

Church of Corpus Christi

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Dear Parents of Preschool through High School Youth:

We invite you to enroll your child(ren) in the Corpus Christi Faith Formation and Sacramental programs for this fall. We believe that faith formation is a lifelong process and we encourage children, as well as Senior High youth and adults, to grow in their faith. We invite children in PreK - Grade 5 to register for Sunday School and youth in grades 6 - 12 to register for our Wednesday Night program. (Please note that the Preschool Program can be a two-year program for your child. Child must be at least 3 years old and potty-trained.)

Enclosed with this letter you will find a registration form, as well as schedules for the year. All forms can also be found on our website. Please complete the registration form and return it, with payment before September 1. If you register before September 1, you will receive \$20 per child off your tuition. Please see enrollment form for prices. You may use one form to enroll all children, preschool (ages 3-5) through grade 12. This form should also be used to enroll your child(ren) for sacramental preparation (Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and/or Confirmation). See the next page for explanations and expectations for programming and sacraments.

We are asking that each family choose one or more volunteer positions. If you would like to be in and receive a copy of our Faith Formation Family Directory, please indicate this on the registration form.

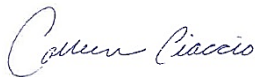
We work hard to make sure that faith formation is available to all families. We offer confidential scholarships and payment plans. Just check the box on the registration form and staff will contact you to discuss options. If you wish to donate to our scholarship program, you may do so on the registration form. We appreciate your generosity!

Please take some time now to copy the faith formation schedules onto your family calendar. You may also upload our calendars from the website: www.churchofcorpuschristi.org. This is a simple way to add the Sunday School, Wednesday Night and Sacrament calendars to your electronic calendars (iPhone, Android, Outlook, etc.) in a couple of clicks!

- **September 5, 7pm** Confirmation Orientation for parents and students
- **September 9, 10am** Sunday School classes begin for preschool through grade 5
- **September 19, 4:45-8:30pm** Middle School NET Retreat
- **September 19, 7pm** Wednesday Night Program begins for Confirmation
- **September 26, 7pm** Wednesday Night Program begins for grades 6 through 8 and Sr. High

May God bless your family!

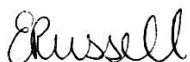
Sincerely,



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Faith Formation Coordinator
PreK-Grade 5
Reconciliation & First Eucharist



Father Marc Paveglio
Pastor



Liz Russell
Teen Faith Formation Coordinator
Grades 6-8, Confirmation, High School

Faith Formation Program Explanations

Sunday Nursery - During Sunday School Sundays, children ages 6 weeks – 3 years are invited for to attend the Sunday Nursery from 10:30am to 11:30am. Adult and teen volunteers staff the nursery. There is no fee or registration required to attend.

Sunday School - Sunday School is held on Sunday mornings during the school year for PreK – Grade 5. Children start class at 10am and are brought to Mass around 11am to join their family for the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Class time includes Liturgy of the Word. There are two Sunday School service projects during the year. Preschool begins at age 3 and must be potty-trained.

Middle School - Faith Formation for Grades 6-8 are held on Wednesday evenings during the school year. Classes start at 7pm in the church with opening prayer time before youth go to their classrooms. Classes end at 8:30pm.

Senior High – Grades 10-12 meet on Wednesday evenings 7-8:30pm. Social Justice and community building activities are held throughout the year.

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist - First Reconciliation and First Eucharist is a home-based, parent-taught program for all students in Grade 2 and up. There will be an informational meeting at the beginning of the school year to prepare parents for teaching their children with the curriculum provided. There is also a morning retreat in the spring that is required for child and parents. All children preparing for sacraments are asked to attend Mass weekly. Students who are not in Catholic school need to also be registered in grade-specific faith formation.

Confirmation - Confirmation preparation is held on Wednesday evenings 7-8:30pm, at the same time as the Middle School and Senior High classes. Confirmation preparation is open to youth in Grades 9 and up. All youth are required to attend a Fall and Spring Retreat and to attend Mass weekly.