



**St. Patrick Church
Religious Education Office**

Programs for 2023-2024 School Year

Option 2: Family Faith Formation

This is a family-based program.

When: Sessions will be held primarily on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month from 6-7:30pm

Where: We will meet in the church each week, but then may move throughout the parish building and Montini during the session.

Who: Whole families will be asked to attend. Some parts will be presented to the whole family and others will be presented to children in age level groups with parents separately. When registering, please indicate if you would need care for children under school age.

What: We will utilize the knowledge of our clergy, families, parish and community as well as supplement with materials from Loyola Press "Christ our Life" and "Signs of Grace" and "Chosen" Sacramental preparation programs

Parents will be asked to:

- Attend Mass with their child(ren) weekly
- Attend semimonthly sessions as a family.
- Participate in sessions and continue the conversation at home.
- Complete a monthly packet at home including activities, prayer, and Saint exploration.
- Support their child(ren) in living their faith in their home and community.
- For Sacramental-aged children, complete requests of the Sacramental programs.

Tentative dates for Family Faith Formation with sessions from 6-7:30pm would include:

Parent meetings: September 10, 10am or September 14 at 6pm (only plan to attend 1 of 2 the meetings)

September 28

February 8 and 22

October 12 and 26

March 14

November 9 and 30

April 11 and 25

December 14

May 9

January 12 and 26