

St. Mary's Adult Confirmation Calendar 2007-2008

Rev. 6/8/07

Primary Texts: Compendium Catechism of the Catholic Church, The Bible, RSV-CE or New American Translations
Outlines of the Catholic Faith, Leaflet Missal Co., A Father Who Keeps His Promises by Scott Hahn,
Good News About Sex and Marriage by Christopher West

Time: Monday evenings 7:30 – 9:00, St. Mary's Lyceum-Auditorium at 313 Duke Street

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****ONLY THE SESSIONS MARKED “(CONF)” ARE REQUIRED FOR YOUR CONFIRMATION PREPARATION****

You are welcome to attend any and all of the other RCIA sessions if you wish.

August

- M 8/20 Inquiry Session/What is the RCIA Process and Its Expectations- Fr. K
M 8/27 Faith and Reason, Divine Revelation (OCF Art. 3, CCC 1-141)- Fr. DeC

September

- M 9/3 **LABOR DAY- NO SESSION**
M 9/10 Sacred Scripture, Sacred Tradition, and Magisterium (*Dei Verbum*)- Fr. DeC
M 9/17 The Creed, God the Father (OCF Art. 1, 4A, CCC 185-260)- Fr. DeC
M 9/24 Creation, Original Sin, and the Fall (OCF Art. 1&2, CCC 51-67, 355-412)- Fr. K

October

- M 10/1 Salvation History- Old and New Covenants (*Scott Hahn- Father Who Keeps His Promises*)- Mr. B
M 10/8 **COLUMBUS DAY- NO SESSION**
M 10/15 God the Son, Jesus Christ (OCF Art. 4B-G, 5, 6, CCC 430-478)- Fr. DeC
M 10/22 God the Holy Spirit (OCF Art. 4H, CCC 243-46, 484-86, 687-741)- Fr. K
M 10/29 Catholic Church (OCF Art. 4I, CCC 748-865)- Fr. DeC

November

- M 11/5 Blessed Virgin Mary (CCC 487-507)- Fr. K
M 11/12 Judgment, Heaven, Hell, Purgatory (CCC 1020-1050)- Fr. DeC
M 11/19 The Sacraments (OCF Art. 1, CCC 1113-30, 1210-11) (**CONF**)- Fr. K
M 11/26 Baptism (**CONF**)- Fr. DeC

December

- Sat 12/1 **RCIA Morning of Reflection-** St. Mary's Lyceum 9-11:30am following 8am Mass and Eucharistic Adoration (You are also welcome to attend this session)
Sun 12/2 **ADVENT BEGINS**
M 12/3 Confirmation (OCF Art. 2A-B, CCC1213-1314 (**CONF**)- Fr. K
M 12/10 The Mass (OCF Art. 2C, CCC 1345-1405) (**CONF**)- Fr. DeC
M 12/17 Eucharist (OCF Art. 2C, CCC 1322-1344) (**CONF**)- Fr. K
M 12/24 **CHRISTMAS EVE- NO SESSION**
M 12/31 **NEW YEAR'S EVE- NO SESSION**

January 2008

- M 1/7 **Special Christmas/Epiphany Social from 6:30-7:45pm (bring dessert to share)**
M 1/7 Tour of Church & Meanings & Symbols of the Mass (until 9:15pm)(**CONF**)- Fr. K
M 1/14 Sacrament of Confession (OCF Art. 2D, CCC 1420-1525) (**CONF**)- Fr. DeC
M 1/21 Holy Orders, Anointing of the Sick (OCF Art. 2E-F, CCC 1499-1600) (**CONF**)- Fr. K
Sat 1/26 **RCIA PILGRIMAGE/RETREAT Theme: Prayer (8am-4pm in Wash DC)**
(Catholic Confirmation candidates are also welcome to attend the retreat)

M 1/28 Matrimony (OCF Art. 2G, CCC 1601-1658) (CONF)- Mr. B

February

M-F 2/4-2/8 **Confirmation Interviews-** For those Adults being Confirmed in February

M 2/4 Catholic Morality: Formation of Conscience, Sin, and Grace & Commandments I-II (OCF Art. 3, 10, CCC 1700-1900, 2083-2188) (CONF)- Fr. DeC

Wed 2/6 **ASH WEDNESDAY- LENT BEGINS** (Parish Masses at 6:30am, 8am, 12:10pm, 7:30pm)

M 2/11 Commandments III-V (OCF Art. 4 A-C, CCC 2083-2317)- Fr. K

M 2/18 **PRESIDENT'S DAY- NO CLASS**

M 2/25 Commandments VI, IX (*PART 1*) (OCF Art. 4 F,I, CCC 2331-91, 2514-27)- Fr. DeC

Late Feb **CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL- Evening Prior to Confirmation- 7:00pm**
PARISH CONFIRMATION MASS
7:30pm St. Mary's Church (Date TBD- Usually by December)

March

Sun 3/2 **LENTEN PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCISCAN MONASTERY-** Meet in Lyceum at 12:30pm. Pilgrimage to Monastery in Washington DC 12:30-4pm.

M 3/3 Commandments VI, IX (*PART 2*) (OCF Art. 4 F,I, CCC 2331-91, 2514-27)- Fr. DeC

M 3/12 Commandments VII, VIII, X (OCF Art. 4 D-E, CCC 2196-2317)- Mr. B

Sun 3/16 **PALM SUNDAY- Last Lenten Sunday Mass with Passion Reading at all Masses**

HOLY WEEK- *All CATECHUMENS, FULL COMMUNION CANDIDATES AND CATHOLIC CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES*

M 3/17 **Final Preparation for Easter Vigil and CONFESSIONS (All Priests)**

Meet in the Lyceum at 7:30pm. Following a talk and preparation, all catechumens and candidates will make their First Confession (Sacrament of Penance) in Church.

Thu 3/20 **Holy Thursday Mass- HOLY TRIDUUM BEGINS**

7:30pm Mass at St. Mary's Church- Commemorates Institution of Eucharist at Last Supper

Fri 3/21 **Good Friday Service- 2pm Stabat Mater musical reflection in Church. 3pm**

Veneration of the Cross and Communion Service at St. Mary's Church.

Sat 3/22 **HOLY SATURDAY- Easter Vigil and the holiest day of the year.**

Easter Vigil Rehearsal- 9-10:30am in the Church

***ALL candidates, catechumens, and sponsors (or proxys) MUST be there on time!!*

Easter Vigil Mass- 8:30pm. *Please arrive with your sponsor and families by 8:10pm at the church!! Reception after Mass in St. Mary's Lyceum (around 11:00pm).*

M 3/23 **EASTER MONDAY- NO CLASS**

M 3/30 What Happened at the Easter Vigil- Fr. DeC

April

M 4/7 Building a Prayer Life as a Catholic- Fr. K

M 4/14 "The Daily Grind:" Living the Catholic Faith and Life- Fr. DeC

May

M 4/21 **Challenges for a new Catholic/Staying Involved/Final RCIA Wrap-Up-** Mr. B

Sat 5/10 **ADULT CONFIRMATION-** 7:30pm at Cathedral of St. Thomas More

Sun 5/11 **ADULT CONFIRMATION-** 2:30pm at Cathedral