

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY

Religious Education Program

2018-2019 CALENDAR

Mission: *The mission of the Church of the Nativity's Religious Education Program is to proclaim Christ's message and help students apply it to their lives to foster community, prayer, worship, and the desire to serve the Lord.*



"...set an example for those who believe, in speech, conduct, love, faith, and purity. Until I arrive, attend to the reading, exhortation, and teaching. Do not neglect the gift you have, which was conferred on you through the prophetic word with the imposition of hands" 1 Timothy 4:12-14

SEPTEMBER 2018

9	All Catechists and Assistants Orientation Meeting, 7:00pm (Church)
16	Catechetical Sunday – Catechists / Assistants / Volunteers will be commissioned during Saturday Vigil Mass and Sunday Masses
16-18	Classes begin (Cafeteria)
23-25	Regular classes
27	Catechists and Assistants Meeting for Confirmation, 7:00pm (Room 240)
30	Regular classes

OCTOBER



1-2	Regular classes
4	Catechists and Assistants Meeting for First Penance, 7:00pm (Room 240)
7-9	No classes – Columbus Day Holiday
11	Confirmation Candidates Investiture Service and Parents/Guardian Meeting, 7:00pm (Church)
14-16	Regular classes
18	Parents/Guardian Meeting for First Penance Students, 7:00pm (Church)
21-23	Regular classes – Open House for Parents/Guardians
28-30	Regular classes

NOVEMBER

4-6	Regular classes-Confession-all sessions
8	Seventh Grade Catechists and Assistants Meeting, 7:00pm (Room 240)
11-13	Regular classes (classroom lessons for Formation in Christian Chastity Program for grades 1 - 8)
18-19	Regular classes
20-25	No classes – Thanksgiving Holiday
26-27	Regular classes

DECEMBER

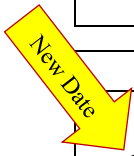
2-4	Regular classes (also, deadline for ALL Confirmation requirements)
9-11	Regular classes
16-18	Regular classes
23-31	No classes – Christmas Holiday

Merry Christmas



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JANUARY 2019	
1	No classes – Christmas Holiday
6-8	Regular classes
10	Catechists and Assistants Meeting for First Holy Communion, 7:00pm (Room 240)
13-15	Regular classes
20-22	No classes – M.L. King Jr. Holiday
24	Catechists and Assistants Meeting for Confirmation, 7:00pm (Room 240)
27-29	Regular classes – report cards to be distributed; beginning of second reporting period



FEBRUARY	
9	First Penance Celebration for First Holy Communion Students (Church) Group 1 10:00am Group 2 12:00pm
3	No classes – Super Sunday
4-5	Regular classes
10-12	Regular classes
13	Parents/Guardian Meeting for First Holy Communion Students, 7:00pm (Church)
17-19	No classes – Presidents' Day Holiday
21	<u>ALL Seventh Grade Students and their Parents/Guardians meeting,</u> 7:00pm (Church)
23	Confirmation Candidates Retreat-required-(Group I), 9am-3pm cafeteria
24-26	Regular classes

MARCH	
2	Confirmation Candidates Retreat-required-(Group II), 9am-3pm cafeteria
3-5	Regular classes
9	Jesus Day Retreat(required) for All First Holy communion Students 9am-12:30pm-Cafeteria
10-12	Regular classes
14	<i>Penance Service</i> for Confirmandi Candidates, 7pm-Church
17-19	Regular classes
24-26	Regular classes
27	Confirmation Rehearsal for Group I, 7pm- Church
28	Confirmation Rehearsal for Group II, 7pm- Church
30	Confirmation Masses Group 1 10:00am Group 2 2:00pm
31	Regular classes



APRIL	
1-2	Regular classes
7-9	Regular classes
14-16	No classes- HOLY WEEK
21-23	No classes- EASTER WEEK
28-30	Regular classes
28	Divine Mercy Sunday-Session 1- Church



MAY	
1	First Holy Communion Rehearsal Group 1, 6:00pm – 7:30pm (Church)
2	First Holy Communion Rehearsal Group 2, 6:00pm – 7:30pm (Church)
4	First Holy Communion Masses Group 1 9:00am Group 2 11:30am
5-7	Regular classes
12	No classes – Mother's Day
13-14	Regular classes
19-21	Final classes-prayer service and class parties; report cards to be distributed.



....Please help them in a way worthy of God to continue their journey.”

3 John 4, 6