



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

9531 Liberty Road | Randallstown, Maryland 21133

SUNDAY SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Policy and Procedures for 2023 – 2024

REGISTRATION

Each student is registered with the forms provided by the parish. Tuition contributes to the cost of materials used during the sessions. Scholarships for those families that consider paying the tuition a hardship will be considered upon request.

ATTENDANCE

- **Regular and prompt attendance is expected** for the sake of your child's faith formation. Regarding sacramental preparation programs, it is necessary to prepare your child to have the proper disposition to receive the sacrament. **Please arrive by the Opening Assembly in the Hall by 9:30 AM.**
- Parents and guardians must contact Father Harris if their child will be absent, along with a reason (rharris@archbalt.org or 410-922-3800, ext. 6). When a new Director of Faith Formation takes office, these notices will go to him or her. Contact information will be provided.
- If a student misses a session without explanation, then the parent or guardian will be contacted to inquire about your well-being or to ascertain if there is a problem that can be addressed.
- Students are to participate in the classes in a manner appropriate for a young disciple of Christ. Any disciplinary issues will be communicated with a parent or guardian as soon as possible.
- **Parents or guardians are to pick up their children promptly at the child's classroom at 10:45 AM.** If you have designated another person to pick up your children, they must be on your registration form.

Family Life Program

By signing the registration form, you agree that your child may participate in the Family Life curriculum mandated by the Archdiocese of Baltimore. If you have an issue or would like to instruct your child yourself with these materials, please let the Director know and materials will be provided for you.

Please go to the next page.

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SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAMS

Confirmation Classes meet during SOR scheduled times. First Reconciliation and First Eucharist classes meet during scheduled times. Retreats are required to properly prepare the children to receive their sacraments.

Registration and the participation of the student in the sacramental program means that they will receive First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, or Confirmation during the Holy Family Parish celebration. Emergency situations will be considered by the Pastor and Director of Faith Formation.

First Penance & First Communion

The usual year to receive these sacraments is the Second Grade.

Confirmation

The usual year to receive this sacrament is the Ninth Grade.

For other situations

It is not too late if your children have not received these sacraments during the usual years. We will help you and your children to prepare and receive the sacraments. Please speak about your situation with Father Harris (rharris@archbalt.org or 410-922-3800, ext. 4).