

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MINISTRY

OUR MISSION

Our Mission is to work towards the fulfillment of the mission of St. Mary's Parish – i.e. “We, the people of St. Mary's, strive to be a community united with God, dedicated to continuing growth in knowledge and faith, giving witness to Christ through love, worship, education, and service. So that we may fulfill this mission and integrate spirituality with life, we shall reach out to all peoples within and beyond our faith community.”



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information about this ministry.*

WHY WE EXIST

We exist because the work of building a community of believers is enriched by a structured program anchored in Christ that equips catechists to teach and provides an environment for children, youth and adults to grow in faith.

WHO WE ARE

We are stewards of our time and talent and teachers and learners of the faith. The religious education ministry at St. Mary's consists of over a hundred volunteers who work under the direction of catechetical leaders certified in theology, religious education and pastoral ministry and who are dedicated to the continuous faith building of the 1000+ students in our religious education program.

TYPICAL ACTIVITIES

- Regular catechetical instruction for children and teens
- Family faith formation program
- Retreats
- Bible study for adults
- Community service and outreach programs for students
- Sacramental preparation
- Special liturgies

WHEN WE MEET

Classes are ongoing throughout the year from Sep – May. Please contact the office of Religious Education at (508) 925 7801 for class schedules or more information.