

**WELCOME
 BACK**

**2025-2026
 CATECHETICAL YEAR**

*"Always be ready to give an explanation...
 for a reason for your hope."* 1 Peter 3:15

**Registrations for CCE &
 Sacramental Preparations
 began July 13, 2025**

**CCE Faith Formation begins
 Wednesday, September 10**

**Sacramental Preparations
 begin on Sunday, September 7**



CCE Orientation for Parents
 Save the date:
 Monday, Oct. 27, 2025
 Monday, Jan. 27, 2026

For more information, or if you have any questions, please feel free to call 956.943.1297 or 956.943.6392



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

11:00 am - 12 noon

for children 3rd - 6th grade

With at least 1 year of CCE and have taken the Reconciliation class. To register your child, & more information at least one parent must attend orientation. First Communion Orientations

Tuesday, August 5 (English)

Miércoles, Agosto 6 (Español)

6:00pm - 7:30pm

Monday/lunes, August 11(bilingual)

12pm-1pm

**TEENS COMMUNION
 PREPARATION**

Sessions begin in January of 2026

This program is for Baptized Teens Jr High or High School who would like to prepare and Receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation & Eucharist (First Holy Communion).

Students are REQUIRED:

- To have at least one complete year of CCE (faithfully) prior to Registration.
- Faithful CCE attendance on Wednesdays all during the Sacrament Preparation.

Parents & Candidates Orientation

Monday/lunes, December 1, 2025

6:00pm - 7:30pm

SACRAMENTS

All Students preparing for sacraments are required (mandatory) to attend CCE classes in their appropriate grade level on Wednesdays.



CONFIRMATION I & II

Classes are once a month from 9:00 am - 11:45 am and Must attend Mass at 12pm

First Class begins Sunday, Sept. 7

These sessions are for Baptized teens who have received the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

- CONFIRMATION I teens must have faithfully attended Pre-Conf. (9th gr CCE).
- CONFIRMATION II candidate must have faithfully attended Confirmation Level I.

Mandatory Orientation Confirmation II

Sunday, Aug. 3, from 11:00am - 1:30pm

Mandatory Orientation Confirmation I

Sunday, Aug. 10 from 9:00am -11:30am

**CHRISTIAN INITIATION
 FOR ADULTS**

Sunday, Aug. 3 from 11:00am - 12:15pm

OCIA is a two (2) year program for un-baptized children over 7 years of age & adults, who would like to prepare & receive the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist & Confirmation.

- OCIA I class is open to all new incoming students.
- OCIA II class is open to students who have faithfully attended level I.

Mandatory Parent Orientation

Monday, July 28

from 6:00pm -7:30pm



Formed in Faith

CCE FAITH FORMATION BEGINS WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10

KINDER – 2ND GRADE CCE

Classes 3:15 pm – 5:00 pm

- 3:15 - 4:00 pm – Gathering and Snacks
- 4:00– 5:00 pm – CCE Classes K – 2nd

3RD – 5TH GRADE CCE

Classes 3:15 pm – 5:30 pm

- 3:45-4:30 pm – Gathering & Snacks
Homework, and making Rosaries
- 4:30 – 5:30 pm – CCE Classes 3rd – 5th

JR HIGH SCHOOL 6TH, 7TH, & 8TH GRADE

6:15 pm – 8:00 pm

- 6:30pm – 7:00 pm Begin with Prayer, Sunday's Readings & Reflection (Mandatory)
- 7:00 - 8:00pm Catechesis Sessions
Sessions are engaging, fun for your middle schooler.

HIGH SCHOOL GATHERINGS 9TH, 10TH, 11TH, & 12TH GRADE

6:45 pm – 8:30 pm

- 6:45pm – 7:30pm Prayer, Sunday's Readings & Reflection
(Mandatory- this is part of our High School curriculum)
- Catechesis Sessions 7:30 – 8:30 pm

DINNER & GATHERINGS



Doors open at
5:30 pm for Jr. High
6:00 pm for High School
Students

HIGH SCHOOL SESSIONS PRAYER IS PART OF CURRICULUM

- 9TH GRADE SESSIONS
“Theology of the Body”
- 10TH GRADE SESSIONS
“Altaration” The Mystery of the Mass Revealed
- 11TH GRADE SESSIONS
“Your Life in Christ”
- 12TH GRADE SESSIONS
“Faith Sharing for TEENS”
After Confirmation



Faith sharing, helping teens grow as disciples by helping them see the hand of God in their everyday lives. Faith sharing teaches teens to share their faith experiences with others.



Religious Education is a Lifelong Faith Formation, you graduate when you get to Heaven

WE ARE WONDERFULLY MADE

**Registrations /Registraciones
Sunday/domingo, November 16**

A one-year sacrament preparation for children & teens with special needs. Parents are required to attend classes with their child.

Sessions are once a month

**Orientation for the family
Sunday/domingo, December 14, 2025**



Observe the Sabbath Day,
to keep it holy.

CELEBRATE MASS

AS A FAMILY REGULARLY

When we come to Mass, we are not only coming to remember, but actually coming to experience, in every Mass, the ultimate obligation fulfilled by Jesus' in His sacrifice for us.

**Ready to
enroll your child?**



Keep updated for any changes through our weekly bulletin, Facebook, or our website www.olsstx@cdob.org Thank you!



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