## 2023-24 10th Grade Youth Ministry Schedule 09/26/2023

Classes are held on the following Sundays, 11:00am-12:00pm, with the exception of retreats. Please choose one retreat. Parent chaperones are needed for retreats; please contact Karin if you are able to help for all or part of the day. **All chaperones are required to complete the Safeguarding God's Family training and background check before the retreat.** Questions? Please email or call <a href="mailto:kfelske@stmattoc.org">kfelske@stmattoc.org</a>, 414-762-4200 ext. 114.

October 8th: First Class: "Why am I Here?"

October 22<sup>nd</sup>: "What Makes Me Happy?"

Monday November 1: All Saints Day, Families welcome to attend Mass at 6:30pm

Tuesday November 2: All Souls Day, Families welcome to attend 7:00pm Cemetery

**Procession** 

**November 12:** Why Be Catholic?

No class November 26

**December 10** (Advent): How does God help when it hurts?

Saturday December 16<sup>th</sup>: Retreat option #1 at St. Matthew, with *Spiritus Ministries* 10:30am-5:00pm (Includes Mass).Sign up by December 1st via Sign Up Genius. Separate permission form required. Parent chaperones needed. Contact Karin Felske if you are available to help, kfelske@stmattoc.org

No class December 25

January 14: Why do I have to go to Mass? (Lesson 15)

January 28th: No Class

Saturday February 3: Retreat option #2: at St. Mary by the Lake, 10:30am-6:30pm. Includes 5:30pm Mass. Separate permission form required. Please sign up by Monday, January 22nd via Sign up Genius. Parent chaperones needed. Contact Karin Felske if you are available to help, kfelske@stmattoc.org

**February 11** Safeguarding God's Family Lesson "Boundaries: Levels of Intimacy & Influence" (Materials provided from the archdiocese)

February 14 - Wed. - Ash Wednesday, attend Mass at St. Matthew with your family at 6:30pm

February 25<sup>th</sup>: NO class. In place of class, students and catechists attend parish mission as a class, February 27-28.

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March 10<sup>th</sup>: Who is Jesus?

March 24<sup>th</sup>: Palm Sunday—attend Mass as a family

Holy Week: Attend Mass as a Family

March 24th: Palm Sunday

March 28th: Holy Thursday at 7pm

March 29th: Good Friday 1pm

March 30th: Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil) 8pm

## April 14th: Final Class "Who is the Holy Spirit?"

**Service:** Students are expected to complete service to the parish and community, for a total of 30 service hours by the time of Confirmation. Below are some opportunities throughout the year. Please contact Karin with any questions. Additional opportunities may come up during the year. Please watch your email for additional information.

- **Choir member or cantor:** sing at special events throughout the year. Contact Chris O'Loughlin, <u>coloughlin@stmattoc.org</u>.
- **Family Service Ministry:** Help out as a family at Just One More Ministries in Glendale: Ongoing throughout the year. Please contact Julie Joosten for more information.
- Sandwich Sunday at St. Matthew: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month, 9:00am- 9:30am in the school cafeteria. Help make and pack sandwiches for Guest House of Milwaukee. Please contact Karin to sign up. Masks are required for Sandwich Sunday.
- **Bingo at Elizabeth Residence in Oak Creek**: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month, 5:45pm-7pm. Students help residents with bingo cards and calling bingo numbers. Separate permission form needed—please see our website for the form.
- Friday February 9, 2024: Holy Name Card Party at St. Matthew. Students help with handing out popcorn and raffle tickets to guests at the card party. Additional information to follow—this is an evening event.
- **Sunday May 12, 2024: Mother's Day Breakfast.** Students help with serving coffee and beverages at the breakfast in the St. Matthew Cafeteria, additional info to follow.