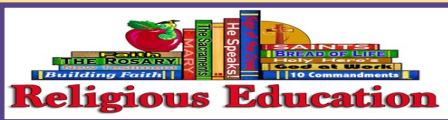


SAINT JOHN XXIII ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Family Catechesis Information:

How does our new Religious Education Program work? Monthly classes will run from September through April. Parent(s) and student must attend. We bring parents and children into the church. We begin with a family prayer service. Then dismiss the children (by grade) to one of the side rooms to meet with teachers. Children will receive instruction on the assigned unit. The parents will remain in the church and receive instruction on the same topic. Then we will get back together for a closing prayer.

The parents will have 4 weeks until the next month's class to continue the conversation and complete the 3 chapter reviews in the unit. These reviews must be turned in to the teacher at the next monthly class. Teachers will review student homework. Family attendance will be monitored by both teachers and the Director of Religious Education (DRE). Should there be a family having trouble meeting the requirements of the program, they will be invited into the DRE's office to discuss the situation and give the child an assessment based upon grade level curriculum to determine readiness and/or advancement in the program.

Along with classes, there will be a few family gatherings. These events will be designed to bring the family together at St John XXIII to help deepen the understanding of community within the church.

Classes will be held here at St John XXII on the second Monday afternoon/evening or second Saturday morning of every month from September-April.

Religious Education 2018-19 Registration Information

The Religious Education Department will be closed for the month of July.

Registration dates for the month of August are listed below.

| <u>Month</u> | <u>Dates</u> | <u>Times</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------|
| August | 1, 2 | 9:00am- 1:00pm | Parish Office |
| | 4 | 9:00am-12:00pm | Parish Office |
| | 7, 8, 9 | 9:00am- 1:00pm | Parish Office |
| | 11 | 9:00am-12:00pm | Parish Office |
| | 14, 15, 16 | 9:00am- 1:00pm | Parish Office |
| | 18 | 9:00am-12:00pm | Parish Office |

(1st year students must provide a copy of Baptismal certificate to register)

LAST DAY TO REGISTER FOR THE 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR IS SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 2019