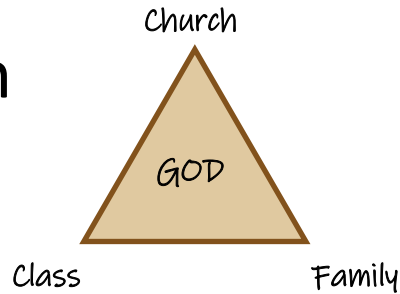


# Faith Formation

## 2025-2026



## Southern Moraine Parishes

St. James the Less  
St. Peter the Apostle  
St. Theresa of Avila

### How is a child formed in faith?

We believe that faith formation is a partnership with parents, who are the primary teachers in passing on the faith to their children. This is because faith is lived as much as it is learned. Faith formation classes, together with family life and the church, are all essential in helping children to grow into true disciples of Jesus Christ. Mass attendance should be a regular part of your family life.

#### St. Peter the Apostle Masses

Saturday 5:30 pm  
Sunday 9:30 am

#### St. Theresa of Avila Masses

Saturday 4:30 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am

#### St. James the Less Masses

Saturday 4:00 pm  
Sunday 7:30 and 10:30 am

## First Reconciliation

### First Reconciliation

Jan 17, 9:00-10:30 am

For all parishes. Held at St. James the Less



## First Communion

### First Communion

St. James, Saturday May 2, 4:00 pm

St. James, Sunday, May 3, 10:30 am

St. Theresa, Sunday, May 3, 8:30am

St. Peter, Sunday, May 10, 9:30 am

**First Communion Retreat**— Sun, Mar. 8, 1:00-3:00 pm

For all parishes, held at St. Peter the Apostle

## Confirmation

### “Be sealed with the gift of the Holy Spirit.”

Preparing for Confirmation is a rich spiritual journey into a deeper relationship with God and his Church and will include service, a retreat, and sponsor involvement.

#### Confirmation Session Choices

Summer option (see prerequisite below)  
Wednesday Evening option

#### Confirmation Retreat

Pallotti Retreat Center  
TBD (Est. ~1/10/26 - 1/11/26)

**Apr 28**

Tuesday

#### Confirmation Rehearsal + Mass

6-7pm rehearsal at St. James

7pm Mass at St. James



## Confirmation Preparation - Summer Option

St. James, June 16-20, 9:30am-3:30pm

This intensive summer option for Confirmation takes the place of Wednesday evening classes and is available to students who:

- will be juniors or seniors in 2025-2026
- were registered and attended regularly in their 9th and 10th grade years
- are available for the full week from 9:30am-3:30pm

# Session Dates

## St. Peter Sundays

Sessions follow Mass

**K-10th 10:45-12:15**

---

|          |                    |
|----------|--------------------|
| October  | 12, 26             |
| November | 9, 16              |
| December | 7                  |
| January  | 4, 18              |
| February | 1, 15              |
| March    | 1, <b>15*</b> , 22 |
| April    | 12, 19             |

\*9th and 10th Grade class will not meet this day—will instead join March 18th Session @ SJL for special guest speaker.

## St. Theresa Sundays

Sessions follow Mass

**K-10th 9:45-11:15**

---

|          |                    |
|----------|--------------------|
| October  | 12, 26             |
| November | 9, 16              |
| December | 7                  |
| January  | 4, 18              |
| February | 1, 15              |
| March    | 1, <b>15*</b> , 22 |
| April    | 12, 19             |

\*9th and 10th Grade class will not meet this day—will instead join March 18th Session @ SJL for special guest speaker.

## St. James Wednesdays

Elementary Only

**K-6th 4:30-6:00**

---

|          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| October  | 15, 29    |
| November | 12, 19    |
| December | 10        |
| January  | 7, 21     |
| February | 4, 18     |
| March    | 4, 18, 25 |
| April    | 8, 22     |

## St. James Thursdays

Middle School Only

**7th-8th 3:00-4:30**

---

|          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| October  | 16, 30    |
| November | 13, 20    |
| December | 11        |
| January  | 8, 22     |
| February | 5, 19     |
| March    | 5, 19, 26 |
| April    | 9, 23     |

## St. James Wednesdays

Middle and High School

**7th-11th 7:00-8:30pm**

---

|          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| October  | 15, 29    |
| November | 12, 19    |
| December | 10        |
| January  | 7, 21     |
| February | 4, 18     |
| March    | 4, 18, 25 |
| April    | 8, 22     |