

2020 FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION

CLASS/PARENT MEETING SCHEDULE AND CURRICULUM GUIDE

CLASS AND MEETING TIMES ARE 10:30am –11:30am UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Theme of Class/Page</u>
1/5	PARENTS & STUDENTS MEET IN OWENS HALL 10:30am
1/12	Whole Family Event in the Church Hall
1/19	NO CLASS- OFF FOR MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
1/26	Chapter 1- LET'S GIVE THANKS AND PRAISE/ pg.1 & Chapter 2- LET'S CELEBRATE/ pg.11
2/2	Chapter 3- LET'S PRAY AS ONE/ pg. 21
2/9	Chapter 4- THE GIFT OF GATHERING AS THE COMMUNITY/ pg. 31 PARENT MEETING IN THE MCDEVITT ROOM DURING CLASS
2/16	NO CLASS- OFF FOR PRESIDENT'S DAY
2/23	Chapter 5- THE GIFT OF GOD'S WORD TO US/ pg. 41
3/1	Whole Family Event in the Church- Stations of the Cross
3/8	Chapter 6- THE GIFT OF CHRIST'S BODY AND BLOOD/ pg. 51 PARENT MEETING IN THE MCDEVITT ROOM DURING CLASS
3/15	NO CLASS
3/22	Chapter 7- THE GIFT OF SERVING OTHERS/ pg. 61 Students will practice receiving the unconsecrated bread and wine
3/29	Chapter 8- <i>THE GIFT OF EVERLASTING LIFE/ pg. 71</i> Students will practice receiving/ banner materials sent home to be made/ thank you notes for Prayer Partners sent home to be made
4/5	NO CLASS- OFF FOR PALM SUNDAY
4/12	NO CLASS- OFF FOR EASTER
4/19	Chapter 9- AFTER THE CELEBRATION/ pg. 81 Class- Students will practice receiving / readers and gift bearers assigned for First Communion Mass/ seat assignment lottery draw
4/25	(Saturday) WORKSHOP IN CHURCH 9:30am-12noon. All students must attend.
4/26	NO CLASS FOR FIRST COMMUNION STUDENTS
4/30	(Thursday) 6:00-7:00pm- Practice in Church for <i>only</i> Readers and Gift Bearers This practice is only for the students who will be participating as readers and gift bearers.
5/1	(Friday) 6:00-7:30pm- Practice in Church for ALL students. (All students must attend)
5/2	(Saturday) 9:30am FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS – Followed by light reception in Owens Hall. Students should arrive and report to Owens Hall by 9:10am.