

# SJE 2025-2026 Religious Education Calendar (Grades 1-8 ONLY)

***PLEASE NOTE: Unless stated otherwise, all sessions are held from 6:15 to 7:30 p.m. Please enter through door #13. We ask that students arrive on time for each session. If this is not possible for a given session, kindly inform our Director of Lifelong Faith Formation, John Paul Shimek, at [jpslimek@stjohns-grfd.org](mailto:jpslimek@stjohns-grfd.org) or (414) 321-9822, as well as your child's catechist.***

## OCTOBER

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| October 1  | Class – Grades 1-8                     |
| October 8  | Class – Grades 1-8                     |
| October 15 | Class – Grades 1-8                     |
| October 22 | Class – Grades 1-8                     |
| October 29 | <b>NO CLASS / Catechist In-Service</b> |

## NOVEMBER

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| November 5                                    | Class – Grades 1-8   |                         |   |
| November 12                                   | Class – Grades 1-8   |                         |   |
| November 19                                   | <table><tr><td>Class – Grades 1-2 ONLY</td></tr><tr><td>Reconciliation Service for<br/>Grades 3-8 ONLY</td></tr></table> | Class – Grades 1-2 ONLY | Reconciliation Service for<br>Grades 3-8 ONLY |
| Class – Grades 1-2 ONLY                       |  |                         |   |
| Reconciliation Service for<br>Grades 3-8 ONLY |  |                         |   |
| November 26 – THANKSGIVING<br>BREAK           | NO CLASS   |                         |   |

## DECEMBER

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| December 3                    | <b>NO CLASS</b>    |
| December 10                   | Class – Grades 1-8 |
| December 17                   | Class – Grades 1-8 |
| December 24 – CHRISTMAS BREAK | <b>NO CLASS</b>    |
| December 31 – CHRISTMAS BREAK | <b>NO CLASS</b>    |

## JANUARY

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| January 7                                   | Class – Grades 1-8   |                            |   |
| January 14                                  | Class – Grades 1-8   |                            |   |
| January 21                                  | <table><tr><td>Class – Grades 1; 3-8 ONLY</td></tr><tr><td>First Reconciliation Service – Grade 2 ONLY</td></tr></table> | Class – Grades 1; 3-8 ONLY | First Reconciliation Service – Grade 2 ONLY |
| Class – Grades 1; 3-8 ONLY                  |  |                            |   |
| First Reconciliation Service – Grade 2 ONLY |  |                            |   |
| January 28                                  | NO CLASS / Catechist In-Service  |                            |   |

## FEBRUARY

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| February 4                               | <table><tr><td>Class – Grade 1 ONLY</td></tr><tr><td>Reconciliation Service – Grades 2-8 ONLY</td></tr></table>    | Class – Grade 1 ONLY | Reconciliation Service – Grades 2-8 ONLY |
| Class – Grade 1 ONLY                     |  |                      |  |
| Reconciliation Service – Grades 2-8 ONLY |  |                      |  |
| February 11                              | Class – Grades 1-8   |                      |  |
| February 18 – ASH WEDNESDAY              | <i>*Students will attend Holy Mass together with their catechists. Parents/Families are encouraged to join us!</i> |                      |  |
| February 25                              | Class – Grades 1-8   |                      |  |

## MARCH

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| March 4                    | Class – Grades 1-8   |
| March 11                   | Class – Grades 1-8   |
| March 18                   | Class – Grades 1-8   |
| March 25                   | Class – Grades 1-8   |
| <b>SATURDAY</b> , March 28 | First Holy Communion Retreat from 8:30am to 11:20am (Grade 2 ONLY) |

## APRIL

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|---|---|-----------------------|---|
| April 1 – EASTER BREAK  | NO CLASS  |                       |   |
| April 8 – EASTER BREAK  | NO CLASS  |                       |   |
| April 15  | Class – Grades 1-8  |                       |   |
| April 22  | Class – Grades 1-8  |                       |   |
| April 29  | <table><tr><td>Class – Grades 1; 3-8</td></tr><tr><td>Grade 2 ONLY: First Holy Communion Rehearsal at 6pm in the Church/Parish Hall</td></tr></table> | Class – Grades 1; 3-8 | Grade 2 ONLY: First Holy Communion Rehearsal at 6pm in the Church/Parish Hall |
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| Grade 2 ONLY: First Holy Communion Rehearsal at 6pm in the Church/Parish Hall |   |                       |   |

## MAY

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| <b>SATURDAY</b> , May 2 | Grade 2 ONLY, but all are welcome to attend: Celebration of First Holy Communion. <i>First Holy Communicants should plan to enter through door #13.</i> |
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