

2021 - 2022

Preschool & Kindergarten Family Faith Formation

age 3 (by Sept 1) through Kindergarten



The Christian home is the place where children receive the first proclamation of the faith. For this reason, the family home is rightly called "the domestic church," a community of grace and prayer, a school of human virtues and of Christian charity. CCC #1666

At the Brainerd parishes, parents are included in the faith formation process for preschool and kindergarten children!

Preschool & Kindergarten children of All Saints, St Andrew, St Francis and St Mathias parishes are invited to attend with their parents, guardians or grandparents at one of the following locations:

- St Francis Church Hall 10:00 – 11:00 one Sunday a month. First date will be Oct 3.
- All Saints Church, 9:15 – 10:15 one Sunday a month. First date will be Oct 10.

Schedules on next page.

During these once-a-month sessions there is a portion of time where parents work with their child, and another portion where the children leave with a teacher to continue the lesson.

While your child is with his or her teacher there will be something offered to you as well. This may be a presentation by a professional in child development, mental health, theology, or other. Or it might be viewing a video on parenting, church teaching, current hot topics etc. Or it might be a time to connect with other parents in a faith filled, welcoming, and hospitable atmosphere, while helping your child learn more about Jesus and His Church.

It will also be a time for you to see resources that are available to help in the faith formation of your child.

We hope this will be a rewarding "special" time spent sharing your faith with your child in addition to what you are already sharing at home. And if you are not accustomed to talking about faith at home, this may help you to begin!

At the end of each session, those attending at St Francis will receive a packet to work on with your child at home over the next month if you choose. The packet will contain lesson sheets, a fun art & craft activity or two to go along with the theme for the month, color pages etc.

I hope to see you and your little one in October!
If you have any questions please call or email me!

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St Francis Preschool & Kindergarten Sunday 10:00 – 11:00 St Francis Church Hall
October 3
October 31
December 5
January 9
February 13
March 6
April 3

All Saints Preschool & Kindergarten Sunday 9:15 – 10:15 All Saints Church
October 10
November 14
December 5
January 9
February 6
March 6
April 3