

Eucharist Preparation Program Calendar 2018

Thursday, February 1st, 2018 Parent Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in Emerald Hall-
This is a PARENTS ONLY MEETING that will last one hour.

Each week parents will cover a lesson at home with their child to prepare him/her for First Eucharist. These lessons are separate from the catechesis that will be given to your child in their faith formation classroom. The books for the lessons will be distributed at the parent meeting. Lesson 1 and lesson 5 are done together as a group.

| <u>Dates:</u> | <u>Lessons:</u> | <u>Topic:</u> |
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| *Thursday, February 22nd | Lesson 1 Family group session-see note below | We Belong |
| Week of February 25th | Lesson 2 | We Gather |
| Week of March 4th | Lesson 3 | We Listen |
| Week of March 11th | Lesson 4 | We Give Thanks |
| *Thursday, April 12th | Lesson 5 Family group session –see note below | We Remember |
| Week of April 22nd | Lesson 6 | We Celebrate |
| Week of April 29th | Lesson 7 | We Live |
| *Thursday, May 3rd | 6:30 p.m. Rehearsal and Review in the Church | |

- ❖ **Family Group Sessions: Lesson 1 and Lesson 5 are the Family Group Sessions. Families will meet at St. Patrick's in Emerald Hall at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 22nd for the first lesson. Families will gather again on Thursday, April 12th in Emerald hall for the fifth lesson at 6:30 p.m.**

First Eucharist Celebrations: Sign up for your choice of Mass Time for First Eucharist Weekend will take place at the Parent Meeting. Every effort will be made to accommodate your choice of time.

Family First Eucharist Practice is on Thursday, May 3rd at 6:30 p.m. in the Church. Learners will receive First Eucharist with their family at weekend Masses on Saturday, May 5th at 5:00 p.m. or Sunday, May 6th at the 8:00 or 10:30 a.m. Masses.

Regarding questions, please call Teresa Neuman-Director of Faith Formation (651-621-1565 or e-mail me at tneuman@churchofstpatrick.com)