

Sacrament Preparation – R.C.I.T.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Teens –

For any 6-12 grade student who would like to receive sacraments.



We invite any young person, grades 6-12 or young adult, who may need any of the following sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist or the sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession), to begin the process and preparation.

This journey will invite young people to conversion and immersion in our Catholic Tradition, provide time to question and reflect about faith, become an active part of the Church Community - the Body of Christ; prepare to fully participate in the Holy Mass and life of the Church and fully to receive the wonderful sacraments of our Faith.

FAQ's

Q. How does the Initiation Process ~ Sacrament Preparation Work?

A. YEAR ONE: Any student who has not been enrolled in a Faith Formation process before (or for some time) will be asked to enroll in the EDGE or High School Program for their first year, to obtain some basic understandings of the faith, form questions and begin to build their Christian Community. We meet from 4:00 -5:15 Sunday afternoons.

Year Two: Students will begin the RCIT process on Sunday Mornings (9:45 – 10: 40 am) PLUS 10:45 Mass that will include a dismissal to Break Open the Word. Both parts are needed for this process. The Session will end at the end of 10:45 am Mass.

Q. Do I need sponsor and should they attend with me?

A. Yes, you need a sponsor and they should attend with you. Parents should plan to attend several times (schedule will be provided)

Q. When do I receive my Sacraments?

A. Typically, at the Easter Vigil Mass.

Any teen wishing to receive Sacraments, must contact Sharon

**We will meet on Sunday Mornings at 9:45 a.m.
in the Teen Center.**

Contact Sharon Matson for more information.

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