

St. Maria Goretti Parish Religious Education Program 2016 – 2017 Calendar for Grades 1-5

Monday Sessions: 4:00-5:15 pm or 6:00-7:15 pm

Oct 3 **First Session**
 Oct 10 Session
 Oct 17 Session
 Oct 24 Session
 Oct 31 **OFF**
 Nov 7 Session
 Nov 14 Session
 Nov 21 **Annual Thanksgiving Pot Luck**
 Nov 28 Session
 Dec 5 Session
 Dec 12 **Advent Family Pizza & Bingo**



CHRISTMAS BREAK

Jan 9 Session
 Jan 16 **OFF**
 Jan 23 Session
 Jan 30 Session
 Feb 6 Session
 Feb 13 Session
 Feb 20 Session
 Feb 27 **OFF**
 Mar 6 Session
 Mar 13 Session
 Mar 20 Session
 Mar 27 Session
 Apr 3 Session
 Apr 10 **OFF**
 Apr 17 Session
 Apr 24 **Last Session & Ice Cream Social**



Important Dates for

First Reconciliation & First Communion

Oct 22/23 Rite of Welcome
Any Mass this weekend Church

Oct 25 Parent First Reconciliation Meeting
6:30 – 8:00 pm Parish Hall

Jan 8 Parent/Child 1st Reconciliation Retreat
2:30-5:00 pm School

Jan 21 Sacrament of 1st Reconciliation
 9 am A-L Church
 10:30 am M-Z

Feb 28 Parent First Communion Meeting
6:30 – 8:00 pm Parish Hall

Apr 2 Parent/Child 1st Communion Retreat
2:30-5:00 pm School

Apr 22 First Communion Rehearsals &
 Picture Day Church
 RE families 8:45 – 9:45 am
 SMG school families 10:00 – 11:00 am

Apr 22/23 Sacrament of First Communion
Apr 29/30 Sacrament of First Communion



Important Dates for Catechists

Sept 18, Sun Catechetical Sunday; 9:00 am
 Sept 26, Mon Catechist Training; 4:00 OR 6:00 pm
 Nov 9, Wed Catechist Night Out; 5:45-9:30 pm
 Jan 4, Wed Catechist Appreciation Dinner; 6:00pm

Parish Events - Join Us!

Tues, Oct 4 Feast of St. Francis
Pet Blessing 4 pm

Sun, Oct 23 Taste of SMG 10 am – 1 pm

Tues, Nov 1 All Saints Day Masses 6:30 am, 8 am & 12:15 pm

Sun, Nov 13 Holiday Bazaar 8 am - 3 pm

Sun, Nov 20 Christmas Pageant Parent meeting 6:00 pm in Parish Hall

Thur, Nov 24 Thanksgiving 9 am Mass

Wed, Nov 30 Lighting the Way

Thur, Dec 1 Lighting the Way

Sun, Dec 4 Christmas Pageant Practice
6 pm in Church

Thur, Dec 8 Immaculate Conception Masses 6:30 am, 8 am & 12:15 pm

Sun, Dec 11 Christmas Pageant Practice
6 pm in Church

Sun, Dec 18 Christmas Pageant Dress
Rehearsal at 6 pm in Church

Sat, Dec 24 Children's Pageant at 4:00 pm
Vigil of Christmas Masses: 4:30, 7:00 & 10:00 pm
Christmas Masses 7, 9, 11 am

Sun, Dec 25 Pancake Breakfast
 Sun, Jan 8 Adult Trivia Night

Sat, Feb 25 **Ash Wednesday - Lent Begins**
Masses 6:30 am, 8 am, 12:15 pm and 5:15 pm

Wed. in Lent Stations of the Cross at 6:30 pm

Fridays in Lent Fish Fries from 4:30 – 7:30 pm

Thur, Apr. 6 Communal Reconciliation
Service – 6:30 pm in Church

Sun, Apr 9 Palm Sunday.

Tues, Apr 11 Chrism Mass 7:30 pm

Thur, Apr 13 Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm

Fri, Apr 14 Good Friday 1 pm
Tenebrae 7 pm

Sat, Apr 15 Basket Blessing 1:00 pm
Easter Vigil 8 pm

Sun, Apr 16 Easter



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