

WELCOME TO PARISH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2021-2022

2225. Through the grace of sacrament of marriage, parents receive the responsibility and privilege of evangelizing their children. Parents should initiate their children at an early age into the mysteries of faith... They should associate them from their tenderest years with the life of the church.

2226. The parish is the Eucharistic community and the heart of the liturgical life of Christian families... It is a privileged place for the catechesis of children and parents.

-The Catechism of the Catholic

Church

“God trumps sports every day of the week and twice on Sunday!”

- Fr. Christopher Bohnsack

Welcome to the 2021-2022 Parish School of Religious Education program (PSR)! This year we will be offering classes for those seeking the sacraments of First Holy communion, First Reconciliation along with grades 3 and Junior High School students in 7th/8th grade. If you have or know of children in other grades not listed please have them contact the parish office and we will determine if another class can be offered this year.

Parents – As Catholics entrusted with the blessing of children, you have been granted the responsibility to carry out God’s command to spread the Good News both in your homes and throughout the world. By enrolling your child(ren) in PSR, in corporation with the Church and our dedicated teachers, your child(ren) will be given tools in order to advance and follow God’s evangelical message.

In PSR, our religious instruction strives to form children who will become life-long devoted Catholics, confident Our Lord is always a constant presence in their lives. With this religious opportunity, they will become enthusiastic Catholics,

passionate as they grow from children to adults, secure in the knowledge of the saving grace of their personal Catholicism.

Students – Our instructors promise classes that are faith-filled, fun-filled, and a weekly celebration of community through the teachings of our Lord, Jesus Christ!

It is expected that students and parents attend Mass each weekend as part of our Catholic obligation. This is where we have the opportunity to come together as a community to share our beliefs and become followers of Christ we are called to be by our Baptism. It is a fantastic way to “teach without words!”

IMPORTANT! Absences of more than THREE(3) classes could prevent the student from receiving the Sacrament. Therefore, class attendance must be a weekly priority!

Classes will be held Sunday mornings with mass following at St Joseph’s or at Sacred heart with mass and class following. Please see schedule for dates/times and location.

Please register no later than Sunday October 3rd. Registration forms are available at the back of church or at either Parish office, or accessed via the Parish website. Cost is \$25 per student.

For questions or concerns please call Jeff Belcik (419) 689-0895 OR Fr. Jeff (419)683-2015

Please sign and return the bottom portion only with your child(ren) registration form.

I, _____ have read and agree with the above guidelines for the 2021-2022 Sacred Heart/St Joseph Parish School of Religious Education Program.

Parent

Signature: _____ Date: _____

