## **Eucharist Preparation Program Calendar 2026**

Wednesday, February 11th, 2026 Parent Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in Emerald Hall-This is a PARENTS ONLY MEETING that will last one hour. Please contact Teresa Neuman if you are unable to attend this meeting.

Each week parents will cover a lesson at home with their child to prepare him/her for First Eucharist. These lessons are separate from the catechesis that will be given to your child in their faith formation classroom. The books for the lessons will be distributed at the parent meeting. Lesson 1 and lesson 5 are done together as a group.

<u>Dates:</u>	<b>Lessons:</b>	<u>Topic:</u>
*Wednesday, February 25th	Lesson 1 Family group s	We Belong ession-see note below
Week of March 1st	Lesson 2	We Gather
Week of March 8th	Lesson 3	We Listen
Week of April 12th	Lesson 4	We Give Thanks
*Wednesday, April 29th	Lesson 5 Family group s	We Remember ession –see note below
Week of May 3rd	Lesson 6	We Celebrate
Week of May 10th	Lesson 7	We Live
*Thursday, May 14th	6:30 p.m. Rehearsal and Review in the Church	

\* Family Group Sessions: Lesson 1 and Lesson 5 are the Family Group Sessions. Group session will be conducted in Emerald Hall and be from 6:30-8:00 pm. The first retreat will take place on Wednesday evening, Feb. 25th at 6:30 p.m. The second retreat will take place on Wednesday evening April 29th at 6:30 p.m.

First Eucharist Celebration: Will take place during the weekend Masses on the weekend of May 16th and 17th. Parents can choose for their child to receive at 4pm Mass on Saturday, May 16th or at the 8 am or 10:30 am Mass on Sunday, May 17th

Family First Eucharist Practice is on Thursday, May 14th at 6:30 p.m. in the Church.

Regarding questions, please call Teresa Neuman-Director of Faith Formation 651-621-1565 or e-mail me at tneuman@churchofstpatrick.com