

2019~2020 RCIA Schedule

RCIA Registration Days

DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
Sun, July 7	RCIA Registration	11:00 am to 12:30 pm	St. Augustine Room
Sun, July 14	RCIA Registration	11:00 am to 12:30 pm	St. Augustine Room
Sun, July 21	RCIA Registration	11:00 am to 12:30 pm	St. Augustine Room
Sun, July 28	RCIA Registration	11:00 am to 12:30 pm	St. Augustine Room

Summer MINI-SERIES - Adults and Whole Families

DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
Tues, July 30	The "Catholic Thing" - and many Catholic "things"	7:00-9:00 pm	Church
Wed, July 31	The "ONE THING" that is Necessary	7:00-9:00 pm	Church
Thurs, Aug 1	Inside a Catholic Church	7:00-9:00 pm	Church

TEAM Meetings: 6:30-8:30 pm each evening: *ALL meetings are for all Team Members - catechists, sponsors, shepherds - new & returning*

DATE	TRAINING TOPIC	TIME	ROOM
Tues, Aug 6	ACCOMPANIMENT: Listening & "Walking With"	7:00-9:00 pm	St. Augustine & Holy Family
Thurs, Aug 8	Recruitment Night: Info for potential new recruits	7:00-9:00 pm	St. Augustine
Tues, Aug 13	LAY PRESIDING: Practices for New RCIA Format	TBA	St. Augustine & Holy Family
Tues, 20	Adult Sponsor and Shepherd Night	7:00-9:00 pm	St. Augustine & Room 7
Tues, Aug 27	Shepherds of Families Night	7:00-9:00 pm	St. Augustine & Holy Family

CATECHUMENATE PERIOD

DATE	TOPIC	GOSPEL/LITURGICAL SEASON	CATECHISM REF.
AUGUST			
Thurs, Aug 15	RICHES in Heaven: Open House after Holy Day Masses	19 Ordinary, C: Wis 18:6-9, Heb 11:1-19, Luke 12:32-48	Chapter 34 of USCCA
Thurs, Aug 22	JOY and Suffering: the Christian Disciple	20 Ordinary, C: Jer 38:4-6, Heb 12:1-4, Luke 12:49-53	Chapter 4 of USCCA
Tues, Aug 27	FEAST DAY of ST. MONICA!	Read Ecclesiasticus 26:1-4, 13-16	
Thurs, Aug 29	OPENING DOORS: Our Life in Christ	21 Ordinary, C: Is 66:18-21, Heb 12:5-13, Luke 13:22-30	Chapter 8; Chapter 3
SEPTEMBER			
Thur, Sept 5	HUMILITY: Our Beginnings	22 Ordinary, C: Sir 3:17-29, Heb 12:18-19, Luke 14:1, 7-14	Chapters 1 & 6
Thur, Sept 12	HUMILITY: God's Counsel	23 Ordinary, C: Wis, 9:13, Phlm 9-10, Luke 14:25-33	Ch. 2 & 5
Thur, Sept 19	FALSE GODS: The LOST are FOUND	24 Ordinary, C: Ex 32:7-11, 1 Tm 1:12-17, Luke 15:1-32	Ch 7 & 8
Thur, Sept 26	NEVER WILL I FORGET: Serving One Master	25 Ordinary, C: Amos 8:4-7, 1 Tm 2:1-8, Luke 16:10-13	Chapters 25, 26 & 27
OCTOBER			
Thurs, Oct 3	BEGGARS BEFORE GOD: The Great Commandment	26 Ordinary, C: Amos 6:1-7, 1 Tm 6:11-16, Luke 16:19-31	Chapters 24 + 28-34
Thurs, Oct 10	INCREASE OUR FAITH: The Moral Life	27 Ordinary, C: Heb 1:2-3, 2:2-4, 2 Tm 1:6-8, Luke 17:5-10	Chapter 23
Sat, Oct 12	TEAM MEETING - NO RCIA SESSION	8:30 am Morning Prayer; 9-10 am Discernment Materials; 10-11 am Business Meetings	
Thurs, Oct 17	MADE NEW: The Liturgical Year	28 Ordinary, C: 2 Kings 5:14-17, 2 Tm 2:8-13, Luke 17:11-19	Chapter 14 & 22
Thurs, Oct 24	HANDS UPLIFTED: The Battle of Prayer/Prayer Fair	29 Ordinary, C: Ex 17:8-13, 2 Tm 3:14-4:2, Luke 18:1-8	Chapters 35 & 36
Thurs, Oct 31	NO RCIA SESSION - Discernment at Home	30 Ordinary, C: Sir 35:12-18, 2 Tm 4:6-8, Luke 18:9-14	Discernment Handout
NOVEMBER			
Tues, Nov 1	HOLY DAY: ALL SAINTS		
Thur, Nov 7	SEEDS & SYCAMORES: Vocation & Discernment for Rite	31 Ordinary, C: Wis 11:22-12:2, 2 Thes 1:11-2:2, Luke 19:1-10	Discernment Handouts
Sun, Nov 10	RITE OF ACCEPTANCE & WELCOME	10:00 am, 12:30 pm, & 3:00 pm Masses	Church
Thur, Nov 14	OUR REFUGE & REWARD: Life Eternal	32 Ordinary, C: 2 Mc 7:1-14, 2 Thes 2:16-3:5, Luke 20:27, 34-38	USCCA Ch 13
Thur, Nov 21	UNQUENCHABLE FLAME: Vocation, Sin & Grace	33 Ordinary, C: Mal 3:19-20, 2 Thes 3:7-12, Luke 21:5-19	USCCA Ch 23
Thurs, Nov 28	Thanksgiving Day - NO RCIA SESSION	Christ King: 2 Sm 5:1-3, Col 1:12-20, Luke 23:35-43	

Catechumenate Period continues...

DATE	TOPIC	GOSPEL/LITURGICAL SEASON	CATECHISM REF.
DECEMBER			
Thur, Dec 5	AS FORETOLD: Season of Advent	1 Advent, A: Is 2:1-5, Rom 13:11-14, Matthew 24:37-44	Handouts; Chapter 12
Mon, Dec 9	Feast of the Immaculate Conception	no obligation this year - Feast is one day later than usual	
Thur, Dec 12	Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe	NO RCIA SESSION - Attend Guadalupe Festivities & Mass	
Sat, Dec 14	Family Retreat	10:00 am - 1:00 pm: Cafeteria	
Thur, Dec 19	AS FORETOLD: the Messiah	3 Advent., A: Is 35:1-6, Jas 5:7-10, Matthew 11:2-11	Handouts
Thur, Dec 26	NO RCIA SESSION -- CHRISTMAS VACATION		
JANUARY			
Sun, Jan 1	HOLY DAY: MARY MOTHER OF GOD	Nm 6:22-27, Gal 4:4-7, Ik 2:16-21	
Thurs, Jan 2	ADORING HEARTS: Definition of Sacrament & Witness of Marriage	Holy Family, A: Sir 3:2-14, Col 3:12-21, Mt 2:13-15, 19-23	Chapters 21, 27, 28, 29, 30
Thurs, Jan 9	THROBBING HEARTS: Obedience & Reverence	Epiphany: Is 60:1-6, Eph 3:2-6, Mt 2:1-12	Chapters 26, 29, 31, 32 & 33
Thurs, Jan 16	STRENGTH for BRUISED REEDS: Life in the Trinity	Bapt of Lord, A: Is 42:1-7, Acts 10:34-38, Mt 3:13-17	USCCA Ch 15 & 16
Thurs, Jan 23	OUT of DARKNESS: Sacrament of Reconciliation	2 Ordinary, A: Is 49:3-6, 1 Cor 1:1-3, Jn 1:29-34	USCCA Ch 18
Thurs, Jan 30	TEAM MEETING	Discernment; Lent; Rites; Vigil Work; Sponsor Check-In	6:30 pm - 9:00 pm
FEBRUARY			
Thurs, Feb 6	BEATTITUDE: Lenten Joy	4 Ordinary, A: Zep 3:12-13, 1 Cor 1:26-31, Matthew 5:1-12a	Handouts about Lent
Thurs, Feb 13	SALT & LIGHT: Discernment for Election	5 Ordinary, A: Is 58: 7-10, 1 Cor 2:1-5, Mt 5:13-16	Handouts for Discernment
Thurs, Feb 20	CHOOSE LIFE: The Kingdom of God	6 Ordinary, A: Sir 15:15-20, 1 Cor 2:6-10, Mt 5:17-37	Handouts about Scrutinies; Ch 10

Period of PURIFICATION & ENLIGHTENMENT

DATE	TOPIC	GOSPEL/LITURGICAL SEASON	CATECHISM REF.
Sun, Feb 23	Rite of Sending	10:00 am & 12:30 pm Masses	
Sun, Feb 23	RITE OF ELECTION: arrive at Cathedral at 5:00 pm	Cathedral, 6:00 pm	
Wed, Feb 26	ASH WEDNESDAY	Joel 2:12-18, 2 Cor 5:20-6:2, Mt 6:1-6, 16-18	
Thurs, Feb 27	SACRIFICIAL LOVE: People of God	7 Ordinary, A: Lv 19:1-18, 1 Cor 3:16-23, Mt 5:38-48	Service Opportunity; Chs. 10 & 11
MARCH			
Thur, March 5	TEMPTATION & DESIRE: Poverty of Heart	1st Lent, A: Gen 2:7-9 & 3:1-7, Rom 5:12-19, Mt 4:1-11	Chaptter 18 & Handout
Sun, March 8	Penitential Rite (Candidates only)	10:00 am, 12:30 pm, 3:00 pm Masses	
Sun, March 8	Adult Evening fo Reflection	4:00 pm - 8:00 pm	St. Auigustine Room
Thurs, March 12	TRANSFIGURED by GRACE: Coming of the Spirit	2nd Lent, A: Gen 12:1-4a, 2 Tm 1:8b-10, Matthew 17:1-9	USCCA Ch 9 & 16
Sat, March 14	FAMILY RETREAT, 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM	CAFETERIA - Move to Gym	
Sun, March 15	FIRST SCRUTINY (Catechumens only)	10:00 am, 12:30 pm, 3:00 pm Masses	
Sun, March 15	Adult Evening of Reflection	St. Augustine, 4pm - 7:30 pm	
Thurs, March 19	Prsnt CREED / LIVING WATER: Encountering God Everyday	3rd Lent, A: Ex 17:3-7, Rom 5:1-8, Jn 4:5-42	Handout on Prayer & Our Father
Sun, March 22	SECOND SCRUTINY (Catechumens only)	10:00 am, 12:30 pm, 3:00 pm Masses	
Thurs, March 26	THE BLIND SEE: Healing, Salvation	4th Lent, A: 1 Sam 16:1-13, Eph 5:8-14, John 9:1-41	Chapters 18 & 19
Sun, March 29	THIRD SCRUTINY (Catechumens only)	10:00 am, 12:30 pm, 3:00 pm Masses	
APRIL			
Thur, April 2	Prsnt OUR FATHER / THE DEAD LIVE: Holy Week & Triduum	5th Lent, A: Ezk 37:12-14, Rom 8:8-11, John 11:1-45	Handout on Holy Week & Triduum
Sun, April 5	PALM SUNDAY	Mt 21:1-11, Is 50:4-7, Phil 2:6-11, Mt 26:14-27, 66	
Thur, April 9	HOLY THURSDAY	Mass at 7:00 pm; Adoration until 12 Midnight	Ex 12:1-14, 1 Cor 11:23-26, Jn 13:1-15
Fri, April 10	GOOD FRIDAY	Main Service at 3:00 pm	Is 52:13-53, Heb 4:14-16 & 5:7-9, Jn 18:1-19
Sat, April 11	HOLY SATURDAY MORNING	Preparation Rites: 9:00 am in Church	
Sat, April 11	EASTER VIGIL	Time TBA	
Sun, April 12	EASTER SUNDAY		

Period of Mystagogy

DATE	TOPIC	GOSPEL/LITURGICAL SEASON	CATECHISM REF.
Thurs, April 16	Around the Font	1st Easter: Acts 10:34-43, Col 3:1-4, Jn 20:1-9	Prayer: Easter Objects
Thurs, April 23	Meet in Rooms because Church for 1st Communion	2nd Easter: Acts 2:42-47, 1 Pt 1:3-9, Jn 20:19-31	
Thurs, April 30		3rd Easter: Acts 2:14, 22-33, 1 Pt 1:17-21, Lk 24:13-35	
MAY			
Thurs, May 7		4th Easter: Acts 2:14a, 36-41, 1 Pt 2:20b-25, Jn 10:1-10	
Thurs, May 14		5th Easter: Acts 6:1-7, 1 Pt 2:4-9, Jn 14:1-12	
Thurs, May 21		6th Easter: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17, 1 Pt 3:15-18, Jn 14:15-21	
Thurs, May 28		Ascension: Acts 1:1-11, Eph 1:17-23, Mt 28:16-20	
Sun, May 31	Confirmation at the Cathedral: arrive 9 am	Pentecost Sunday	
JUNE			
Thurs, June 4	Final Fiesta	Receive Certificates and Photos - Food & Fun	7-9 pm, Cafeteria
Sat, June 27	TEAM PARTY	Location TBA	5:30 pm to ????

Summer Catechumenate/Inquiry Sessions

JUNE	TOPIC	PLACE	TIME
Tues, June 23	The "Catholic Thing" and Many "Catholic Things"		
Wed, June 24	The "ONE THING" Necessary		
Thurs, June 25	Inside a Catholic Church		
Fri, June 26	Catholic Heroes: Why Catholics Love Mary & the Saints		

No RCIA Sessions in July

AUGUST	TOPIC	PLACE	TIME
Tues, Aug 4	Understanding the Bible		
Wed, Aug 5	Covenants (Book of Genesis)		
Thurs, Aug 6	Covenants (Exodus)		
Fri, Aug 7	Enjoying the Book of Tobit		

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