

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH

OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION

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PERMISSION FORM TO WALK HOME

Dear Parents:

Because we are concerned with the safety of your children, we would like the parent of every child who walks home to please fill out, sign and return the form below to the Faith Formation Office. This form allows your child(ren) to walk home **without adult supervision**.

Please note, students in Grades K-4 **will not be allowed to walk home** without a parent-approved adult or older sibling.

Working harder to work together to make a difference,

Father ST Sutton
Pastor

Christine R. Shell
Executive Assistant to Faith Formation

Please return this form to the Faith Formation Office before your student walks home.

I, _____ give my permission for the following:

Child(ren) _____ Grade _____
(please print)

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to walk home after Faith Formation Class. I understand that in granting this permission, my child's Catechist is authorized to allow my child to walk home after signing the appropriate Permission Book. I also understand that my child must leave church property at dismissal time and will not be allowed to remain on church grounds unattended. If my plans change and my child needs to follow a different Faith Formation dismissal arrangement, I will contact the Faith Formation Office with these specific instructions.

This permission slip is only valid for the 2019-2020 Faith Formation year.

Parent's Name _____ Date _____
(please print)

Parent's signature _____

When walking home from the church property, please remind your children of the following safety guidelines:

- Go directly from Faith Formation classes to your home.
- Students should only return to church property in the event of an emergency.
- Walk home using the sidewalk or walking path, cross only at designated crosswalks.
- Obey all traffic signs and signals.
- Check in with a parent or other designated adult/sibling when you get home.