

## St. Michael Faith Formation

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome as we begin registration for Religious Education classes for the 2011-2012 school year. **Some changes have been made to the information in this packet, so please look through it carefully then mark your calendar with these important dates:**

- Preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> grade: Parents and Students
  - Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup> – Meet and Greet Open House after the 9:00, 10:30, and Noon masses. Pick up class folder.
  - Sunday and Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> – First Class
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade: Parents and Students
  - Sunday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup>: 3:00 – 4:00 PM – Orientation in the Church. Pick up folders and schedules.
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Parents, Students, and Sponsors
  - Sunday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup>: 4:30 – 5:30 PM – Confirmation Meeting in the Church  
For all Religious Education families and St. Michael School families.  
RE students will receive their folder and schedule for classes.  
All students will be given a packet of information for their Confirmation Sponsor.

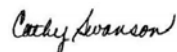
*New parishioners need to register with the Parish Office at 630-665-2250 before registering for Faith Formation classes.*

**Two years of Faith Formation classes are required prior to First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation.** As part of the Baptismal Rite parents promise God to raise their child in our Catholic faith. Consistent Mass attendance and class attendance are important pieces of this promise. We strive to nurture their Catholic faith alongside the parents and so frequent and effective communication is essential. Please check your child's folder and your e-mail each week for important updates. Feel free to communicate any questions or concerns you may have with us. Information may also be posted in the parish bulletin and on our website: [www.stmichaelcommunity.org](http://www.stmichaelcommunity.org).

**Please make sure the appropriate items are returned with your registration:**

- 1) Completed *Family Registration Form* (**purple**) (*Please indicate any changes in your information.*)
- 2) Completed *Emergency & Illness Information Form* (back of Registration Form)
- 3) \$40.00 Family Registration fee; \$25.00 Sacramental fee for 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade
- 4) *Volunteer Opportunities Form* (**light blue**)
- 5) Completed *Individual Information & Attendance Form* (light pink) **for each new student or incoming sibling not previously registered.** Additional copies may be obtained by calling the office or downloaded from our website at [www.stmichaelcommunity.org](http://www.stmichaelcommunity.org)
- 6) Copy of Baptismal certificate **for each new student or incoming sibling.**

We look forward to working together with you as we strive to instill a love for our Lord and His Church in the hearts of our children. May God bless your family and shower you with His abundant grace.



Jen Hickey  
Pre3 – K

Magdalena Glaz  
Grade 1 - 6

Cathy Swanson  
Grade 7 - 8

**We encourage you to register for classes before Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup> as tuition increases beginning Wednesday, July 5, 2011.** Preschool thru 6 grade registration received by July 1, 2011 guarantees 1<sup>st</sup> choice of session and placement with students from your child's school. Adults who choose to volunteer as a CATECHIST or SHEPHERD or AIDE, will receive a credit for part of the tuition costs (where applicable).

*Please see reverse side for FEE SCHEDULE.*