



CHRIST THE KING PARISH

342 Dorseyville Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15215

Family Faith Formation

The vision for Faith Formation at Christ the King Parish is to provide an environment in which our Faith Formation staff, Catechists, and parents work together to foster learning about our Catholic Faith with our children and accompany them in developing personal relationships with Christ. By leading through the example of our strong commitment to our Catholic faith, we demonstrate that the journey of faith is a lifelong journey that is strengthened within our parish community. All Faith Formation sessions will take place at Saint Joseph Church (342 Dorseyville Road, Pittsburgh PA 15215).

****KICK-OFF SUNDAY:** Our 2025-2026 year will begin on Catechetical Sunday, September 21, 2025. All families are invited to join us for Mass at 11:00 AM in Saint Joseph Church. After Mass, families are invited to join in fellowship and pick up materials downstairs in the John Paul II hall.**

Beginning in October, families will gather in person once per month on a Sunday or Wednesday. Immediately following Mass, families will participate in the Faith Formation sessions. An adult family member must accompany the child to the session. The remaining weekly sessions will be completed by the families at home.

Over the past several years, many parents have asked that families stay together for Family Faith Formation Sessions. Keeping that in mind, we are offering two Options for Family Faith Formation Sessions this year: one where the students break into separate classrooms by grade, and one where the whole family stays together to learn the lesson. A description of the two options that are offered and the dates are below. Please follow the links to register for the program you will participate in this year.

If your child is a 2nd grader preparing for First Communion or an 8th grader preparing for Confirmation, you MUST also register them for Sacramental Preparation.

If you have any questions regarding Faith Formation or Sacramental Preparation please contact:

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Option 1: Finding God —Sunday A and B - 11:00 am to 1:30 pm

This Option will be our current format. The children will break off to their grade level classrooms using the textbook “Finding God,” while adults remain together for their session in the Hall. Students will complete the first lesson of each Unit in the classroom. The remaining lessons are to be done at home with one assessment being completed online for each unit.

Sunday A Finding God	Sunday B Finding God
October 5, 2025	October 12, 2025
November 2, 2025	November 9, 2025
December 7, 2025	December 14, 2025
January 4, 2026	January 11, 2026
February 1, 2026	February 8, 2026
March 1, 2026	March 8, 2026
April 12, 2026 Wrap-Up for Sunday A & B	

To register for Option 1, please go to <https://christthekingpgh.org/option-1>

Option 2: Faith Stories—Sunday C - 11:00 am to 1:30 pm & Wednesday A - 6:00pm to 8:00 pm

This option will use a new format. The family will stay together in the Hall and use the “Faith Stories” program. They will read Bible stories together and do activities based on them. Similar lessons will be sent home each month to be completed as a family and one assessment and/or activity will need to be completed.

Sunday C Faith Stories	Wednesday A Faith Stories
October 19, 2025	October 8, 2025
November 16, 2025	November 5, 2025
December 21, 2025	December 10, 2025
January 18, 2026	January 7, 2026
February 15, 2026	February 4, 2026
March 15, 2026	March 4, 2026
April 19, 2026 Wrap-Up for Sunday C & Wednesday A	

To register for Option 2, please go to <https://christthekingpgh.org/option-2>