

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Whole Community Catechesis Registration 2024-2025

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Dear St. John the Evangelist Families,

Welcome to St. John Family Catechesis Program. Our Family Program, support the parents as the primary catechist of their children. Developing a strong and lasting faith foundation in our children begins in the home. At St. John, we strive to support both parent and child in their faith development, strengthening the domestic church as well as our parish community.

*Take these words of mine into your heart and soul.....
Teach them to your children, speaking of them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you get up, and write them on the doorposts of your houses and on your gates, so that, as long as the heavens are above the earth, you and your children may live on in the land which the LORD swore to your ancestors he would give them.*

Deuteronomy 11:18-21

As a family centered program, we meet twice a month. Parent only meeting is to learn the catechesis for the month. Family meeting is to build on what was learned at home and grow in faith as a community. Monthly Family Meetings will take place once a month on Sunday 9am to 10 AM Mass. Families are expected to attend Mass as part of our session.

Family participation Requirements:

- All families must register as St John's Parishioner. Parish office is open Monday through Thursday 9 am to 2pm.
- Weekly Sunday Mass is the source and summit of our Catholic faith; attendance is required. Sign-in is required. Attend holy days of obligation as a family, make it important by making time for your faith,
- Regular attendance at parent class and family activities is expected to be a priority. We only meet for family activities 2 times a month, only 1 absence a year from family activity will be acceptable.
- Regular Catechesis discussion, activities and traditions should take place at home.
- Active Participation in the parish community is a vital part of faith development. Therefore, families are encouraged to join in Parish ministries.
 - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. See bulletin for times
 - Become a sponsor
 - Take the family to reconciliation monthly
- Prepare a prayer space. Pray the rosary or Divine Mercy Chaplet at home as a family.
- As a family, parish and community Works of Mercy are integral part of our program.
- Share your families' talents with your parish. Altar servers, choir, lectors, are a great way to worship.

So many ways to live your faith, as you raise your children in the Catholic church. May God Bless you and your family. I look forward to joining you on your family's faith journey.

With Prayer,
Alice Fogarty, Parish Catechetical Leader
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FAMILY NAME		RELIGION: <input type="checkbox"/> CATHOLIC	REGISTERED PARISHIONER? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO _____
MOTHER'S NAME	<input type="checkbox"/> CATHOLIC	PHONE	EMAIL
FATHER'S NAME	<input type="checkbox"/> CATHOLIC	PHONE	EMAIL
GUARDIAN IF APPLICABLE		PHONE	EMAIL
ADDRESS STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP
EMERGENCY CONTACT	RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD	EMERGENCY PHONE	

Grade and age in school as of September 2024:

Copy of Baptismal certificates required for New Students even if your child was baptized at St. Johns.

Please use an additional form for more children.

1 ST CHILD NAME (FIRST AND LAST)	MALE OR FEMALE	DOB	GRADE IN SEPT	STUDENT:	SCHOOL
				<input type="checkbox"/> NEW <input type="checkbox"/> RETURN	
PLACE OF BIRTH	BAPTISM PLACE & DATE		COMMUNION PLACE & DATE		
**MEDICAL CONDITION <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES Please explain:					
2 ND CHILD NAME (FIRST AND LAST)	MALE OR FEMALE	DOB	GRADE IN SEPT	STUDENT	SCHOOL
				<input type="checkbox"/> NEW <input type="checkbox"/> RETURN	
PLACE OF BIRTH	BAPTISM PLACE & DATE		COMMUNION PLACE & DATE		
**MEDICAL CONDITION <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES Please explain:					
3 RD CHILD NAME (FIRST AND LAST)	MALE OR FEMALE	DOB	GRADE IN SEPT	STUDENT	SCHOOL
				<input type="checkbox"/> NEW <input type="checkbox"/> RETURN	
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**MEDICAL CONDITION <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES Please explain:					
**MEDICAL IMPORTANT: Please advise us of any allergies, medical conditions, medications, disabilities, or special needs.					

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FAMILY NAME _____			
Tuition			
1 child	\$ 150	Tuition	\$ _____
2 children	\$ 200		
3+ Children	\$ 250		
Sacrament Fees:	\$ 50 per child	Sacrament fee per child	\$ _____
Only due the year receiving the Sacrament.			
Late fee after September 30th	\$ 75	Late fee after September 30th	\$ _____
TOTAL AMOUNT			\$ _____
Balances are due by December 1, 2024. BALANCE DUE			
\$ _____			
Official Use only	<input type="checkbox"/> Check # _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Cash \$ _____	Receipt# _____

Please **CIRCLE** preferred Material language : English or Bi-Lingual Spanish

Please **CIRCLE** if you re interested in a Spanish language parent meeting: YES

PLEASE NOTE: Baptized Children should be enrolled each year in a formal Catechesis Program from Grades 1-8. Sacramental preparation involves two years of preparation for First Eucharist and two years of preparation for Confirmation.

Any baptized child (grades 3 – 7) who has not received First Penance & First Holy Communion in Grade 2 will need to take a full year of Family Catechesis prior to preparing for First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion.

**Parents of unbaptized children in Grades 1 – 8 should contact the Parish Catechetical Leader directly.

Grades 1 –8-- Family Catechesis

Primary Catechesis will be taught at home as a family. Meetings will be twice a month. The first Meeting of the Month is for Parents, guiding what the months’ lessons will be about. The second meeting of the month is a Family meeting, building on the theme of the month. Family Meetings will take place once a month on Sunday before the 10:30 Mass. Please select your preferred day of the week to meet for the parent meeting.

CHOOSE 1: _____ Monday; 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM _____ Tuesday 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
 Name(s) of adult(s) attending 95% of the time _____

At least one parent must attend each parent session. Please list the name of the adult that will attend class most of the time.

- First Eucharist preparation year 2** -- will meet one **Monday** a month in addition to family catechesis.
- Confirmation prep year 1** -- will meet once a month on **Monday** in addition to family catechesis.
- Confirmation prep year 2** -- will meet twice a month, **Sundays** 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM. Additional days will be added for Retreat and service.