

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

Journey of Faith

St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, Stafford Springs, CT

St Luke Catholic Church, Ellington, CT

All Saints Catholic Church, Somers, CT

What is it? It is a program for:

- those who have not been baptized and who would like to investigate the teachings of the Catholic Church with the possibility of baptism at Easter.
- those who have been baptized in another Christian faith but who would like to explore the possibility of entering into a full communion with the Catholic Church.
- Catholic Christians who have not completed all their sacraments of initiation and would like to enter into a deeper relationship with God through the Church.

When does it meet? Sessions are held Monday evenings, 7:00--8:30 p.m., beginning mid-September through Pentecost Sunday of the following year.

Meeting location: Cross and Crown Meeting Room, 6 Benton St., Stafford Springs

Whom do I contact? Anne B. Stauffer: 860-684-1447; or Parish Office: 860-684-2705
Deacon Frank Hann: 860-875-6543

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

If you are not Catholic and would like to explore the life and teaching of the Church, or if you are non-confirmed, or if you are Catholic and simply want to learn more about the faith, please be sure to **place this coupon in the basket at Mass or mail** it to the parish office, 6 Benton Street, Stafford Springs, so we can register you for this fall's program.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Check One:

I am a non-Catholic, but Baptized.

I am not yet Baptized.

I am a Confirmed Catholic and want to learn more about my faith.

I am a Catholic, but I've been away from the Church for a while and now want to come back.

Do You Know Any Potential RCIA Candidates?

The RCIA program prepares candidates to be received as full-fledged members of the Catholic Church. Potential candidates may be found among family members of our own parish community. If you know anyone who may be interested in seeking full communion with the Catholic Church in faith and worship, please refer them to us on the form below.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____