

# DIVINE GRACE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CALENDAR 2023-2024

Below you will find the Religious Education calendar for grades K-8. Please keep it handy for future reference. Parents of second and eighth graders, please note special sacramental meetings and events. Religious Education class time is 9:30am to 10:45am at St. Patrick School unless otherwise noted. Mass is at 11:00 following class. While every effort is made to maintain this calendar, dates may be changed due to scheduling conflicts, inclement weather, acts of God, and other unforeseen circumstances.

## SEPTEMBER

- 17 Catechist Orientation 9:30 -10:45am  
*Catechetical Sunday*
- 24 Catechist Training 9:30 -10:45am

## OCTOBER

- 1 Confirmation Launch Meeting  
1:30-3:30pm for students & parents
- 8 First Class K-8
- 15 Class  
Parent Orientation 9:45 -10:45am
- 22 Class
- 28 Confirmation Retreat 10am-4pm  
St. Joseph Parish, Erie
- 29 Class (No class for 8th Grade)

## NOVEMBER

- 5 Class  
Catechist Meeting 8:45am
- 12 Class
- 19 Class  
Sacramental Launch Meeting for First  
Communion parents 9:30 -10:45am
- 26 No Class/Thanksgiving break

## DECEMBER

- 3 Class  
*First Sunday of Advent*
- 10 Class  
Confirmation Advent Gathering  
1:30-3:30pm for students & parents  
(No Morning Class)
- 17 Class
- 24 No Class/*Christmas Eve*
- 31 No Class/*Christmas Break*

## JANUARY

- 7 Class
- 14 Class  
Catechist Meeting 8:45am
- 21 Class
- 28 Class

## FEBRUARY

- 4 Class
- 11 Class  
Confirmation Winter Gathering  
1:30-3:30pm for students & parents  
(No Morning Class)
- 18 No Class/Winter Break  
*First Sunday of Lent*
- 25 Class

## MARCH

- 2 First Reconciliation and First Communion  
Retreat 10am -1pm for students and parents
- 3 Class
- 10 Class
- 17 Class
- 24 No Class/Spring Break/*Passion Sunday*
- 31 No Class/*Easter Sunday*

## APRIL

- 7 Class
- 14 Class  
Candidate & Sponsor Gathering  
1:30-3:30pm for students & sponsors  
(No Morning Class)
- 21 Class
- 28 Class
- TBD Confirmation Rehearsal for students & sponsors
- TBD Confirmation Mass

## MAY

- 5 Last Class & May Crowning
- 9 First Communion Practice for students  
and parents 5-6pm
- 11 First Holy Communion Mass 10am

## JUNE

- 2 High School Graduation Mass 11am

## KEY

- Catechists
- 2nd Grade Sacraments
- 8th Grade Confirmation
- No Class