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Blessings in this Easter Season. I know that so many of you are working very hard in helping our candidates for sacraments. Truly this time is the Springtime of the Church.

May 6 and 7 are the classes for candidates for **Adult Confirmation** through the Office of Faith Formation. If you have people please send their forms in so we can include them in the classes.



Pius X is May 12. We have ordered the recognitions and waiting for the finally dinner count. It will be good to see so many gathered in person at St. Mary Cathedral with Archbishop Cordileone and friends.

If you did not get awards ordered we can still do so for you and send to the parish. Or if planning for the dinner we can certainly get the certificates given out and awards sent to you.

At the end of this program time do remember to thank all of our wonderful catechists for the ministry they do.

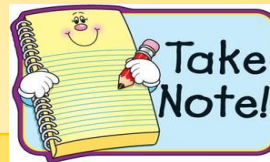
Save this date now!

Nov. 3-5 will be our annual Faith Formation Conference.

It is virtual with opportunities to have watch parties in the parishes. Please, please, please put this date on your calendars. Schedule no classes—this time is for the catechists, parents and parish people to gather and be formed. More information will be forth coming. **Remember** no classes, sacramental meeting, and other events that would detract from this. We are counting on your help.



A **National Eucharistic Revival** is beginning and information is in this newsletter. I encourage all of you to sign up to get information—it is FREE. You are also given wonderful workshops to use. These are great for catechist certification. A list of topics and the area of certification is in this newsletter.



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If you know someone encourage them to check out these wonderful places to work in our Archdiocese.

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Our Lady of Loretto in Novato is looking for a Faith Formation Director. This position is

salaries and benefited.

Contact: Father Tony Vallecillo

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St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church in Las Vegas, Nevada seeks an enthusiastic, creative,

and energetic individual for a full-time position as Assistant Youth Minister. This individual will be responsible to assist the Director in the development, implementation, and daily operation of a holistic

ministry that responds to the spiritual, sacramental, catechetical, service, and social needs of our youth (grades 6-12). This individual must have a heart for youth, reflected in their personal relationship with Christ. He/she is grounded in the teachings and spirit of Vatican II and possesses a willingness to work collaboratively with our pastoral staff in furthering the mission and vision of our parish community. Position available immediately. To apply, please complete an application on the Diocese of Las Vegas website (www.dolv.org) and send a resume to:

Marcie Wilske

Pastoral Associate for Parish Operations

mwilske@seaslv.org

702-804-8370



Save the date!

November 3-5, 2022

Join us for the 3rd year of this unique virtual conference experience.

The event will feature live-interactive sessions as well as a library of past recorded sessions that will be available for the participants of the 2022 virtual conference.

Watch for future monthly emails starting in mid-May on this unique virtual conference.

www.HopeHealRenew.org

We have several important people leaving their parishes at the end of the program year. Join me in thanking them and prayers on their new adventure.



Sr. Dolores Maguire has been the RCIA Director and Pastoral Minister at St. Hilary in Tiburon. We will miss her presences in mentoring so many people over many years into the church. Sister has served as a minister in the parish for 20 years.

Stephanie Stanko has been the wonderful DRE at St. Brendan Parish in San Francisco. After many years as a catechist and as a DRE she is moving on to other things. We will indeed miss her.

Restorative Justice Ministry *A Ministry of Presence*  Feature your organization and events sfarch.org/rjministry

Goody bags, cards with messages of hope help



“Even if you may not know God very well, I can assure you that he loves you very, very much.”

These words were written by Ellie, a student participating in the Cards of Mercy project, on a card destined for the San Francisco jails.

The Cards of Mercy project, coordinated by the Archdiocese of San Francisco’s Restorative Justice Ministry, invites schools and faith formation programs to design cards with bright designs and warm messages of hope. These cards are then given to those in custody in the jails for various holidays during the year.

Participating in the Easter project this year were students from Our Lady of the Visitacion and Holy Name schools in San Francisco, St. Brendan and Mater Dolorosa parishes in San Francisco, St. Patrick Parish in Larkspur, California, and St. Mark Parish in Belmont, California.

Creating the cards wasn’t the end of the project. On April 13, a

group of volunteers — lay and religious, youth and adults — gathered and spent the day assembling goody bags to be distributed inside the jails.

The bags included various snacks as well as cards. Some included the handmade cards from the student projects, while others were store-bought, with personalized messages written in those as well. Some of the volunteers wrote messages in Spanish to better ensure the individuals would get a card that they could understand.

A Big Thanks! To all the parish catechetical programs who made Easter special for so many. Remember this comes again for other important holidays! Consider participation.



Why do we have a special day set aside to commission catechists?

Catechesis is a distinct and special ministry in the Church. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church makes clear, “Catechesis is intimately bound up with the whole of the Church’s life . . . her inner growth and correspondence with God’s plan depend essentially on catechesis” (no. 7). This ministry of teaching in the name of the Church has a profound dignity, which is why catechists are formally commissioned by the Church. It is only fitting that we set aside a day to highlight this ministry and invite the entire church community to think about our responsibility to share our faith with others.

How are parents, the primary catechists of their children, recognized on Catechetical Sunday?

Parents are truly the primary catechists of their children. They prepare the soil and plant the first seeds of faith. On Catechetical Sunday, we not only highlight the work of catechists in parishes and schools, but we also commend parents and guardians and encourage them to take seriously their role of making their Catholic households a place where faith is passed on to the next generation. This is why the rite of blessing of catechists used on Catechetical Sunday includes an optional blessing of parents and guardians. **Plan now for the 2022**

Catechetical Sunday — September 19,

In Remembrance



Anarose Schelstrate, the DRE at St. Theresa Parish, father died. Please join us in praying for **Anastacio Balancio Flores** and the family at this time.

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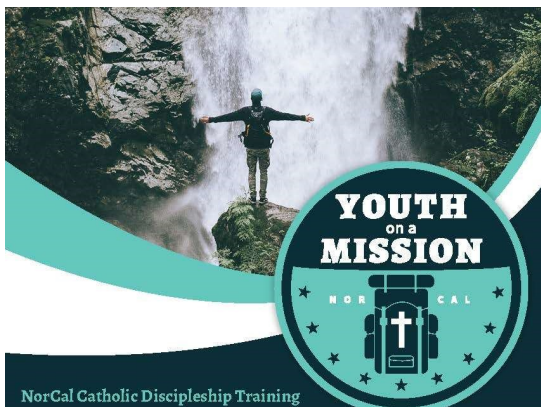
VIRTUS[®]Online

Remember to complete the students lessons for Virtus Training by end of the school year and record them. |

If you have questions or assistance contact

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SAVE THE DATE!
ON FIRE
NOR*CAL*JAM

Good Afternoon Youth and Young Adult Ministry Leaders in Northern CA and Nevada!

Just sending you all a quick note to for you to mark your calendars for Youth on a Mission 2022 and ON FIRE 2022!

Youth on a Mission our youth discipleship training is on Wednesday, July 6 - Saturday, July 9, 2022 at

Camp Pendola in Camptonville, CA for teens entering 9th grade thru entering 12th grade.

ON FIRE 2022 on Youth and Young Adult Ministry Nor-Cal kick off will be on Saturday, September 17, 2022

from 9am to 10pm at Six Flags Discovery Kingdom in Vallejo, CA.

Deanery lunch and goodbye for Sr. None from St. Augustine Parish in South San Francisco





Chrism Mass

This Mass celebrated at the cathedral is an important liturgy in the life of the local church.



At this time the priests from the archdiocese renew their commitment to the archbishop and to Jesus Christ. This is a sign of unity of the various parishes as one church.



Priests and laity gather at the cathedral each year for this event.



In four sacraments, oil is the sign of God's goodness reaching out to touch us: in baptism, in confirmation as the sacrament of the Holy Spirit, in the different grades of the sacrament of holy orders and finally in the anointing of the sick, in which oil is offered to us, so to speak, as God's medicine – as the medicine which now assures us of his goodness, offering us strength and consolation, yet at the same time points beyond the moment of the illness towards the definitive healing, the resurrection (cf. Jas 5:14). Thus oil, in its different forms, accompanies us throughout our lives: beginning with the catechuminate and baptism, and continuing right up to the moment when we prepare to meet God, our Judge and Savior.

Pope Benedict

Thanks to
Dr. Patrick Zecha for the photos





Registration Form



Candidate's Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Parish _____

Candidate's Mailing Address: (# Street, City, Zip Code)

Yes, I have received the following Sacraments:

_____Baptism _____Eucharist

Class times:

- Friday, May 6—6:00-8:30 PM and
- Saturday, May 7—10:00 AM—4:00 PM

Note: Attendance for both days are required.

I will take class in _____English _____Spanish

Prior to his/her participation in the classes offered by the Office of Faith Formation, the parish must give permission to candidate by completing this form with information about the parish and sending it back to the Office of Faith Formation, agree to do interviews with the candidate, provide the Confirmation certificate and enter the sacramental information in the church registry.

Pastor's or Pastoral Associate's Name (please print):

Parish: _____

Address: _____

Phone _____

Email: _____

I understand that it is the parish responsibility to conduct interviews of the Confirmation candidate; obtain the proper documents (Baptismal Certificate & First Communion Certificate), issue the Confirmation Certificate after Confirmation, as well as provide support to the candidate to be engaged in parish life.

Signature _____

Date: _____

Mail this form to:

Office of Faith Formation
Archdiocese of San Francisco
One Peter Yorke Way
San Francisco, CA 94109

Make check payable to Office of Faith Formation



Questions: Call (415) 614-5650 or

Email:

arbucklec@starchdiocese.org

Confirmation Preparation Class for Adults May 6 & 7, 2022



Office of Faith Formation
One Peter Yorke Way, SF
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These classes will be virtual

This format is offered to catechized adults (18 years or older) who need preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation.



Role of the Parish

Since sacramental preparation is formation, we expect candidates to have active participation in their parish community. To ensure that this takes place outside the class, the following involvement of the parish with the candidate for Confirmation is expected:

- ⇒ Conduct a preliminary interview with the candidate (to be done by the Pastor or his representative from the parish staff).
- ⇒ Provide the candidate with a parish sponsor * who shall maintain weekly contact with the candidate throughout the preparation time.
- ⇒ Secure from the candidate all documents necessary for the reception of Confirmation e.g. Baptismal Certificate.
- ⇒ Conduct an exit interview with the candidate (to be done by the Pastor or assigned personnel) for the candidate's final discernment of the Sacrament
- ⇒ Inform the candidate and sponsor of the time/place, date of the celebration of the Sacrament. If the Sacrament will be celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral, send a parish representative to attend the ceremony in support of the candidate.

⇒ After the ceremony, provide Confirmation certificate to the newly confirmed and record the sacrament received in the parish Confirmation register.

* *The Parish Sponsor represents the parish community. The Parish Sponsor acts as a companion who guides, prays with and encourages the candidate to live out the Christian life of a disciple in the parish community.*

Role of the Candidate:

- ⇒ Attend both interviews with the Pastor or his representative.
- ⇒ Provide sacramental information on their Baptism and First Eucharist to the parish contact.
- ⇒ Attend both sessions for catechetical formation at the Archdiocesan Pastoral Center
- ⇒ Choose a sponsor who is at least 16 years of age, a practicing Catholic and fully initiated (had received Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist)



The Office of Faith Formation prepares catechized adults for the Sacrament of Confirmation in a series of two sessions. **Candidates are required to attend both sessions**

Dates for classes:

Session One: Friday, May 6, 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Session Two: Saturday, May 7, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Classes are offered in English and Spanish.

All classes will be held at the:

Archdiocese of San Francisco Pastoral Center
One Peter Yorke Way
San Francisco, CA 94109

Cost: \$60.00 per person. This covers the cost of materials, supplies and refreshment.



When can the Sacrament of Confirmation be received?

After the catechetical preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Sacrament may be received in the parish when the Archbishop or Bishop comes to the parish to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with the faith community. The Sacrament may also be received at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption at Pentecost, June 5, at the 11:00 am Mass with the Archbishop.

The Office of Faith Formation will notify the parish that the candidate has completed the course work.

BIG NEWS—Join and invite your catechists and others. Our office hopes to see you at the Eucharist Revival



**"I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world."
John 6:51**

The Bishops of the United States are calling for a three-year grassroots revival of devotion and belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. They believe that God wants to see **a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and sent out in mission “for the life of the world.”**

The Office of Faith Formation is encouraging all DRE/CREs and faith formation leaders to check out this important new initiative of our Catholic Church in the United States.

<https://eucharisticrevival.org/>

National EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

I have never attended such an event. This is indeed bigger than LA Congress and a way to be missionary disciples for the Eucharist. Start planning now and go to the link to sign up for on-going information and education.

Timeline



Corpus Christi
Launch of the Eucharistic Revival



June 19, 2022—June 11, 2023
Diocesan Year for Eucharistic Revival



June 11, 2023—July 14, 2024
Parish Year of Eucharistic Revival



July 17—21, 2024
National Eucharistic Congress
Indianapolis, Indiana



July 17, 2024—Pentecost 2025
Year of Going Out on Mission

National EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

In conjunction with the Eucharistic Revival various companies have joined together to provide video learnings. When you sign up for the congress you will get this link—for free. – to use for yourself and your parish. More topics will be added as we proceed through the years. Think of starting this at the beginning of your program for your catechist formation. Maybe find one that will be useful for your first parent meeting. Handout materials are also provided.



<https://eucharisticrevival.org/>

Here are some presentations you can begin to use from REVIVE.

LITURGICAL LIFE

Mystery of Eucharist in the Life of Church with Bishop Cuzzens

A Christ Like Marriage that Lasts with Greg Schutte

MORAL FORMATION

Loving and Serving the Poor with Fr. Mark—Mary, CFR

COMMUNAL LIFE

Ministry in Cultural Diversity with Luis Soto

MISSIONARY SPIRIT

Everyday Apostles with Ryan O'Hara

Discipleship with Julianne Stang

Evangelization with Chris Stefanick

METHODOLOGY

Youth Ministry with Mark Hart



Here is another adult resource to enliven your parish!

Sent to Serve ABOUT OUR MISSION Reaching the unreached in faith. The mission of Paulist Evangelization Ministries is to develop effective methods for inviting people to believe in Jesus Christ as Catholics or to become active again in the Catholic faith, and to equip Catholics with the tools to further this invitation. Home › Programs ›

Group Resources for Spiritual Growth What is it? Missionary Disciples are Connected Disciples! Sent to Serve draws on Scripture, Church teaching, and parishioners' own experience of Jesus to create connected small group communities within your parish. These small groups are then "on fire" with the Spirit to evangelize and grow the community within the context of the larger parish.

How does it work? Sent to Serve's process starts with an engaging experiential learning activity. After this, participants read and reflect on the Gospels, the Beatitudes, or the Sacraments. Participants then view intriguing and insightful videos from preacher Rob Bell before entering the heart of the process: faith sharing with others. Each session ends with a call to action, prayer, music, and a meditation.

Everything about the process is designed to examine our experiences in the light of the Gospel and to connect us to one another. **Why?** Our Catholic faith is primarily a communal experience that we share with others! When our parishioners understand that their experience of the Gospels matters, they can share those experiences with others. Then belonging to a dynamic and inclusive Church community, they are ready to reach out and evangelize others within and outside of their parishes. You will truly have a Church of joyful missionary disciple

<https://www.pemdc.org/programs/sent/>



"the single most critical factor in an effective parish catechetical program is the leadership of a professionally trained parish catechetical leader." (NDC, Chapter 8 No. 5)

2021-2022 Foundational Training Course for Parish Catechetical Leaders



The courses will be conducted **virtually via Zoom**



Daytime: 1:30 to 4 pm
Evening: 6:00 to 8:30 pm

Call Anelita Reyes(415) 614-5651 or email reyesa@sfarchdiocese.org.

You are invited to attend any session for updating or information.

Topics & Schedule of Sessions

2022

May 9 — Program Assessment & Evaluation

- ⇒ Creating Assessment and Evaluation Tools for Faith Formation Program
- ⇒ Self-Assessment Process for Parish Catechetical Leaders based on the National Certification Standards for Lay Ecclesial Ministers



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Greetings from Boston College School of Theology and Ministry!

This year, **Summer at STM** will be returning to in-person instruction (with some exceptions)! As in years past, we will be offering a robust set of summer courses, continuing our dedication to providing high-quality theological and pastoral education. Courses can either be taken for enrichment or can count toward a degree program. Our **hybrid M.A. in theology and ministry** can be completed through a combination of in-person courses during the summer and online courses during the academic year.

Financial aid is available.

All courses in person unless otherwise noted. Affordable on-campus housing is available.

Summer Religious Education Courses

One-Week Course: Teaching Techniques, Course Design, and Pedagogy for High School Educators (1 credit)

Callid Keefe-Perry, Assistant Professor of Contextual Education and Public Theology, STM

June 27 - 30, 2022

8:00 - 9:00 pm ET

Teaching Theology and Religion: Fundamental Questions (3 credits)

Hosffman Ospino, Associate Professor of Hispanic Ministry and Religious Education, STM

June 27 - July 14, 2022

5:45 - 9:00 pm ET

Education in Living Faith: Foundations and Practice (3 credits; online, synchronous)

Thomas H. Groome, Professor of Theology and Religious Education, STM

July 18 - Aug 4, 2022

8:45 - 11:45 am ET

For a full list of summer courses and programs, check out our [Summer at STM website](#).

If you have questions, feel free to contact us at stmadm@bc.edu or 617-552-6506.

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NorCal Catholic Discipleship Training

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At **YOUTH on a MISSION**, you will encounter Christ, learn practical skills for servant leadership, discover God's call to evangelize, and be challenged to take the next step in your discipleship.

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norcalcatholicyouth.org

Youth on a Mission is a program of the Dioceses of Fresno, Monterey, Oakland, Reno, Sacramento, San Jose, Santa Rosa, Stockton and the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

Follow NorCal Catholic Youth  @ONFiRENorCal  @NorCalCatholicYouth

Youth on a Mission

July 6 - 9, 2022

Camp Pendola

17888 Mill Rd., Camptonville, CA 95922

\$350 includes meals, lodging, supplies
\$50 deposit due at registration

Partial Scholarships available from the Camp Pendola scholarship fund and NorCal High 5 Youth Leadership fund.

Program Questions:

Antony Ta, Sacramento
916-733-0151 • ata@scd.org

Registration Questions:

Jennifer Campbell, Sacramento
916-733-0135 • jcampbell@scd.org

ESPAÑOL



*Dios te salve, María, Llena eres de gracia,
el Señor es contigo. Bendita tú eres entre todas las
mujeres, y bendito es el fruto de tu vientre, Jesús.
Santa María, Madre de Dios, ruega por nosotros,
pecadores, ahora y en la hora de nuestra muer-
te. Amen”*

¡Reserva la Fecha!

3-5 de noviembre de 2022

Únase a nosotros para el tercer año de es-
ta experiencia única de conferencia virtual.

El evento contará con sesiones interactivas en vivo, así como una biblioteca de se-
siones grabadas anteriores que estarán disponibles para los participantes de la con-
ferencia virtual de 2022. Esté atento a futuros correos electrónicos mensuales a partir
de mediados de mayo sobre esta conferencia virtual única.



www.HopeHealRenew.org

Forma de Registración



Nombre Del Candidato _____
No. de tel. _____
Correo Electrónico _____
Parroquia _____

Dirección del Candidato: (# Calle, Ciudad Código Postal) _____

Si, Yo ya recibí los siguientes sacramentos:

_____ Bautizo _____ Eucaristía

Horarios de la Clase:

- Viernes, 6 de Mayo 6:00-9:30 PM Y
- Sábado, 7 de Mayo 10:00 AM-4:00 PM

Tomare la clase en: _____ Inglés _____ Español

Antes de su participación en las clases ofrecidas por la Oficina de Formación en la Fe, la parroquia debe dar permiso al candidato completando este formulario con información sobre la parroquia y enviándolo de vuelta a la Oficina de Formación en la Fe, aceptar hacer entrevistas con el candidato, proporcionar el certificado de Confirmación e ingrese la información sacramental en el registro de la iglesia.

Nombre del pastor o asociado pastoral (en letra de imprenta):

Parroquia: _____
Dirección: _____

No. de Tel. _____
Correo Electrónico: _____

Firma: _____
Fecha: _____

Entiendo que es responsabilidad de la parroquia realizar entrevistas al candidato a la Confirmación, obtener los documentos apropiados (Certificado de Bautismo y Certificado de Primera Comunión), emitir el Certificado de Confirmación después de la Confirmación, así como brindar apoyo al candidato para que participe en la vida parroquial.

Mandar por correo esta forma a:

Office of Faith Formation
Archdiocese of San Francisco
One Peter Yorke Way
San Francisco, CA 94109

Hacer el cheque pagable a Office of

Faith Formation



Preguntas: Llamar al (415) 614-5650 o mandar un Correo Electrónico: arbucklec@sfarchdiocese.org

Clase de preparación para la confirmación para adultos 6 y 7 de Mayo del 2022



Office of Faith Formation
One Peter Yorke Way, SF
94109



Si debido a la cuarentena del Covid-19 no podemos realizar la preparación de Confirmación en persona será virtual.

Este formato se ofrece a adultos catequizados (mayores de 18 años) que necesitan preparación para el Sacramento de la Confirmación.



Responsabilidad de la Parroquia

Dado que la preparación sacramental es formación, esperamos que los candidatos tengan una participación activa en su comunidad parroquial. Para garantizar que esto se lleve a cabo fuera de la clase, se espera la siguiente participación de la parroquia con el candidato a la Confirmación:

- ⇒ Realizar una entrevista preliminar con el candidato fecha (a realizar por el párroco o su representante Del personal de la parroquia).
- ⇒ Proporcionar al candidato un patrocinador parroquial * que mantendrá contacto semanal con el candidato durante todo el tiempo de preparación.
- ⇒ Obtener del candidato todos los documentos necesarios para la recepción de la Confirmación, p. Ej. Certificado de bautismo...
- ⇒ Llevar a cabo una entrevista de salida con el candidato (a realizar por el pastor o el personal asignado) para el discernimiento final Del Sacramento del candidato.
- ⇒ Informar al candidato y patrocinador de la hora / lugar, fecha de celebración del Sacramento. Si el Sacramento se celebrará en la Catedral de Santa María, envíe un representante parroquial para que asista a la ceremonia en apoyo del candidato.

- ⇒ Después de la ceremonia, proporcione el certificado de Confirmación al recién confirmado y registre el sacramento recibido en el registro de Confirmación de la parroquia.

** El patrocinador parroquial representa a la comunidad parroquial. El Patrocinador Parroquial actúa como un compañero que guía, ora y anima al candidato a vivir la vida cristiana de un discípulo en la comunidad parroquial.*

Responsabilidad del Candidato:

- Asistir a ambas entrevistas con el Pastor o su representante.
- ⇒ Proporcionar información sacramental sobre su Bautismo y Primera Eucaristía al contacto de la parroquia.
- ⇒ Asistir a ambas sesiones de formación catequética en el Centro Pastoral Arquidiocesano.
- ⇒ Elija un padrino que tenga al menos 16 años de edad, un católico practicante y totalmente iniciado (haya recibido el Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Eucaristía)



The Office of Faith Formation prepara a los adultos catequizados para el Sacramento de la Confirmación en una serie de dos sesiones. Los candidatos deben asistir a ambas sesiones.

Fechas para las Clases:

Primera sesión: Viernes Mayo 6, 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Segunda sesión: Sábado, Mayo 7, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Las Clases serán ofrecidas en Español e inglés

Todas las Clases serán en:

Archdiocese of San Francisco Pastoral Center
One Peter Yorke Way San Francisco, CA 94109

Costo: \$60.00 por persona. Esto cubre el costo de materiales, suministros y refrescos.



¿Cuándo se puede recibir el Sacramento de la Confirmación? Después de la preparación catequética para el Sacramento de la Confirmación, el Sacramento se puede recibir en la parroquia cuando el Arzobispo o el Obispo venga a la parroquia. Celebrar el Sacramento de la Confirmación con la comunidad de fe. El Sacramento también se puede recibir en la Catedral de Santa María de la Asunción en Pentecostés, 5 de junio de 2022 a las 11:00 am misa por el Arzobispo.

La Oficina de Formación en la Fe notificará a la parroquia que el candidato ha completado el trabajo del curso.

May				
4	Deanery 10 Summer planning meeting		Planning for group events through the year	
6-7	Adult Confirmation Classes VIRTUAL	Friday 6:00-8:30 PM & Saturday 10:00-4:00	All adults 17 years of age and older are invited with permission of their pastor	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
7	Youth Confirmation at St. Mary Cathedral			
8	Mother's Day			
9	Foundational Training Session 8	1:30 to 4 pm 6 to 8:30 pm	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
12	Pius X Dinner and Recognition	6:30 PM	St. Mary Cathedral with Archbishop Cordileone	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
24	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	3:30-4:45	virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
24	World Day of Prayer for the Church in China			
29	Ascension of the Lord			
30	Memorial Day	Pastoral offices are closed		
June		Pope's intention for the month: The Beauty of Marriage	Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a	Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.
5	Pentecost Sunday			
5	Adult Confirmations	11:00 AM St. Mary Cathedral		Office of Worship Laura Bertone bertonel@sfarch.org
12	Feast of the Most Holy Trinity			
16	Deanery 10 PCL Meeting	10:00-11:30	TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
19	Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ			
20	Juneteenth	Pastoral Offices closed		
28	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	3:30-4:45	Place: TBA	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
12-14	National Gathering in Christian Initiation	"Evaluating and Revital- izing the RCIA in Your Parish"	Chicago, Ill	LTP.org
22	Earth Day	Do something with Laudato Si		
24	Respect Life Essay Contest Mass	11:00 AM	St. Mary Cathedral	

June				
25	Catechist Formation (workshops)	1 to 2:30 pm 2:45 to 4:15 pm	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
28	Deanery 11 PCL Meeting	3:30-4:45	Virtual	Sr. Celeste Arbuckle arbucklec@sfarch.org
July				
6-9	NorCal Youth on a Mission		Camp Pendola in Camptonville, CA for teens entering 9th grade thru entering 12th grade.	Marianoc@sfarch.org
9	Catechist Formation (workshops)	1 to 2:30 pm 2:45 to 4:15 pm	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
August				
6	Catechist Formation (workshops)	1 to 2:30 pm 2:45 to 4:15 pm	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
13-14	National Gathering on Christian Initiation		Chicago, Ill	Ngci.org
27	Deaneries 8 & 9 Catechists Day	Note date change	Virtual	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
27	SF Catechists Day of Reflection		St. Paul Church, SF	Anelita Reyes reyesa@sfarch.org
September				
17	ON FIRE for Youth and Young Adult Ministry Nor-Cal kick off	9:00 AM– 10:00 PM	Six Flags Discovery Kingdom in Vallejo, CA.	Marianoc@sfarch.org
19	Catechetical Sunday		Commission your catechists	

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When we look back on this time

May we recall it as the time we all heard the angels' cry

And worked together to reveal that peace to all.