**FAMILY FAITH FORMATION (K-6) CALENDAR**

St. Wendelin Catholic Church

2022 - 2023

*Please note that this is not a complete list of dates for sacramental preparation sessions, retreats, or liturgies - these will be included on a separate calendar!*

\*All **Wednesday evening** gatherings will be from **6:15pm-7:45pm.** This is a change from last year, due to the feedback received from participating parents.

**\*Sunday gathering** times will vary, depending on the type of activity that is planned, but more often than not they will be between Sunday Masses. Times included here may be subject to change with advanced notice. Please stay tuned each month for more information!

\*A few important **sacramental dates** are included on this calendar, but a more complete list of sacramental formation dates will be provided at a later date to each family with a child in formation for that particular sacrament.

**AUGUST**

**Wednesday, August 17th** - Introductory Parent Meeting & Student Meet & Greet

**Sunday, August 21st** **–** *Mass &**Small Group Fellowship Breakfast* (8am – 10:30am)

**SEPTEMBER** - *Foundations of a Faithful Family*

**Wednesday, September 7th** - Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Sunday, September 18th -** 11am Mass followed by picnic with small groups & Family Spirituality Fair (11am-2pm)

**Wednesday, September 21st** – REBOOT w/ Chris Stefanick - Fostoria JSHS Auditorium @ 7pm

**OCTOBER** - *What is a Sacrament?*

**Wednesday, October 5th** - Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Sunday, October 16th** - “Exploring Signs & Symbols” (9am-10:45am)

**Wednesday, October 19th** – Sacrament Preparation & Community Night

**NOVEMBER** – *Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism*

**Wednesday, November 9th** - Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Sunday, November 13th** – Attending a Baptism (9am – 10:45am)

**Wednesday, November 16th** – Sacrament Preparation & ***The Culture Project*** presentations

**DECEMBER** - *The Sacrament of Confirmation*

**Sunday, December 4th** – Advent Retreat & Penance Service – *includes dinner!* (5pm-7:30pm)

**Wednesday, December 7th** - Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Wednesday, December 14th** - Sacrament Preparation & Community Night

**JANUARY** – *The Eucharist & the Mass*

**Wednesday, January 4th -** Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Sunday, January 15th** – Breakfast, Explanation of the Mass & Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration (9am -10:45am)

**Wednesday, January 18th** - Sacrament Preparation & Community Night

**FEBRUARY** – *The Sacraments of Healing: Penance & Reconciliation*

**Wednesday, February 1st -** Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Saturday, February 11th** – 2nd grade Dragon Slayer Retreat (9am-12:30pm)

Small group service projects! (*Dates & times vary per small group*)

**Wednesday, February 15th** – First Reconciliation @ 7pm

**Wednesday, February 22nd** – Sacrament Preparation & Community Night & Ash Wednesday Mass

**MARCH** – *Anointing of the Sick & the Holy Triduum*

**Wednesday, March 1st -** Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Sunday, March 5th –** Dinner & Lenten Penance Service (5:30pm-7:30pm)

**Wednesday, March 15th -** Sacrament Preparation & Community Night

**Saturday, March 25th** – Sacrament of Confirmation at Rosary Cathedral (10am)

**Wednesday, March 29th\* -** Parent & Grade Level Sessions (\*Takes the place of one Wednesday session in April)

**APRIL** – *The Sacraments of Holy Orders & Matrimony*

**Sunday, April 16th** – Divine Mercy Easter Celebration & “Grace Person” Show & Tell (3pm-5:30pm)

**Wednesday, April 19th** – Sacrament Preparation & ***The Culture Project*** presentations

**Sunday, April 30th** – First Communion at 11am Mass

**MAY** - *Wrap Up - The Sacraments*

**Wednesday, May 3rd -** Parent & Grade Level Sessions

**Wednesday, May 17th** - Community Night

**Sunday, May 21st** - 8am Mass followed by Sacraments *Jeopardy!* Game (9-10:45am)

**JUNE** -

**Sunday, June 4th –** Jesus by Candlelight & End of the Year Family Campfire! (5pm-7:30pm)

**Tuesday, June 13th -** Summer Family Days begin!

**JULY** -

**July 17th–22nd -** Family Mission Week & Vacation Bible School (tentative)