

FAITH FORMATION NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2025

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CLICK [HERE](#) FOR A LINK TO 2025-2026 FAITH FORMATION CALENDAR

HERE IS A [PRAYER SHEET](#) FOR EVERYONE!

Print as many as you need and keep them handy.

It's an easy way to help your children learn their prayers.

Here is a fun sheet for Grades 1-3 Children!



GRADES 1-6 PARENTS AND FAMILIES

Reminders and Updates:

1. If someone other than a parent is picking up your child, please email Emma Belske oloareligiouseddirector@gmail.com or Mary Federico oloafaithformationsecretary@gmail.com
2. If your child will be absent from class, please email Emma Belske oloareligiouseddirector@gmail.com
3. Please remind your children that we expect good behavior on the buses. This is a safety concern for all. It is extremely important that the bus driver is able to focus on transporting the children safely and not be distracted by bad behavior. Here are a few basic reminders for all children:
 - a. Stay in their seats
 - b. No shouting or screaming
 - c. Keep their hands to themselves.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

DID YOU KNOW...

On October 7th, we celebrated the feast of Our lady of the Rosary.

The month of OCTOBER is dedicated to the HOLY ROSARY

[Join us](#) for our second annual WALKING ROSARY!

- Saturday, October 18th
- 4:30 pm Mass
- Rosary immediately after Mass
- Supper and fellowship to follow

[RSVP HERE!!](#)



Join us to pray and enjoy a good meal together!

NO ROSARY? NO PROBLEM! WE HAVE
PLENTY!

Prayers

APOSTLES CREED:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

OUR FATHER

HAIL MARY

GLORY BE

OH MY JESUS:

Oh, my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of hell! Lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of thy mercy.

HAIL HOLY QUEEN

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

ROSARY PRAYER (after Hail Holy Queen)

Let us pray, O God, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal salvation. Grant, we beseech Thee, that while meditating on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, that we may

HOW TO PRAY THE HOLY ROSARY



theotokosrosaries.com

JOYFUL MYSTERIES MONDAY & SATURDAY

- 1 The Annunciation of the Lord to Mary
- 2 The Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth
- 3 The Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ
- 4 The Presentation of our Lord
- 5 Finding Jesus in the Temple at age 12

LUMINOUS MYSTERIES THURSDAY

- 1 The Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan
- 2 The Wedding at Cana
- 3 The proclamation of the Kingdom
- 4 The Transfiguration of Jesus
- 5 The Institution of the Eucharist

SORROWFUL MYSTERIES TUESDAY & FRIDAY

- 1 The Agony of Jesus in the Garden
- 2 The Scourging at the Pillar
- 3 Jesus is Crowned with Thorns
- 4 Jesus Carries the Cross
- 5 The Crucifixion of our Lord

GLORIOUS MYSTERIES WEDNESDAY & SUNDAY

- 1 The Resurrection of Jesus Christ
- 2 The Ascension of Jesus to Heaven
- 3 The Descent of the Holy Ghost
- 4 The Assumption of Mary into Heaven
- 5 Mary is Crowned as Queen of Heaven and Earth

both imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GRADES 7-10

REMINDERS AND UPDATES:

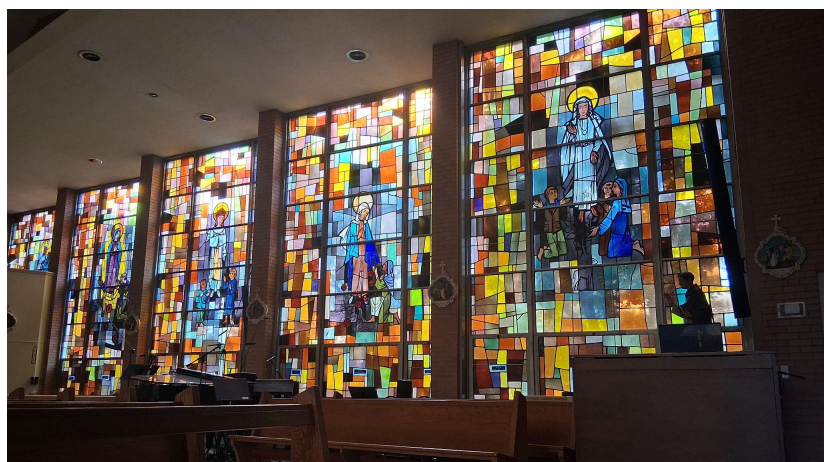
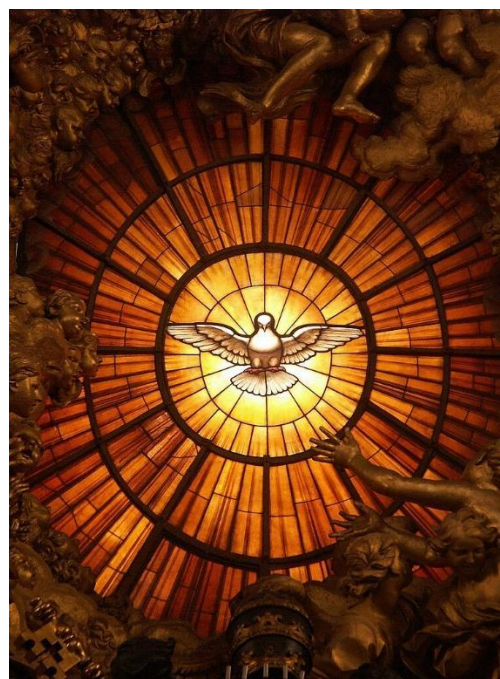
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~ ~ ~ CONFIRMATION RETREAT ~ ~ ~

REMINDER: **NOVEMBER 8TH is the retreat day for ALL Confirmation Candidates!**

- ☐ 8th and 9th Graders – 2-8pm
 - o Arrive at OLOA at 2pm, stay until 8, attend Vigil Mass at 4:30pm
- ☐ 10th Graders: 4:30-8pm
 - o Arrive for 4:30 Vigil Mass, stay until 8



CHOIR NOTES

Children's choir has started and all children are welcome Grades 1-6!

Rehearsals are Tuesdays 4:45-5:30 pm.

Adult choir is in session and has started Christmas preparations! All new members are welcome!

Please contact Keith Smolinski

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