

RCIA Sessions begin at 6PM in the Parish Hall.

They usually last about 2 hours. We break for refreshments around 7pm.

INQUIRY (Pre-Catechumenate)

September

- 7: Overview of Catholic Faith and RCIA Process
- 14: No Session – Attend Parish Mission Parish Mission (6PM)
- 21: Faith in God and the Bible
- 28: Jesus & the Good News

October

- 5: NO SESSION - Fall Break
- 12: Creed
- 19: Saints, Mary, Catholics and Prayer
- 26: Mass

November

- 2: The Church/Marks of the Church/Church History
- 9: Sacraments/Paschal Mystery
- 16: Liturgical Year/Advent/Catholic Practices ****Stopped Here with dates for 2011-2012***
Rite of Acceptance/Welcome Preparation & Prayer & Practice for those wishing/ready to take that step
- 23: NO SESSION – Thanksgiving Break

***27: First Celebration of Rite of Acceptance/Welcome -10AM Mass-Dismissal
CATECHUMENATE***

December

- 7: Holy Spirit/Gifts of the Spirit
- 14: Baptism/Confirmation/Eucharist
- 21: NO SESSION

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January

- 4: Reconciliation/Anointing
- 11: 10 Commandments/Sin
- 18: Holy Orders/Who's Who in the Catholic Church
- 25: Marriage

February

- 1: Moral Living
- 8: Formation of Conscience
- 15: Dignity of Life/Social Justice
- 22: Overview & preparation for Rite Of Sending & Election/Lenten Season

29: Process Rites and prepare for Penitential Rite

March

7: Take a Look / preparation for 1st scrutiny

14: Creed/ preparation for 2nd scrutiny

13: Rite of Sending – St. Romuald – 10AM Mass – Dismissal

Rite of Election – St. Stephen’s Cathedral – Owensboro (usually 2PM)

PURIFICATION & ENLIGHTENMENT

16: Process Rites/Saying Yes To Jesus/Preparation for Penitential Rite

23: Take a Look/Preparation for 1st Scrutiny

30: Creed/Preparation for 2nd Scrutiny

April

6: Spring Break No Session or Way of the Cross/Preparation for 3rd Scrutiny

13: Overview of Holy Week

16: RETREAT DAY & Practice 9:00AM -12:00 Noon (Breakfast Provided)

20: NO SESSION - Holy Week Attend Chrism Mass and Holy Week Services

23: EASTER VIGIL – Full Initiation into the Church

MYSTAGOGY

27: Looking at the Easter Vigil Experience/ Conversion – A Life Long Process

May

4: Ministry Presentations

11: Family Life

18: Eucharist/Prayer

25: Picnic Potluck (tentative)

Dates for Rites/Retreats:

November 21 – Rite of Acceptance/Welcome - 10AM Mass

March 13 – Rite of Sending - St. Romuald Church – 10AM Mass

Rite of Election & Call to Continuing Conversion at Owensboro – 2PM

April 16 – Retreat before Full Initiation into the Church

9:00AM - 12:00 Noon in Parish Hall

April 23 – Easter Vigil – Full Initiation into the Church

Date for Penitential Rite with candidates (time to be announced)

March 19/20 – Penitential Rite

Dates for Scrutinies with catechumens (times to be announced)

March 26/27 – First Scrutiny & Dismissal

April 2/3 – Second Scrutiny & Dismissal

April 9/10 – Third Scrutiny & Dismissal