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Office of Faith Formation

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Dear Parent(s):

WELCOME! We are overjoyed at the opportunity to meet and serve the families of SJV and beyond for the 2021/22 school year. No matter if you are a returning family, have been away from the parish/faith formation program for a while, or are brand new to the parish, we are so happy that you have made the choice to entrust your children to us and form a partnership where we can spread the love and joy of the gospel together.

As we begin registration for the 2021-2022 school year, we ask you to please consider the following:

To obtain a well-rounded, firm understanding of the Catholic faith, it's important that students return for class each year and continue their religious education. Like every other subject we study, each year builds on the previous year's material. When students miss years of faith formation, it can be more challenging for them to understand the concepts. With that, we ask you to please join us in a partnership in teaching your children how to actively participate in prayer, worship, and be of service to others while continuing to develop their own personal relationship with God. Thank you!

Enclosed are the registration materials for this year's Faith Formation Program. Completed registration forms and the corresponding fees may be placed in the Faith Formation Slot on the Kiosk in the Gathering Space or mailed to/dropped off at the Faith Formation Office. We are looking forward to an exciting year! Should you have any questions about the program, please do not hesitate to contact us!

Please submit your registration form by Friday, September 17th.

Sincerely,

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION AND FEES

SCHEDULE OF SESSIONS:

Kindergarten, Elementary, and Middle School sessions are scheduled to begin on **Wednesday, September 22nd**. Classes for 9th grade Confirmation students will begin on **Sunday, September 19th**. **Parents are required to attend the first session for a PARENT/STUDENT ORIENTATION.**

A complete calendar of sessions and events is available on the parish website under the Faith Formation tab (www.sjv.org).

K-8th Grade: Wednesdays, 6:00-7:15pm
9th Confirmation: Sundays, begin with 8:15 Mass-11:30pm

FEES:

We have established the following fee schedule for the 2021/22 Faith Formation Program. If your child is in a sacramental year (First Reconciliation/First Eucharist) please add the additional sacramental fees to the total. Students receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation fall of 2021 please pay the fee listed below. Checks may be made payable to SJV.

Faith Formation Classes (Grades K-9):

1st child- \$150

2nd child- \$150

3rd child- \$80

4th child- \$0

***If a payment plan is needed, call the office for more information.**

Sacramental Year Fees

\$25/student—Reconciliation/Eucharist

\$150/student—Confirmation: 10th grade (retreat fee included)

PHOTOGRAPHS: Photographs of students may appear on the parish Web site or in other publications. Parents who do not wish their children's photographs to be placed in public media must notify the Coordinator of Faith Formation in writing prior to the beginning of the Faith Formation sessions.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

It takes many dedicated catechists and other volunteers to make our Faith Formation program a reality. We are so grateful for those of you who have given your time, talent, and treasure in years past. We encourage you to take time to pray and respond in love to the needs of the children in our parish. Are you feeling called to one of our ministries? If you would like to talk with us about the many volunteer opportunities we have, we would LOVE to hear from you!