class – 4th & 5th go to ADORATION
Feb. 18	<u>NO Wednesday CLASS</u> – Ash Wednesday (students should attend Mass with their family)
Feb. 22	Sunday Class
Feb. 25	Wednesday Class
TBD Sun.	Confirmation Practice
TBD	Confirmation Interviews, 4:30 pm
TBD	**CONFIRMATION** _____ Candidates and sponsors be here by _____

➤ **MARCH's Saint of the month is St. MARY OF THE CROSS MacKILLOP (Australia)**

March 1 Sun.	<u>YOUTH Mass, 9 am – 3rd graders & FC-I in charge</u>
March 1	Sunday Class
March 4	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders
March 8	Sunday Class
March 11	Wednesday Class
March 15-22	<u>NO CLASSES</u> – Spring Break
March 25	Wednesday Class
March 29	Sunday Class – STATIONS of the Cross in church for ALL

➤ **APRIL's Saint of the month is OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS (Antartica)**

April 1	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders – STATIONS of the Cross in church for ALL
April 5	<u>NO CLASS</u> – Easter Sunday; MASS 9 am (English), 11:30 am (Spanish)
April 8	Wednesday Class
April 12	Sunday Class
April 12 Sun.	1st Communion RETREAT – 2:00 p.m. for qualifying 2nd grade students, parents
April 15	Wednesday Class + 10th-12th Graders
April 19	Sunday Class
April 22	Wednesday Class
April 22	1st Communion Practice / Reconciliation – 5 p.m. in the church for qualifying 2nd grade students & parents
April 26	Sunday Class
April 29	Wednesday Class

May 2 Sat.	FIRST HOLY COMMUNION for 2nd Grade - done individually w/ families during the 5:00 pm Mass
May 3 Sun.	FIRST HOLY COMMUNION for 2nd Grade - done individually w/ families during the 9:00 & 11:30 am Masses
May 3	Sunday Class
May 6 Wed.	<u>Mass & May Crowning in church // Awards for ALL students/parents @ 6:30 p.m.</u>