

SEVEN DOLORS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR 2017-2018

Grades PreK-8

Wednesday Evenings: 6:30 – 8:00pm

August

- 22 Catechist In-Service – 6:30 – 9 pm
- 29 1st RE Class/Registration+
+Knights of Columbus Picnic

September

- 5 Religious Education Class
- 12 Religious Education Class
- 16 Catechetical Sunday – All Masses
- 19 Religious Education Class
- 26 Religious Education Class +
+Parent Meeting – First Reconciliation
7pm- location to be determined

October

- 3 Religious Education Class +
+2017/18 Confirmation students and sponsors
(or parent) Rehearsal and Night of Reflection
- 6 Confirmation @ 6pm Mass**
- 10 Religious Education Class+
+Parent Meeting – 2019 Confirmation
7pm – location to be determined
- 17 Religious Education Class+
+Rosary – 7pm
- 24 Religious Education Class
- 31 NO CLASSES – Halloween**

November

- 7 Religious Education Class
- 14 Religious Education Class+
+Mass – 7pm
- 21 NO CLASS – HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**
- 28 Religious Education Class

December

- 2 RE & MCS 1st Reconciliation – 3pm**
- 5 Religious Education Class
- 12 Religious Education Class
- 19 Religious Education Class+
+Parent Advent Celebration – 7pm
- 26 NO CLASS – Merry Christmas!**

January

- 9 Catechist In-Service – 6:30 – 9pm**
- 16 Religious Education Class
- 23 Religious Education Class
- 30 Religious Education Class

February

- 6 Religious Education Class+
+Parent Meeting – 1st Communion
7:00pm location to be determined
- 13 Religious Education Class
- 20 Religious Education Class
- 27 Religious Education Class

March

- 6 Religious Education Class+
+Ash Wednesday Mass – 7pm
- 13 NO CLASS – Spring Break**
- 20 Religious Education Class
- 27 Religious Education Class

April

- 3 Religious Education Class
- 10 Religious Education Class
- 17 Religious Education Class
- 18 – Holy Thursday
- 19 – Good Friday
- 21 – Easter Sunday**
- 24 Religious Education Class
- 28 – 1st Communion at 3pm**

May

- 1 Religious Education Class+
+May Crowning – 7pm
- 8 Catechist's Appreciation Dinner

Attendance

Attendance is extremely important. While the classes and material are crucial to each child's life, the community and fellowship experience is a key part of learning about our faith as well. If your child must be absent for whatever reason, **please call or Email – leave your child's name and grade.**

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Permitting sports and other activities to become the highest priority and at the same time permitting Mass and/or Religious Education to take second place is setting values and developing habits for your child which will become life-long. Religious Education sessions are not a substitute for weekly Mass; they are an extension of the weekly liturgy. It is extremely important for your child to experience ongoing attendance at weekly Mass with you and your family. A recent study shows that most adults, who practice their faith today, had experienced regular attendance at Mass and Religious Education before the age of 10. Obviously regular attendance at Mass and Religious Education should be of paramount importance if it is to become a permanent value in our children's lives.

Attendance Records:

The Catechists and Assistants will keep attendance records. If a student is not in class without proper notification, parents of students in Grades PreK-8 will be notified by email: Grade 9 will be notified

by phone and email to insure the safety of each student.

Bad Weather & Cancellations

Generally, during inclement weather, if schools in Manhattan are dismissed, the RE sessions will be canceled as well. (This does not include the dismissal of area schools such as Riley, Rock Creek, etc. – just the Manhattan schools.) If in doubt, listen to the following radio stations and/or tune into the television channels below.

1. **KMAN 1350**
2. **Angel 95**
3. **KSNT TV (Ch. 27)**
4. **WIBW (Ch. 49)**

If severe weather develops after 4pm, please use your own judgment to decide whether or not to attend the RE session for that evening.