

# ST. COLUMBKILLE 2017/2018 FAITH FORMATION CALENDAR

(Updated August 24, 2017)

## UPCOMING CATECHIST/LEADER TRAINING DATES

**January 17 – Catechist Prep; January 24 – Catechist In-Service**

<b>FAITH FORMATION SESSION NIGHTS</b> <b>MEET: ST. COLUMBKILLE SCHOOL UNLESS NOTED</b>	<b>SESSION TIMES/LOCATION</b> <b>6:00 PM – 7:30 PM</b>
<p><b><u>WEDNESDAYS – Grades K - 7</u></b></p> <p><b>September *<u>10</u> *<u>20</u>, <u>27</u></b></p> <p><b>October 4, *<u>8</u>, <u>11</u>, <u>18</u>, <u>25</u></b></p> <p><b>November 1, *<u>5</u>, <u>8</u>, <u>15</u>, <u>22</u>, *<u>29</u></b></p> <p><b>December 6, *<u>10</u>, <u>13</u>, <u>20</u>, <u>27</u></b></p> <p><b>January <u>3</u>, <u>7</u>, *<u>10</u>, <u>17</u>, <u>24</u>, *<u>31</u></b></p> <p><b>February *<u>4</u>, <u>7</u>, *<u>14</u>, <u>21</u>, *<u>28</u></b></p> <p><b>March *<u>4</u>, <u>7</u>, <u>14</u>, *<u>21</u>, <u>28</u></b></p> <p><b>April 4, *<u>8</u></b></p> <p><b>* CHECK SPECIAL INFORMATION ABOUT THIS DATE (NEXT COLUMN)</b></p> <p><b>UNLESS NOTED WITH ASTERISK, DATE REFERS TO REGULAR CLASS TIME.</b></p> <p><b>Yellow highlight = NO CLASS THAT NIGHT!</b></p>	<p><b>*<u>September 10</u></b> RE Students attend 10 Am Mass for FIRST RE Class</p> <p><b>*<u>September 20</u></b> Parent/Student Prayer Svc., 6:30 – 7:10 pm; sit with parents</p> <p><b>*<u>October 8</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis</p> <p><b><u>November 5</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis</p> <p><b><u>November 29</u></b> RE Students grades 2-10, Reconciliation w/parent! <b>NO CLASS, GRADES K-1.</b></p> <p><b><u>December 10</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis</p> <p><b><u>January 7</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis</p> <p><b><u>January 10</u></b> <b>*NO CLASS, attend Youth Mass on Sunday, January 7</b></p> <p><b><u>January 31</u></b> 6:20-7:10 pm, Parents attend Class with students!</p> <p><b><u>February 4</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis</p> <p><b><u>February 14</u></b> Ash Wednesday, 6:15 pm, families sit together</p> <p><b><u>February 28</u></b> RE parents/students,(Grades 2-10) go to Church Reconciliation – <b>NO CLASS K-1</b></p> <p><b>*<u>March 4</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis</p> <p><b>*<u>March 21</u></b> ALL GRADES: Meet in Presentation Hall w/families Catholic Roots of the Mass</p> <p><b><u>April 8</u></b> RE Class at 10 AM Mass, with Fr. Davis, <b>LAST RE CLASS!</b></p>

## IMPORTANT SACRAMENT DATES

<b>FIRST RECONCILIATION</b>	<b>FIRST EUCHARIST</b>	<b>CONFIRMATION</b>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY,</b> <b>November 29, 6:15 PM</b> <b>PREP IS DONE WITH</b> <b>CATECHISTS/TEACHERS</b></p>	<p><b><u>SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8</u></b> (FAMILIES ATTEND MASS, Students MEET: 9:50 AM, BACK OF CHURCH; <b>FAMILIES MEET w/Fr. Davis</b>, P-HALL AFTER MASS, 11 AM-11:30 AM</p> <p><b><u>SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28</u></b> FAMILIES ATTEND MASS, <b>STUDENTS MEET</b> IN P-HALL AFTER MASS, SPAGHETTI DINNER, PRACTICE SONG</p>	<p><b><u>SUNDAY, AUGUST 27</u></b> ATTEND MASS ON DUNN FIELD STUDENTS HELP WITH PICNIC</p> <p><b><u>SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10</u></b> ATTEND 10 AM MASS PARENT/STUDENT MEETING AFTER MASS, P-HALL, <b>BRUNCH BY</b> <b>PARISH LIFE COMMITTEE</b></p>

**FIRST EUCHARIST – CONTINUED**

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29**

FAMILIES ATTEND @6:15pm,  
FIRST RECONCILIATION SVC.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10**

GRADE 2 FAMILIES ATTEND 10 AM MASS

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 13 - \*REQUIRED**

Grade 2 PARENT(S)/STUDENT RETREAT, 2:15-5:15 PM  
MEET IN P-HALL

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 20 OR JANUARY 27**

SNOW DATE – MAKE-UP RETREAT

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21**

CATHOLIC ROOTS OF THE MASS  
P-HALL; 6:10 PM – 7:00 PM

**MARCH 24 OR 25 - WEEKEND (SAT/SUN)**

FAMILIES ATTEND MASS OF CHOICE

**STUDENTS MEET IN BACK OF CHURCH FOR PALM**

SUNDAY PROCESSION @9:50 am,

SIT WITH PARENTS AFTER

**STUDENTS PRACTICE SONG AFTER MASS THEY  
ATTEND, P-HALL**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 30**

FAMILIES ATTEND GOOD FRIDAY VENERATION OF THE  
CROSS @ NOON

**SATURDAY, APRIL 21**

**PROFESSIONAL PHOTO, 9 AM, CHURCH**

BRIEF PRACTICE FOLLOWS PHOTOS

ATTIRE: BOYS, SHIRT/TIE & DRESS PANTS

GIRLS: WHITE DRESS & VEIL

**(PLEASE WEAR TO CHURCH)**

**APRIL 28/29**

**WEEKEND (SAT/SUN)**

**ATTEND THE MASS OF YOUR CHOICE**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

**\*\*\* OTHER DATES FOR FAMILIES OF (FE) FIRST  
EUCHARIST STUDENTS:**

**MAY 14/15 – WE INVITE YOUR FE STUDENT TO HELP  
BRING FLOWERS TO OUR LADIES ALTAR. WEAR FIRST  
EUCHARIST ATTIRE AND MEET IN THE BACK OF THE  
CHURCH 10 MINUTES PRIOR TO MASS. MASS OF  
YOUR CHOICE!**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 3 – WE INVITE YOUR FE STUDENT TO  
BE IN THE CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION, WEAR FIRST  
EUCHARIST ATTIRE.**

**CONFIRMATION CONTINUED**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24**

PILGRIMAGE: BUS @ 7:20 AM

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8**

MASS @ 10 AM, CLASS IN P-HALL  
WITH FR. DAVIS, 15 MIN.  
PRESENTATION ON "LIFE OF JESUS"

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11**

**"TO DISCERN GOD'S CALL"**

W/FR. NICK MARCH, CHURCH

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5**

MASS @ 10 AM, CLASS IN P-HALL  
AFER MASS, 15 MINUTE  
PRESENTATION, W/FR. DAVIS,  
**"WE ARE CREATED FOR GOD'S  
PURPOSE"**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10**

MASS @ 10 AM, CLASS IN P-HALL  
WITH FR. DAVIS, 15 MIN.  
PRESENTATION,  
**"HOLY SPIRIT/PENTECOST/7 GIFTS  
OF HOLY SPIRIT"**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 7**

MASS @ 10 AM, CLASS IN P-HALL  
WITH FR. DAVIS, 15 MIN.  
PRESENTATION,  
**"HOW DO WE EXERCISE  
HOLINESS" , ETC."**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

MASS @ 10 AM, CLASS IN P-HALL  
WITH FR. DAVIS, 15 MIN.  
PRESENTATION,  
**"WHY BE CATHOLIC?"  
IMPORTANCE OF MASS, ETC.**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 4**

MASS @ 10 AM, CLASS IN P-HALL  
WITH FR. DAVIS, 15 MIN.  
PRESENTATION,  
**RITE OF CONFIRMATION AND  
LITURGY**

**\*\*\*PARENT/STUDENT  
CONFIRMATION MEETING  
DATE:**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10,  
2017**

**With Brunch, P-Hall**

## **ADDITIONAL CONFIRMATION STUDENT INFO**

### **INTERACTIVE LESSON ACTIVITY IDEAS LISTED BELOW**

1. CHURCH SCAVENGER HUNT WITH CELL PHONE
2. ACT OUT THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM, RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES
3. PLAY A GAME TO TEACH THE LESSON, SUPPLY PRIZES. EUCHARISTIC ADORATION BENEDICTION PRAYER ACTIVITIES.
4. SKIT- ACT OUT A SCRIPTURE PASSAGE, BUTCHER PAPER
5. PRAY THE LITANY OF THE SAINTS USING CHURCH WINDOWS & STATONS OF THE CROSS
6. UNWRAP 7 GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT WITH SOUL BOX. TRIVIA
7. GO TO MT. OLIVET CEMETERY TO ROLE PLAY PENTECOST. PRAY AT LIFE CEMETERY.
8. CONFIRMATION SAINT NAMES ACTIVITY; INTECESSORY PRAYER ACTIVITY
9. ROLE BANDAGES FOR 3<sup>RD</sup> WORLD COUNTRY; GROUP SERVICE
10. GROUP ACTIVITY W/15 QUESTIONS
11. STUDENTS RECEIVE BRICK OR CLAY POT TO PAINT CONFIRMATION NAME ON

### **DVD'S, STORIES & MUSIC VIDEOS FOR CONFIRMATION**

1. GOSPEL ARTIST OF SAINTS
2. SECRET AMBITION
3. THE GOOD NEIGHBOR
4. THIS IS YOUR TIME; THE CATHOLIC DANCE LARGER THAN LIFE, BACKSTREET BOYS
5. CATHOLICSCOMEHOME.COM, OSCAR'S STORY, DANIEL'S STORY; MY NAME – I NAME YOU

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**Fifth, Sixth & Seventh Grade:**