

First Reconciliation and First Communion Preparation Calendar for 2025/2026

Parents will receive an email reminder before the scheduled dates, please let me know if you do not receive an email from me.

- **Thursday, Sept. 25:** Parent/child session for school and religious education program families at 6:00-7:00 pm in the lower level of the church. Materials & calendars available and overview of the year will be discussed.
- **Thursday, January 8:** First Reconciliation Parent/Child Workshop for school and religious education second graders/parents at 6-7:30pm in the lower level of the church.
- **Wednesday, February 4:** First Reconciliation for **Religious Education** second grade class at 6:00 pm (during the regular scheduled weekly class) in the church.
- **Thursday, February 5:** First Reconciliation for **school** children at 9:30 am in the church.
- **Thursday, April 16:** First Communion Parent/Child Workshop for school and religious ed families at 6-7:30pm in the lower level of the church. Sign ups available for First Communion Masses at this workshop. Email me anytime before this date if you know which Mass you and your family would prefer.
- **Thursday, April 30:** First Communion practice for school and RE families at 6:00 pm in the church.
- **Saturday, May 2 at 5pm, Sunday, May 3 at 10:00 am and 12:00 pm, are scheduled for First Holy Communion Masses.**

Please submit your Baptism certificate (if baptized at another parish) and **First Communion Application** ASAP. For questions please feel free to contact me at dre.stjoseph@gmail.com or call the religious education office at 224-8537. Calendar and forms will be on the Stjoecatholic.com website for your reference.

May God bless you during this special year of celebrating the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion with your children.

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