

# ST. PATRICK FAITH FORMATION

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*“They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of bread and to the prayers” (Acts 2:42)*

## Welcome to Faith Formation!

Religion is all about Relationship! It's a relationship that God wants with us; a relationship that is simple, warm, intimate, gentle and holy – a relationship based on reverence, respect and responsibility.

What does it take to become a disciple of Christ? Come grow with us!

Classes are in session during the academic year:

Monday Afternoons-

Levels 3 and 6 meet from 3-4:15

Wednesday Afternoons-

Level 2 meets from 3:30-4:30

Wednesday Evenings-

Levels 7 and 8 meet from 7-8pm at Saint Agnes school in Greenport

Thursday Afternoons-

Levels 4 and 5 meet from 3-4:15

Confirmation level nine classes resume in January 2017

Our Level One Program is taught at home by Parents.

You must register for Level One in order to receive the catechetical materials. On completion of Level One your child will begin their study for the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist.

### Registration Guidelines:

Copies of our New Student Registration and Continuing Student Registration will be available for printing on our website soon! In the meantime please call our office for registration forms.

If your child is entering First Grade we require a copy of his/her Baptism Certificate.

If you are transferring please provide us with a placement letter from your previous parish.

Tuition and Fees are appreciated at the time of enrollment. The cost of tuition partially covers the cost of catechetical materials, bibles, technology and supplies, workshops for catechists, etc. and are as follows for the 2016 -2017 academic year:

1 child \$75

Family of 2 or more \$100

Sacramental programs are separate and the fees are as follows:

Confirmation Level 9 \$100 / First Communion Level 2 \$100

All of our catechists are volunteers who give so generously of their time. We offer training in classroom management and suggestions and ideas for passing on the faith as well as catechist formation programs. Volunteers must attend a Virtus Training Program (protecting God's children) and adhere to a code of conduct mandated by the Diocese of Rockville Centre.

First Holy Communion will be celebrated on Saturday in May 13<sup>th</sup> at 11 am.

Confirmation is celebrated on a selected date determined by the Office of the Bishop and will be posted when we receive notification. Here at St. Pat's we like to celebrate the Sacrament on or about our Parish Feast Day, St. Patrick's Day.

Adult Faith Formation

As Faith Formation is a lifelong journey we invite you to travel with us! Our adult learners come together for a series of teachings during Advent and Lent and as our schedule permits throughout the year.

We hope to offer more Adult FF opportunities such as guest speakers and missions as we continue to expand our program. Please join us!

[Click for the Registration Form for Faith Formation at St. Patrick.](#)