



Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

## WEDNESDAY EVENINGS CLASSES START SEPT 4, 2024

Wednesdays — Class 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM  
Sundays — Breaking Open the Word - 9:30AM Mass

Hybrid Meetings held in the Meehan Room  
inside the Parish Center and via ZOOM

### *Schedule of Topics and Dates*

#### **PERIOD OF PRECATECHUMENATE/INQUIRY**

- Sept 4 Welcome; God's Plan of Loving Goodness, Q1
- Sept 11 What is Faith? / The Holy Trinity, Q2,Q3
- Sept 18 The Incarnation and Person of Jesus, Q4
- Sept 25 Bible — Scripture & Tradition, Q5
- Oct 2 Divine Revelation, Q6
- Oct 9 Catholic Prayers & Practices; Your Prayer Life, Q7,8
- Oct 16 The Mass, Q9
- Oct 30 The Church - Identity, Leadership, Q12&13
- Nov 6 Mary and the Saints, Q14&15
- Nov 13 ADVENT, The Liturgical Year/Calendar, Q10
- Nov 20 The Church - Tour of Church, Symbolism, Q11
- Nov 26 No Class - Happy Thanksgiving**
- Dec 1 Sunday — ADVENT Begins**
- Dec 4 The Last Things and Purgatory, Q16

**\*\*Sunday, Dec 8 - RITE OF ACCEPTANCE  
@ 9:30 AM Mass †**

#### **PERIOD OF THE CATECHUMENATE**

- Dec 11 The Rosary
- Dec 18 People of God - Old Testament Heroes, C11
- Dec 20 History of the Church, C12

*No Class Dec 24 and Dec 31  
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year*

- Jan 8 Sacraments and Sacramentals, C2
- Jan 15 Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation,  
& Eucharist, C3,4,5
- Jan 22 Sacraments of Healing- Reconciliation and Anointing of  
the Sick, C6&7
- Jan 29 Sacraments of Vocation: Marriage  
and Holy Orders, C8&9
- Feb 5 The Ten Commandments & The Beatitudes
- Feb 12 The Godly Virtues; Christian Moral Living, C13
- Feb 19 The Dignity of Life / Ethics of Life, C14, 15/ Social  
Justice, C16
- Feb 25 Saying Yes to Jesus: What is Lent?, E1&2

*March 5 - Ash Wednesday - Lent Begins - No Class*

**SUNDAY, MARCH 9:**

**RITE OF SENDING † @ 9:30 AM IN CATHEDRAL**

**RITE OF ELECTION † @ 3:00 PM IN CATHEDRAL**

#### **PERIOD OF PURIFICATION AND ENLIGHTENMENT**

- Mar 12 The Way of The Cross, C5
- Mar 19 The Scrutinies, C3
- \*\*Sunday March 3 - First Scrutiny, 8:00 A Mass †**
- Mar 26 Presentation of The Nicene Creed, C4
- \*\*Sunday March 10 - Second Scrutiny, 9:30 A Mass †**
- Apr 2 Precepts of the Church & Faithful Discipleship
- \*\*Sunday March 17 - Third Scrutiny, 11:30 A Mass †**
- Apr 9 Presentation of The Lord's Prayer, C6  
& The Meaning of Holy Week, C7

*April 12 - April 19 - HOLY WEEK - No Class on April 13*

**\*\*Saturday, April 19 - RITE OF INITIATION  
8:00 PM...EASTER VIGIL MASS †**

#### **PERIOD OF MYSTAGOGY**

- Apr 23 Conversion - A Lifelong Process; Family Life, M1,7
- Apr 30 The Laity - Called to Service & Your Special Gifts, M2,3
- May 7 Eastern Rite Liturgy @ St. Therese Byzantine
- \*Sunday, May 11 @ 9:00A - Divine Liturgy @ St. Therese  
Byzantine**
- May 14 Holiness and Your Prayer Life
- May 21 Making a Good Confession
- May 28 *First Confessions;* Evangelization, M8  
Open Questions and RCIA Wrap Up

*Church*

**\*\*Sunday, June 8 - PENTECOST -  
Blessing of the Neophytes †**

**† - Sponsors to attend**