

# St. Patrick Catholic Church-Children's Formation 2020-2021 Sacrament Preparation Meeting Schedule

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## **Sacrament Preparation Virtual Meeting-Parent Only      Sunday, August 23, 2020**

- A video will be posted to the St. Patrick Website that will overview the preparation process for BOTH sacraments celebrated by 2nd Graders. Parents are expected to watch the video at their convenience.
- A future Q & A session (listed below) will be held to address any concerns parents have based on the video's information.

## **Sacrament Preparation Virtual Q & A-Parent Only      Sunday, August 30, 2020**

9:45 am -10:30 am - Virtual

- This live Q & A will address any questions parents have about preparing and celebrating sacraments.
- Parents are expected to attend this live, virtual meeting.
- <https://meet.google.com/kfu-uzoa-tnw>

## **Reconciliation Preparation Videos      Sunday, October 18, 2020**

- A series of videos will be posted to the St. Patrick website that will help parents and children understand the importance of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
- Families are expected to watch the videos at their convenience.
- School teachers and PREP catechists will also watch the videos and assist the students in preparing.

## **First Reconciliation Preparation Video      Sunday, November 8, 2020**

- A video will be posted to the St. Patrick website that will help parents and children understand how First Reconciliation will be celebrated at St. Patrick.
- Families are expected to watch the video at their convenience to understand what to expect the night their child will receive the sacrament.

## **Celebration of the Rite of Reconciliation      Thursday, February 25, 2021 Thursday, March 4, 2021**

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Church

- Each family will receive communication regarding their designated night of celebration.
- The celebration is limited to 2nd Graders and their immediate family.
- Parents and siblings are invited to receive the Sacrament at the class celebration after all 2nd Graders have confessed.
- If you are unable to attend the communal celebration, options to fulfill, individual Confession exist. St. Patrick offers Reconciliation every Saturday from 4 to 4:30 p.m., Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. during Lent, or by appointment. Contact the Parish office to schedule a private appointment.

**First Holy Communion Parent-Child Workshop**

**Saturday, March 6, 2021**

9 a.m. to Noon - Church

- *Tentatively scheduled as an in-person event.*
- Each 2nd Grader and at least one parent should attend. We request that you refrain from bringing siblings to this workshop.

**First Holy Communion Photos & Rehearsal**

**Wednesday, April 21, 2021**

4 p.m.-6:30 p.m.-Photos;

- Professional photographs offered during this time.
- Children and/or families will be provided a sign-up and should come dressed in First Communion attire.
- Families who do not wish to purchase a photography package but wish to purchase a group photo should still sign-up to have a photo taken.

7:00 p.m.-7:15 p.m. Virtual Rehearsal

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78696947432?pwd=dGRaL0NrZHZCdUU1akgxeEIVMHNLQT09>

Meeting ID: 786 9694 7432

Passcode: 07052T

- Virtual rehearsal begins at 7:00 p.m. Attendance is mandatory.

**Celebration of First Holy Communion**

**TENTATIVE DATES**

**Friday, April 23, 2021 @ 7:00 p.m.**

**Saturday, April 24, 2021 @ Noon**

- Each family will receive communication regarding their designated day of celebration.
- The celebration is limited to 2nd Graders and their immediate family.
- Each celebration will be live-streamed to include extended families in the celebration.