

Faith Formation Calendar

2022-2023

Church of Saint Joseph, St. Joseph, Minnesota

Grades 1-8 (Sundays 9:00-10:15 am)

SEPTEMBER

18 Catechetical Sunday—All Faith Formation Families (Pre-K-Grade 11)
Mass-10:30 am/Welcome Back Luncheon/Meet and Greet the Catechetical Team
and Family Information Packet Pick-Up

OCTOBER

13 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
16 FF Session Onsite: Unit 1: Session 1
23 Home Study: Unit 1 Session 2 (Interactive Review Sent In by 10-29)
27 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
30 FF Session Onsite: Unit 1 Session 3

NOVEMBER

3 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
6 Home Study: Unit 1: Session 4 (Interactive Review Sent in by 11-13)
10 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
13 FF Session Onsite: Unit 1: Session 5
20 FF Session Onsite: Unit 2: Session 6
27 Home Study: Unit 2: Session 7 (Interactive Review Sent in by 12-11)

DECEMBER

1 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
8 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
11 FF Session Onsite: Unit 2: Session 8
18 FF Session Onsite: Unit 2: Session 9
25 Home Study: Unit 2: Session 10 (Interactive Review Sent in by 1-15)

JANUARY

8 Home Study: Unit 3: Session 10 (Interactive Review Sent in by 1-15)
15 FF Session Onsite: Unit 3: Session 11
19 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
22 FF Session Onsite: Unit 3: Session 12
26 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
29 Home Study: Unit 3: Session 13 and Session 5 (Interactive Review Sent in by 2-5)

FEBRUARY

- 5 Home Study: Unit 4: Session 14 (Interactive Review Sent in by 2-12)
- 12 Home Study: Unit 4: Session 15 (Interactive Review Sent in by 2-19)
- 19 FF Session Onsite: Unit 4: Session 16 and Session 4
- 26 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
- 29 FF Session Onsite: Unit 4: Session 17

MARCH

- 5 Home Study: Unit 5: Session 18
- 12 FF Session Onsite: Unit 5: Sessions: 19- 20
- 16 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
- 19 FF Session Onsite: Unit 5: Session 21
- 26 FF Session Onsite: Unit 5: Session 22
- 30 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)

APRIL

- 2 Home Study: Unit 5: Session 23 (Interactive Review Sent in by 2-16)
- 13 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
- 16 FF Session Onsite: Unit 5: Session 24
- 27 IGNITE: Youth Gathering 7:30-8:30 pm (Optional Gathering for Grades 6-12)
- 29 **First Reconciliation at 1:00 pm followed by practice for First Communion**
- 30 FF Session Onsite: Unit 5: Session 25
First Holy Communion Mass at 2:00 pm

Parents and Catechists: In addition to the sessions noted above, please continually refer to the important information in the back matter of the textbook: **“The Year in our Church,” “Prayers and Practices of our Faith,”** referring to the Glossary often.

Faith and Fellowship Gatherings

6:30-8:00 pm-Heritage Hall

Wednesday, October 5

Trivia Night with Gary Bechtold

Actual three-time Jeopardy Champion

Wednesday, December 7:

Message from Fr. Brad, Eucharistic Adoration and Worship and Praise Music.

Wednesday, February 8: Family Jeopardy

Wednesday, April 19: Drill the Priest Question Box Night

Faith Formation Calendar

Confirmation Tracks I, II, III--2022-2023

Church of Saint Joseph, St. Joseph, Minnesota

Grades 9-10-11: 6:30-8:00 pm-Heritage Hall (unless otherwise noted)

SEPTEMBER

18 Catechetical Sunday—All Faith Formation Families (Pre-K-Grade 11)
Mass-10:30 am/Welcome Back Luncheon/Meet and Greet the Catechetical Team
and Family Information Packet Pick-Up

First Session

Grade 11 Only—6:30-8:00 pm
for Candidates, Sponsors and Parents

OCTOBER

2 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
13 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
16 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
27 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
30 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11

NOVEMBER

3 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
10 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 PM (optional)
13 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
20 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11

DECEMBER

1 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
4 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
8 IGNITE (Time to be determined: Feast of the Immaculate Conception)
11 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11

JANUARY

19 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
22 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
26 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
29 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11

FEBRUARY

- 5 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
12 Confirmation NET Retreat: Grade 11: 10:00-4:00 pm
22 IGNITE: Ash Wednesday--(Time to be determined)
26 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11

MARCH

- 16 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
19 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
25 Confirmation Service Retreat: 1:00-7:00 pm--Grade 11
26 FF Session: Grades 9-10 (Grade 11 does not meet).
30 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)

APRIL

- 2 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11
13 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
16 FF Session: Candidates and Sponsors
27 IGNITE: 7:30-8:30 pm (optional)
30 FF Session: Grades 9-10-11

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Sunday, May 7, 2023, at 2:00 pm—at the Abbey Church
(Practice with candidates and sponsors will be at the Abbey Church on Saturday, April 29, 2023).

Faith and Fellowship Gatherings--6:30-8:00 pm-Heritage Hall

Wednesday, October 5

Trivia Night Intro: Carlos Garcia

Actual three-time Jeopardy Champion: Gary Bechtold

Wednesday, December 7

Message from Fr. Brad

Eucharistic Adoration with Worship and Praise Music.

Wednesday, February 8

Family Jeopardy: Intro: Michelle Lahr

Wednesday, April 19

Drill the Priest Question Box Night: Intro: Marian Bach