

1st & 2nd grade First Holy Communion (Sunday & Wednesday classes)

We are excited to work with your son/daughter in the First Holy Communion classes. Please mark your calendars with the following dates

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| Sun., Oct. 4 | Parent meeting for 1 st & 2 nd grade students that meet on Sunday |
| Wed., Oct. 14 | Parent meeting for 1 st & 2 nd grade students that meet on Wednesday |
| Feb. 18 – March 27: | Confession for 2 nd graders (Tuesdays & Thursdays 6-7 PM, Saturdays 3-4 PM) |
| Sun., Feb. 28: | Parent/Student Workshop (for the Sun. 11:15 AM 2 nd grade classes) |
| Wed., March 3: | Parent/Student Workshop (for the Wed. 5:30 PM 2 nd grade classes) |
| Sun., April 11: | Parent/Student Workshop (for the Sun. 11:15 AM 2 nd grade classes) |
| Wed., April 14: | Last day of Wednesday classes Parent/Student Workshop (for the Wed. 5:30 PM 2 nd grade classes) |
| Sun., April 25: | Last day of 11:15 AM Sunday classes |
| Wed., April 28: | No Wednesday classes |
| Friday, April 30: | Rehearsal, 5:30 PM in the Church |
| Sat., May 1: | First Communion Mass 10:00 AM in the Church (students arrive at 9:30 AM to Fr. Luna Hall) |

- Please ensure that your child attends class regularly and punctually.
- Please contact the church office if your child will be absent. Students with excessive unexcused absences will not receive credit for the class.
- Please ensure that a copy of your child's baptismal certificate is on record in our parish office.

Instructions for the First Communion Mass

- No pictures or videotaping allowed during the Mass.
- A professional photographer will be in Rooms 8 & 9 of Claretian Hall one hour before the Mass. In addition, the priests will be available for pictures after the Mass.
- Sponsors are not required for First Communion, but the presence of the child's baptismal sponsor is recommended.
- Optional First Communion items (rosary, candle, etc.) will be collected before the mass and returned to the children after the mass along with First Communion certificates.
- **Girls**: White dress (knee or ankle length) and white dress shoes
- **Boys**: White dress shirt (short or long sleeve), slacks, tie (any color), and dress shoes

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and may God bless you and your family. **

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