

Parish City _____ Parish _____

STATISTICAL INFORMATION – In the following set of questions, for each age/grade level of RE progs offered by your parish, please provide the total number of students and catechists; identify the primary resource used; and identify the **primary format** of catechesis for that level. If you have no program at that age/grade level, just leave the corresponding items blank. **Please include all programs, e.g. Spanish, African, Brazilian etc. If you want to separate the information, copy this form.**

	Age./Gr.	# Students	# Catechists	Title of Text	Publisher	© Date	Format**
1.	Age 3						
2.	Age 4						
3.	Age 5						
4.	K						
5.	Gr. 1						
6.	Gr. 2						
7.	Gr. 3						
8.	Gr. 4						
9.	Gr. 5						
10.	Gr. 6						
11.	Gr. 7						
12.	Gr. 8						
13.	Gr. 9						
14.	Gr. 10						
15.	Gr. 11						
16.	Gr. 12						
TOTALS							

** Use following codes:

A = Peer-based rel. ed (Graded Classes)
 B = Family-centered programs
 C = Intergenerational programs
 D = Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

E = Home- schooling religious education programs
 F = Intensive summer religious education programs
 G = Lectionary-based programs
 H = Flipped Classroom
 O = Other

PROGRAMMING OPTIONS – The next 5 items pertain to options available in your RE prog.

17. Do your parish's RE progs for children and/or teens offer more than one **scheduling option** for a particular level?
(circle one) YES or NO

18. Do your parish's RE progs for children and/or teens offer more than one **programming option** for a particular level?
(circle one) YES or NO

19. Do your parish's RE progs for children and/or teens **involve parents through take-home materials?** (circle one) YES or NO

20. Do your parish's RE progs for children and/or teens **involve parents through special programs for parents?**
(circle one) YES or NO

21. Do your parish's RE programs for children and/or teens **combine or share programs with neighboring parishes?**
(circle one) YES or NO

22. If you answered YES to #21, which parish(es)?

23. Do you have any gathered/zoom/hybrid/programs?
YES or NO

COMMENTS:

24. Does your parish have "Catechesis of the Good Shepherd?"	YES	NO
25. Does your parish use "LifeTeen" curriculum materials?	YES	NO
26. Will you be changing your elementary program in 2025-2026?	YES	NO
27. Will you be changing your junior high/middle school program in 2025-2026?	YES	NO
28. Will you be changing your high school program in 2025-2026?	YES	NO
29. Will you be changing your Penance or Eucharist or Confirmation program?	YES	NO

N.B. If you are planning a change in your programming or texts, please consult with the ORE.

How might you use ZOOM (or other meeting platforms) in the future?

How would you characterize your experience with your RE program this past year?

What are your most pressing needs?

2025 NATIONAL PROFILE OF CATECHETICAL MINISTRY – Part 2

Sacramental Reception of Children and Teens

		FIRST PENANCE	FIRST COMMUNION	CONFIRMATION
1.	How many children/teens completed the process and celebrated the sacrament?			
2.	How many catechists were involved?			
3.	How many parent meetings were held?			
4.	Is the program free-standing OR graded? (What grade?)			
5.	What resource/text is used? Give publisher and title.			
6.	How many student sessions?			
7.	Is there a retreat for candidates?			

As part of the sacramental preparation process, does your parish provide formal instruction to: (Circle one for each item)

8.	Parents of infants being baptized?	YES	NO
9.	Godparents of infants being baptized?	YES	NO
10.	Confirmation sponsors?	YES	NO
11.	Do children celebrate the sacrament of Penance prior to receiving First Communion?	YES	NO

OCIA

12.	Does your parish have a catechumenate?	YES	NO
13.	Do you celebrate the Rite of Entrance, Sending for Election, Scrutinies?	YES	NO
14.	Do you have year-round Inquiry?	YES	NO
15.	What resources are used? (Publishers and Titles)		

Multicultural Efforts

16. Does your parish offer catechesis at any level in a language other than English? YES NO
(Please circle “no” if catechesis is offered only in English and skip the next item)

17. If “Yes” to the previous question, in what other language(s) is catechesis offered? What resources are used?

SAFE ENVIRONMENT EDUCATION – *Circle of Grace* – Please complete 2025 forms which were due Mar 5th

LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

18.	We offer Liturgy of the Word with Children at Sunday Mass	YES	NO
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TOTUS TUUS

19.	Has your parish offered <i>Totus Tuus</i> ?	YES	NO	20.	Are you interested in learning more about <i>Totus Tuus</i> ?	YES	NO
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ADULT FAITH FORMATION

21.. Does the parish offer adult faith formation programs? YES NO
22. If Yes, please describe and specify resources.

EVANGELIZATION / NEW EVANGELIZATION

23. Has the parish offered any programs? (E.g., *Light of the World*, *ALPHA*, Paulist programs etc.) YES NO
24. If Yes, please describe and specify resources.

CATECHETICAL MINISTERS

25. Does your parish have a Baptism preparation team? YES NO
26. Does your parish have an OCIA team? YES NO
27. Does your parish have a Religious Education Board? YES NO

Infant Baptism coordinator:

NAME: _____

Address _____

E-mail/Phone _____

OCIA coordinator:

NAME: _____

Address _____

E-mail/Phone _____

Catechists

Do catechists in your parish receive: (circle one for each item)

28.	Training through Dayton on-line programs?	YES	NO
29.	Training through the Diocese?	YES	NO
30.	Training through parish?	YES	NO
31.	If training is through parish, describe process and resources used.		

32. How many of your catechists have Provisional Certification? _____

33. How many of your catechists have Basic Certification? _____

34. How many of your catechists have Master Catechist Certification? _____

35. How many of your catechists have Level I *Catechesis of the Good Shepherd* Certification? _____**COMMENTS:**

2025 NATIONAL PROFILE OF CATECHETICAL MINISTRY – Part 3

N.B. If the parish has more than one catechetical leader, please complete #1 - #20 for each leader

Catechetical Leader(s)

1. Name of person responsible for direction/coordination of the religious education program:

E-mail address: _____

2. Is the catechetical leader position in your parish considered ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time How many hours? _____

3. What is the **diocesan certification level** of the catechetical leader?

☐ DRE, Director of Religious Education ☐ CRE, Coordinator of Religious Education

☐ ARE, Administrator of Religious Education ☐ Not yet certified

4. Please indicate the highest level of education completed by the catechetical leader:

☐ High School Diploma ☐ Associate's Degree ☐ Bachelor's Degree

☐ Master's Degree ☐ Doctorate

5. Is the catechetical leader fluent in:

☐ English only (skip the next question) ☐ English and Spanish only (skip the next question)

☐ Some other language or combination of languages.

6. If your answer to the previous question was "Some other language or combination of languages," what language(s) does the catechetical leader speak?

7. How many years has this current catechetical leader held this position? _____

8. Does the catechetical leader participate in PREA? YES NO

9. Does the catechetical leader participate in regional catechetical leader groups (E.g., SCL, WACL, North County, Boylston etc.) YES NO

Catechetical Leader Compensation and Support

8. Annual salary/stipend: _____

Does this catechetical leader receive (circle one for each item)

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| 9. | a contract? | YES | NO | 10. | health benefits? | YES | NO |
| 11. | a job description? | YES | NO | 12. | a retirement plan? | YES | NO |
| 13. | funds for continuing ed/prof development? | YES | NO | 14. | office assistance/secretarial support? | YES | NO |
| 15. | Does this catechetical leader participate regularly in pastoral staff meetings? YES NO | | | | | | |

Religious Education Budget

For the following questions, please provide approximate budget figures, in whole dollars, for the current fiscal year. If none, enter "0".

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| 16. | Total amount rel ed programming budget allocated to catechist formation: | _____ |
| 17. | Total amount of rel ed programming budget allocated to other (books, supplies etc.) | _____ |
| 18. | Catechetical leader salary (sum of salaries if this is a team position) | _____ |
| 19. | Other rel ed salary (secretary, master catechists, etc.) | _____ |
| 20. | Catechetical leader continuing ed budget | _____ |
| 21. | Total parish rel ed budget (sum of #16, #17, #18, #19, and #20) | _____ |
| 22. | What is the registration fee per student? | _____ |

Sources of Funding

Please fill in the approximate percentage, in whole numbers, of the religious education budget that comes from each of the following sources.

About what percent of the religious education budget comes from: (#23-25 should equal 100)

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| 23. | Parish subsidy | _____ | 24. | Tuition/Registration fees | _____ | 25. | Fund raising | _____ |
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Name of person(s) completing form: _____

Pastor Signature: _____

N.B. Please keep a copy on file at the parish.