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FORMING DISCIPLES: LEADING ALL TO CHRIST

July 2, 2020

Dear Families,

Hello! I hope this letter finds you well! We are joyfully preparing for the reception of the Sacrament of First Communion for your child. If you are receiving this letter, we have your child scheduled to celebrate the sacrament of first Eucharist on Saturday, July 11th at 2:00pm. We are asking that you arrive at 1:45pm and check in with one of our catechists or with me. We will be able to direct you to your pew. All families will be seated in one of the two center sections of pews, a family on each end. Please be reminded that only the parents and student may attend. The Covid-19 directives and guidelines for attending Mass will be observed which includes Masks and Social Distancing.

When receiving communion, you will go up as a family. Your child will receive first and then the parents. Please review how to receive communion with your child. I am attaching some Youtube videos that I'd like you to share with your child. One is "[Why is First Communion such a special occasion?](#)" and the other is "[How to Receive Communion](#)". The one video shows how you would receive as a family, and what to do if a parent is not Catholic or not receiving communion. The "[Sacraments 101](#)" is one I have shared previously but is still a good review. Note, there will not be any sacred blood. Please take a few minutes to view prior to July 11th.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Aa5Nqb7lesY>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lbVXonIAY4o>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qdGkTdv4Dt4&list=PL60396574E0A0B9A2&index=2>

Also, to prepare for the blessed sacrament we encourage you to take your child to confession. Please refer to the schedule for St. Patrick: Thursdays: 5:00-6:00 PM and Saturdays: 4:00-4:45 PM in the Church Family Room or call the parish office at 636-332-9225 to schedule an appointment.

Regarding attire, we ask for *Sunday Best!* For girls, the dress for First Communion is a traditional white or pastel dress and optional veil. Out of reverence, please no off shoulder or spaghetti strap outfits or short skirts. For boys, dress pants, dress shoes, dress/collared shirt; tie and jacket is optional.

Photography and videotaping is NOT permitted during the Liturgy, but please feel free to take pictures outside after Mass. The Mass will be live-streamed on YouTube and Facebook. Please go to the parish website www.stpatrickwentzville.org for the links.

We continue to pray for one another that we remain connected to Jesus in these coming days! We look forward to seeing and sharing this special occasion with you.

Unconditionally Loved.

Peggy Webb



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List of First Communicants. (Not seating assignment)

Brooklyn	Crouch
Jason	Duing
Eamon	Fair
Jack	Ferguson
Wyatt	Fletcher
Lucia	Hines
Madison	Johns
Louise	Lally
Sara	Luzynski
Dulce	Mora
Benjamin	Nickell
Lucas	Ramey
Jack	Schoonover
Averi	Smith
Liam	VanDegriffe
Emmett	Weiss
Isabel	White
Mitchell	Winterer
Nevayah	Whitten
Jimena	Moreno
Samantha	Deibis
Sarah	Deibis
Gabe	Rosas