

Catechism Calendar

Sunday Classes per Month - 1:30pm-2:30pm

September	1 No Classes	8 Classes Start	15	22	29
October	6	13 No Classes	20	27	
November	3	10	17	24 No Classes	
December	1	8	15 No Classes	22 No Classes	29 No Classes
January	5 No Classes	12 No Classes	19	26	
February	2	9	16	23	
March	1	8	15	22 No Classes	29
April	5 Palm Sunday No Classes	12 Easter No Classes	19	26 Last Day of Classes	

1st Holy Communion - May 3, 2020

Confirmation Date: May 31, 2020
(pending Bishop's permission/schedule)

MATER DEI PARISH CATECHISM CLASSES 2019-2020



September 8, 2019- April 26, 2020

Sundays 1:30pm-2:30pm

Director of Religious Education: **Tracy W. Nunley**

Parish Office: 972-438-7600 x0 or

ccd@materdeiparish.com

Classes

1st Holy Communion: 1st & 2nd Graders (Suggested ages: 6 & 7)

Instructors: Mike Drake & Angie Heiter

Books Used: St. Joseph 1st Communion Catechism
Baltimore Catechism I

Intermediate Class: 3rd & 4th Graders (Suggested ages: 8 & 9)

Instructors: Anna Chaney & Peggy Nicholas

Book Used: St. Joseph Catechism I

Confirmation: 5th Grade and Older (Suggested ages: 10 & older)

Instructors: Tracy W. Nunley; R. Evans; G. Valverde

Books Used: St. Joseph Catechism II
Preparation for Confirmation

Catholic Morality: 6th, 7th & 8th Graders (Suggested ages: 11-13)

Instructor: Sandrine Radakichenane; BJ. Brugger;
R. Turrubiartes

Books Used: Catholic Morality by Fr. John Laux

High School Apologetics: 9th-12th Graders (Suggested ages: 14-18)

Instructors: Daniel Aguiar & Ashleigh Berry

Books Used: How to do Apologetics by Patrick Madrid
Beginning Apologetics I by Fr. Frank Chacon & Jim Burnham

All teachers and aides must complete the Safe Environment training required by the Diocese. If you are interested in aiding the classes and need the Safe Environment Training, please contact Andrew Walters for more information at: safe@materdeiparish.com

General Policies

Registration:

Registration will be held on Sunday, August 18th and August 25th in the Parish Hall. A \$20 donation per family for books is requested. Please consider additional donations for those families in need.

Attendance Policy:

Attendance is very important. If you know you will be absent, please let your teacher know in advance. If your child is ill, please contact Tracy W. Nunley at ccd@materdeiparish.com

For Sacramental Classes:

Students preparing to receive the **Sacrament of 1st Holy Communion or Confirmation** may not have more than **three** unexcused absences during the school year. More than three absences will jeopardize their chances to receive the Sacraments.

Students who have already received their Sacraments should still attend a majority of the sessions in order to keep up with the class.

Classes begin at 1:30pm promptly: please avoid being tardy.

Drop Off and Pick Up:

All students under high school age need to be signed in and out by their parents, or a older sibling. The sign-in/out sheets are in the classrooms.

In obedience & humility to God and charity to neighbor,
please respect the Mater Dei Dress Code

General: No tight-fitting, or
see through materials

Boys: No shorts or t-shirts.

Girls: Please keep a modest cut neckline; Cover the shoulders and
knees, even when seated; no slits above knee.