

# SJE 2025-2026 Religious Education Calendar (Grades 9-11/Confirmation 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 9-11/Confirmation   |
| October 8  | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation<br><br><i><b>NOTE: Mrs. Karen Schulteis, SJE Director of Liturgy and Music, will meet with our high school students this evening to discuss opportunities to volunteer in liturgical and musical roles at our parish.</b></i> |
| October 15 | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |
| October 22 | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |
| October 29 | <b>NO CLASS / Catechist In-Service</b>   |

## NOVEMBER

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| November 5                       | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation |
| November 12                      | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation |
| November 19                      | Reconciliation Service           |
| November 26 – THANKSGIVING BREAK | <b>NO CLASS</b>                  |

## DECEMBER

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| December 3                    | <b>NO CLASS</b>                              |
| December 10                   | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation             |
| December 17                   | Special Class – ALL Grades 9-11/Confirmation |
| 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 9-11/Confirmation       |
| January 14 | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation       |
| January 21 | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation       |
| January 28 | <b>NO CLASS / Catechist In-Service</b> |

## FEBRUARY

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| February 4                         | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |
| February 11                        | <b>Reconciliation Service</b>  |
| February 18 – <b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b> | <i>*Students will attend Holy Mass together with their catechists. Parents/Families are encouraged to join us!</i> |
| February 25                        | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |

## MARCH

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| March 4                   | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |
| <b>SATURDAY</b> , March 7 | <p>SJE Confirmation Retreat from 9:30am to 4:30pm/Evening Mass.<br/><i>Please enter through door #13.</i></p> <p><i>[NOTE: Confirmandi should plan on attending the Saturday evening Mass. It is a required part of the retreat experience.]</i></p> |
| March 11                  | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |
| March 18                  | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |
| March 25                  | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation   |

## APRIL

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| April 1 – EASTER BREAK | <b>NO CLASS</b>                  |
| April 8 – EASTER BREAK | <b>NO CLASS</b>                  |
| April 15               | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation |
| April 22               | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation |
| April 29               | Class – Grades 9-11/Confirmation |

## MAY

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| May 13 | <p>Grade 11/Confirmation ONLY, but all are welcome to attend: Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation with Bishop Haines at 7pm.</p> <p><i>Please Note: Please plan to arrive by 6pm.</i></p> <p>Location: St. Barnabas (Mother of Perpetual Help) – West Allis</p> |
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