



ST. ANDRÉ BESSETTE PARISH

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August 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As Fall draws near, it is time to begin our Christian Formation program at St. André's. We would like to welcome all children, Grades K-8. The 2nd Graders will be focusing on the Sacraments of Penance and First Communion. The 7th Graders will focus on the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Enclosed you will find a Registration Form and a calendar containing class dates. **Christian Formation** will be held on Sundays from 10:00am to 10:50am, so that you have the opportunity to attend Mass as a family after class. **Confirmation** classes will meet once a month on Sundays from 11:00am to 2:00pm, with attendance at Mass from 11:00am to 12:00pm and lunch will be provided. **On the first day of class, Sunday, September 22nd, we will all meet together in Notre Dame Church at 10:00am.**

There will be a \$25 fee (up to 2 children) or \$50 fee (3 or more children) to cover the cost of material and supplies.

Please complete the enclosed Registration Form for each child in your family that will be attending Christian Formation. The completed form may be dropped off at the parish office, mailed back, or dropped in the collection basket at Mass. We would like to begin ordering materials soon so your prompt return of the completed forms would be greatly appreciated.

We look forward to working with you and your children as we discuss our faith and grow in the knowledge of God and His unconditional love for us. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us via the Parish Office at 518-483-1300 or by email at religioused@standres.org.

Thank you and God Bless.

Sincerely,

Rev. Steven Murray
Pastor

Deacon Nicholas & Mary Haas
Christian Formation Coordinators