

First Reconciliation and First Communion

This Sacramental program is designed to get parents involved and to inform you and your child of the importance of the Sacrament of Reconciliation and First Communion.

The Requirements are:

- Parents must attend an orientation for this Sacramental Program, failure to attend the orientation will result in your child not being able to make their sacraments at St. Genevieve Catholic Church.
- Catholic School students will only be required to complete the textbook and workbook. The Reconciliation workbook will be due at the Reconciliation Retreat and the First Communion workbook will be due at the First Communion Retreat.
- Students who attend a private school that isn't Catholic or a public school must attend Parish School of Religion classes.
- Your child must also attend a retreat before each Sacrament.
- Parent(s) and child are to attend First Reconciliation Retreat together. There will be no exceptions to this unless your child is too ill to attend. Retreat day must be made up if an illness occurs.
- Your child must attend all of the First Communion Retreat. Parents will need to come to the last hour of the First Communion Retreat. There will be no exceptions to this unless your child is too ill to attend. Retreat day must be made up if an illness occurs.
- The Sacrament of First Communion will have a practice that is mandatory, before this practice optional First Communion pictures can be taken for an extra fee. The paperwork for these pictures will be sent home at a later date through the red folders at St. Genevieve Catholic School.

Dress Code for First Communion:

Male: Button down dress shirt, tie or bow tie, dress belt, dress pants, dress socks, dress shoes. Dress jackets and suits are encouraged but not required. NO JEANS, NO SHORTS, NO CASUAL SHOES or ATHLETIC SHOES.

Female: Must wear a white dress. Dress must be below the knee. Dress must have straps that are at least two inches thick. Girls can wear a veil and gloves if they choose to. Dress shoes with a back must be worn. No makeup should be worn.

Dress Code for Reconciliation: Sunday Church attire.