

AUGUST – SEPTEMBER 2009



St. Paul's Parish Faith Formation News & Notes Welcome Back Everyone!



CLASSES START SEPTEMBER 21 & 23

Welcome to a new year of Faith Formation and Sacrament Preparation classes at St. Paul's! Classes will begin for children in kindergarten through grade 6 on Wednesday, September 23. Wednesday morning classes are held from 8:00 – 9:00 am. Children will be bused to the Rome elementary schools after class. Classes for Grades 5 - high school will begin on Monday, September 21. Monday evening classes are held from 6:30 – 7:30 pm.



CLASSES FOR GRADES 5 & 6 MOVE TO WEDNESDAY Starting this year, classes for grades K – 6 will be held on Wednesday morning. No Thursday morning classes will be offered this year. Children in Grades 5 and 6 will also have the option of attending class on Monday evening.

FAMILY REGISTRATION PACKETS Family registration packets for religious education will be available in the hallway that links the church to the parish center. They are in alphabetical order by family name. Registration packets that are not picked up will be mailed beginning August 25.

NEW FAMILY REGISTRATION

There are several registration packets labeled "New Family" available in the boxes. If you are new to the parish or have a child entering Faith Formation for the first time, please pick up a "New Family" registration packet, or call Kathy at 334-9570

SUNDAY MORNING CLASS OPTION

On the new Faith Formation Registration Form, parents are asked if they might be interested in a Sunday morning class option for their children. Depending on the response and on available volunteer catechists; Sunday morning classes may be offered on Sunday mornings from 9:30 – 10:30 am.



CATECHIST MEETINGS

Catechists, aides and helpers are asked to attend one of two meetings offered before classes begin. Catechist meetings will be offered on Wednesday, September 9th at 10:00

am or Monday, September 14th at 6:30 pm. Come to the session that best fits your schedule; the Monday meeting will be a repeat of the Wednesday morning meeting.

NEW CATECHISTS & AIDES NEEDED

Are you interested in helping our children and youth grow in faith? Do you love working with children? Please call Kathy at 334-9570 if you would consider serving as a catechist, aide or helper in our Faith Formation Program this year. Various openings exist and must be filled before classes can begin. Registration fees are waived for parents who serve as catechists. Training and support are offered at no charge! Please call; soon...

COMING SOON:

Parish Picnic	September 13
Catechetical Sunday	September 20
Journey of Faith	September 26