

# St. Mary's RCIA Calendar 2007-2008

Rev. 6/21/07

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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## 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  
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 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)
- Sat 2/9 **RITE OF SENDING AND ELECTION- St. Mary's/St. Thomas More Cathedral**  
5pm Mass and 7:30pm at Cathedral (Must arrive at 6:30pm)
- OR**
- Sun 2/10 **RITE OF SENDING AND ELECTION- St. Mary's/St. Thomas More Cathedral**  
11:30 Mass and 2:30pm at Cathedral (Must arrive at 1:30pm)
- M 2/11 Commandments III-V (OCF Art. 4 A-E, CCC 2083-2317)- Fr. K
- M 2/18 **PRESIDENT'S DAY- NO CLASS**
- Sun 2/24 **FIRST SCRUTINY- Mass at St. Mary's Church (8:30am).** Please arrive 15 minutes early and sit in front reserved section of the church (candidates with sponsors)
- M 2/25 Commandments VI, IX (*PART 1*) (OCF Art. 4 F,I, CCC 2331-91, 2514-27)- Fr. DeC
- March**
- Sun 3/2 **SECOND SCRUTINY- Mass at St. Mary's Church (11:30am).** Please arrive 15 Minutes early and sit in front reserved section of the church (candidates with sponsors)
- Sun 3/2 **LENTEN PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCISCAN MONASTERY- Meet in Lyceum at 12:30pm. Pilgrimage 12:30-4pm.** (Optional but recommended)
- M 3/3 Commandments VI, IX (*PART 2*) (OCF Art. 4 F,I, CCC 2331-91, 2514-27)- Fr. DeC
- Sun 3/9 **THIRD SCRUTINY- Mass at St. Mary's Church (10:00am).** Please arrive 15 Minutes early and sit in front reserved section of the church (candidates with sponsors)
- M 3/10 Commandments VII, VIII, X (OCF Art. 4 D-E, CCC 2196-2317)- Mr. B
- M 3/10 **Final Interviews (All Priests throughout evening)-**  
Candidates who are receiving a sacrament at the Easter Vigil will sign up for an individual interview with a priest to determine readiness for reception of the sacraments. **\*\*Interviews will be 15-20 minutes in length. All interviews will take place in St. Mary's Rectory directly across from where we usually meet.**
- 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 3/24 **EASTER MONDAY- NO CLASS**
- M 3/31 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
- M 4/21 **Challenges for a new Catholic/Staying Involved/Final RCIA Wrap-Up-** Mr. B
- May**
- Sat 5/10 **ADULT CONFIRMATION-** 7:30pm at Cathedral of St. Thomas More
- Sun 5/11 **ADULT CONFIRMATION-** 2:30pm at Cathedral