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The Way, the Truth, and
the Life

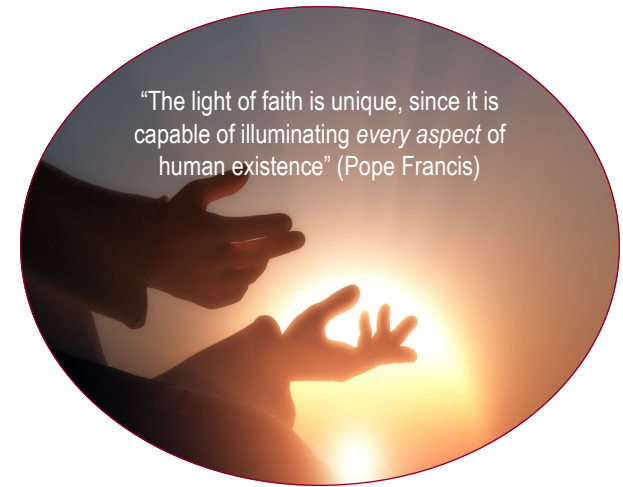
The Catechist Formation Program is offered to catechetical leaders and catechists who seek further study in the Catholic Faith. The purpose of the program is to help Catechetical Leaders and other adults enter into a fuller living, loving relationship with Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church. The courses, seminars and workshops will help raise one's awareness of the life of a disciple and the call to service rooted in love.

NOTE: Only persons who are currently serving as Catechetical Leaders will be eligible to receive Level Three: Catechetical Leader Certification.



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"The light of faith is unique, since it is capable of illuminating *every aspect* of human existence" (Pope Francis)



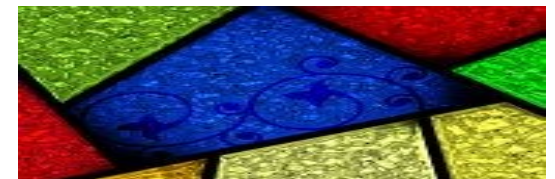
Level Three:
Catechetical Leader Certification

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Catechetical Leader Formation Program

Welcome to Level Three:
Catechetical Leader Certification!

“The Diocese of Providence supports and provides theological, spiritual, human and pastoral formation for those who serve as parish catechetical leaders. There is an **expectation** that parish catechetical leaders will pursue and obtain Diocesan Catechetical Leader Certification.

The goal of the certification process is to enable parish catechetical leaders to be visionary, grow in administrative skills, and fully understand their call to support the catechetical mission of the Church. The process is consistent with the norms and standards approved by the Diocese of Providence and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. The three levels of certification for parish catechetical leaders include foundational certification, master catechist certification and catechetical leader certification” (Diocesan Guidelines 3.9).

Catechetical Leader Certification Program

Requirements for Completion*

The Ministry of Catechesis	4 Weeks
The Effective Catechetical Leader	4 Week Seminar
Catechetical Methodology and God’s Pedagogy	4 Weeks
Understanding Evangelization	3 Weeks
Family Catechesis	3 Weeks
Stages of Faith Development	3 Weeks
Retreat Day	4 Hours

* To receive Catechetical Leader Certification all three levels must be completed unless the Parish Catechetical Leader has a BA/MA in Theology or Pastoral Ministry in which case only Level Three is required (*Diocesan Guidelines for Religious Education 3.9*).

Course Registration Form Level Three: *Catechetical Leader Certification*

Last Name	First Name

Address	

City	Zip Code

Phone Number	Email Address

Parish	City

Grade You Teach	Total Years as a Catechist

How did you learn about the program/courses?	

Course Registering For	Start Date

Amount Enclosed \$	_____ Check Cash

Catechetical Leader Courses: Please call our office for pricing. For more information or to register please contact:

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