

St. John Vianney/Holy Family

Faith Formation

Class Descriptions

2015-2016

ELEMENTARY: Grades K-6

- † Classes will meet on **Wednesday at 5:30-6:30 PM** in St. John Vianney School, September through April.
- † The curriculum used will be *Imagine of God* by Ignatius Press.
- † Sacramental preparation for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist are part of the Second Grade curriculum
- † **First Reconciliation is scheduled for Saturday, November 21st at 10 am.**
First Eucharist is on April 10th – 8 am Mass Holy Family & 10 am Mass Saint John Vianney
- † Additional activities at the elementary level include: service projects; prayer services; Faith Sharing Centers with parents for grades 1, 2, 4, & 5; a Seder Meal for grade 6; and Activity Day for grades K & 3.
- † **The first class session is September 9th for all students, catechists, and parents beginning at 6:00 PM in the church.**

Junior High – Grades 7 & 8

- † Classes will be held on **Wednesday evenings from 7-8:00pm**, September – April on the SJV School – unless noted differently on the master schedule.
- † The curriculum that will be used is *Theology of the Body, Encounter & Altaration* by Ascension Press.
- † Throughout the year there will be Youth Masses on Wednesday night rather than a regular scheduled class, which will be held at 7:00 in the church with Fr. Schuster. Each grade will have the opportunity to lead the masses. All of which require attendance.
- † A bake sale will take place after masses on November 14th & 15th
- † There will be food collections during the year for the Hope Shop that all are asked to participate in.
- † Parents and Students are asked to attend the Introductory Meeting on Wednesday, September 9th at 6:00pm in the Church.

SENIOR HIGH: Grade 9

- † Classes will be held on Wednesday evening, **7:00 - 8:15 PM** September through April.
- † Class will be held on the SJV campus.
- † The curriculum used is "Chosen" by Ascension Press
- † November Bake Sale, Twelve Baskets Thrift Store, Youth-led Masses, events, and other parish-wide Masses & events.
- † There will be food collections during the year for the Hope Shop that all are asked to participate in.
- † The first class is on **Wednesday, September 16th** at **7:00 PM**
- † **Only parents** are asked to attend the **Introductory Meeting on Wednesday, September 9th at 6:00 PM in church.** 9th grade youth are asked not to attend this meeting.

SENIOR HIGH: Grade 10

- † Classes will meet on Wednesday evenings at SJV School from **7:00-8:15 PM** beginning in September and going until the celebration of **Confirmation** (Confirmation Date TBD).
- † The curriculum used is "Chosen" by Ascension Press.
- † Other components of the confirmation program include an all-day retreat, the Parish Sponsor program, Service projects (individual and class), Youth-led Masses, other parish-wide Masses & events, and the Commitment Prayer Service & Rehearsal.
- † There will be food collections during the year for the Hope Shop that all are asked to participate in.
- † A **candidate, parent and sponsor** Introductory Meeting will be held on **Wednesday, September 9^h**, beginning at **7:15 PM** in the **Hospitality Area** at St. John Vianney. We will have the Rite of Enrollment on Oct 4th 10 am Sunday Mass @ SJV.
- † The first class will be held on **Wednesday, September 16th**.

All Students & Parents are to attend the Introductory Meeting on September 9th at 6pm in the Church.

All grades begin classes on Wednesday, September 16!