

St. Agnes & St. Rose of Lima Faith Formation

Confirmation Preparation

2023-2024 Class Schedule

Year 1: Sundays, 5:00-7:00 | Year 2: Sundays, 5:45-8:00 PM

Classes are held at St. Rose of Lima in Topsfield | Classes include 6:00 Sunday Mass

SEPTEMBER '23							04	Labor Day
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	24	Class 1: Info Session <i>Parents and Teens required to attend class AND Mass</i>
					1	2		
3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30		

OCTOBER '23							01	Class 2 <i>Parents required to attend Mass with teens</i>
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	08	No Class
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	15	Class 3 <i>Parents required to attend Mass with teens</i>
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	22	Class 4 <i>Parents required to attend Mass with teens</i>
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	29	Class 5 <i>Parents required to attend Mass with teens</i>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	31	Halloween

NOVEMBER '23							01	All Saints Day <i>Holy Day of Obligation</i>
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	02	All Souls Day
			1	2	3	4	05	Class 6
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	11	Veterans Day
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	12	Class 7 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 1</i>
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	19	Class 8 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 2</i>
26	27	28	29	30			23	Happy Thanksgiving!
							26	No Class

DECEMBER '23							03	Class 9 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 3</i>
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	08	Immaculate Conception <i>Holy Day of Obligation</i>
					1	2	10	Class 10 Penance Service <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 4</i>
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	17	Class 11 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 5</i>
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	25	Merry Christmas!
17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30		
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JANUARY '24							01	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	07	Class 12 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 1</i>
	1	2	3	4	5	6	14	No Class
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	21	No Class
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	28	Class 13 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 2</i>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27		
28	29	30	31					

FEBRUARY '24							04	Class 14 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 3</i>
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	11	No Class <i>Super Bowl Sunday</i>
				1	2	3	14 <th>Ash Wednesday</th>	Ash Wednesday
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	18 <th>No Class</th>	No Class
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	19 <th>Presidents' Day</th>	Presidents' Day
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	No Class

MARCH '24							03	Class 15 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 4</i>
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S	10	Class 16 Penance Service
					1	2	17	Class 17 <i>Mass Responsibilities: Group 5</i>
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	24	Class 18 <i>Good Friday</i>
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	31	Happy Easter!
17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30		
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APRIL '24							April 07	Class 19 (Final Class)
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S		
	1	2	3	4	5	6		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27		
28	29	30						

The **Advanced Year 2 class** will meet on Mondays, 6:45-8:00, again this year. This class is only for teens in Grade 10 who were in the advanced 9th grade Confirmation class last year.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Class includes 6:00 PM Sunday Mass.

Parents are required to attend Mass with their teens during September and October. Parents are required to attend class, in addition to Mass, on the first day of class (September 24).

Confirmation prep is a two-year program.

Teens must attend Confirmation Year 1 classes before Year 2 classes. Teens can enter Year 1 classes as early as 9th grade, but it is okay to enter the Confirmation program at any time during high school. Do not worry if your teen is entering Year 1 as a sophomore or older!

YEAR 1 REQUIREMENTS

- Weekly Sunday Mass
Sign in at back of church or submit reflection sheet if attending Mass at another church
- 16 Confirmation Classes
There are 19 classes total. You may not miss more than 3 classes.
- Submit Baptismal Certificate
Due November 5
- Small Group Mass Involvement
- Choose a Confirmation Saint Name & Sponsor
Due January 28, 2024
- Vocations Interview Project
Due March 3, 2024

YEAR 2 REQUIREMENTS

- Weekly Sunday Mass
Sign in at the back of the church or submit a reflection sheet if attending Mass at another church.
- 16 Confirmation Classes
There are 19 classes total. You may not miss more than 3 classes.
- Choose a Confirmation Saint & Sponsor
Due November 5, 2023
- 1 Sponsor Form
For sponsor to complete & submit
Due December 10, 2024
- Letter to Bishop Hennessey
Due January 7, 2024
Teens may select an interview time when they submit their letter.
- Interview with Fr. Dan
Teens may select a Confirmation ceremony at their interview.
Due March 31
- 1 Confirmation Rehearsal
Dates TBD
Sponsors should attend rehearsal, but a parent may attend in a sponsor's place.