



Holy Rosary Parish
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Dear Parents,

It's time to register for religious Education classes! We give you time to adjust to your school and activity schedules before we start Religious Education classes, but we do register now. We hope that you will make this one of your family's priorities. Our children need to be grounded in the love of their family and have knowledge of the love of their God.

⇒ **WE ARE A SUNDAY ONLY PROGRAM** for all age levels. See schedule below.

Our Programs will be held as follows:

- **Pre-School/K for 3,4, & 5(K) year olds** will be held during the 9:00 Mass on **Sunday** beginning **September 27th**. Children are picked up after Mass is over. Please wait until Mass is over to pick them up. It is disturbing to young children when others are picked up early.
- **Good News: A Children's Liturgy of the Word.** Children in Grades 1-6 hear the readings at their level. These classes meet during the 9:00 Mass. Children join their families at the Presentation of Gifts. This program is for **ALL** children in the Parish. This program begins **September 27th**. This class does not replace a Religious Ed class as it teaches the Sunday Gospel only.
- **Grades 1-6** Religious Education classes meet **10:10 until 11:20** on **Sunday** mornings. Children who attend the 11:00 Mass will join their families at the Presentation of Gifts. Classes will begin **September 27th**.

All these classes will meet in Holy Rosary School

- **Junior High** students will meet on Sunday afternoons from 4:30-6. These classes meet in the Youth Room, followed by activities in the gym.

Enclosed you will find a **registration form**. Please fill it out and bring to our registration table after Mass on the weekend of **September 12-13 or September 19-20** or return to the parish office.

Your child's religious education is very important—for the child, for the family, for the parish and for the larger church. We will do whatever we can to help you provide this education for your family. We can provide for "homeschooling" if the above schedule cannot work for your family. We will have special sacramental programs for older children who have not been baptized or received first Reconciliation or first Eucharist. We are looking forward to this coming year and working with you and with your family. We are keeping you in our prayers, please remember us too.

Blessings,

Mary Hupf
Director of Faith Formation