



420 Inman Ave. Colonia, NJ 07067

Covid-19 Precautions 2021-2022

Dear Parents,

This form must be signed and returned before the first day of class in order for your child to attend CCD.

Arrival:

- In grades 3-7, students will enter through the parish center doors in an orderly and socially distanced fashion. Then, they will proceed directly to their classrooms avoiding unnecessary conversation and contact.
 - Grades 1 & 2 will enter through the cafeteria doors with their parents and be escorted by their teacher to their classroom.
 - Teachers in grades 1 & 2 will aide with this process.
 - Grade 8 will enter to the church and proceed to the conference room.
- Prior to attending CCD, parents should make sure their child does not have any Covid-19 symptoms. *See CDC.gov for more information*
- All children should arrive wearing masks and keep them on at all times until they are outside the building.
- No parents will be admitted to the building during arrival unless dropping off a 1st grader or 2nd grader.
 - Parents may enter if they are dropping off a late child, going to the office, or for another purpose when the PCL gives specific instructions.
- The second session will wait outside their classroom, socially distanced, until the room has been sanitized by staff and a teacher is present. Students should never enter the classroom without a teacher present.

Class Time:

- All students and staff will wear masks for the duration of class, regardless of vaccination.
- Desks will be three feet apart and students are expected to remain in class, in their assigned seats, for the duration of the session.
- Bathroom privileges should be used sparingly as it is a point of close contact between students
 - If possible, parents should have their children use the bathroom before class time.
 - If the bathroom must be used, students should proceed directly to the bathroom and wash hands thoroughly after.
- Catechists will remain in the front of the classroom and avoid sharing materials between themselves and the students. Students will also refrain from sharing materials.
- No more than 24 students can be in one classroom at the same time.

Dismissal:

- 1st and 2nd grade must be signed out by a parent or guardian. Sign out takes place in the cafeteria; please enter through the cafeteria doors. If someone else is picking up the child, please inform the religious education office.
- For 1st and 2nd grade pick-up, the number of parents in the building at once will be limited.
 - Please line up outside and wait to be let in. Please wear a mask!
- All other grades dismiss from the parish center doors and students will leave in an orderly and socially distanced fashion.

Sanitation:

- All classrooms and facilities being used will be sanitized prior to and after class.



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Notification Procedure:

- If your child is ill, do not send them to class.
- If your child tests positive and attended CCD in the past two weeks, please inform the Religious Education Office immediately.
 - This same rule applies to catechists and other staff.
- If a child tests positive, the PCL will contact parents of students who may have come into contact with said student.
- If a catechist tests positive, and came into contact with students, the parents of all students in their class will be notified.
- If class needs to be canceled for any reason, it will take place via email.
 - An online system may be used so that classes may still take place.

What Students Need

- Their own separate writing utensils or coloring materials (if specified as necessary by the catechist.)
- Their own books and folders (these are issued by the program).
- Hand sanitizer
- A bag or something of the like to carry their things.
- Face mask (an additional should be kept in the bag just in case)

Permission to Record Classes or Attend via Zoom or Otherwise

- By signing this form, you agree to allow your child to use an online learning platform if necessary. By agreeing to these conditions, the diocese and parish are not liable for any claims or actions concerning this form of learning.

These precautions are for the protection of your children. Please follow them and keep our program safe!

Sincerely,

Jordan Drevelus, PCL

Fr. John Gloss, Pastor

I have read this document and I agree to the conditions:

Students Name: _____

Parent's Name in Print: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____