

RCIA: Yearly Calendar 2022 to 2023

Time: 10:30 am Mass (after 9:30 am Mass). We meet for session in community room.

Place: St. Edna church, Community Room

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SEPTEMBER 2022

SPEAKER

PRAYER LEADER

Sept. 11th

Razia Khokhar

Introduction, Personal story / Journey of Faith: Welcome to RCIA / What is faith / The Holy Trinity

Scripture and Prayer: 1

Sept. 18th

Razia Khokhar

Catholicism – Lesson 1: Revelation of God / Who is Jesus Christ

Sept. 25th

Razia Khokhar

Journey of Faith: Prayer and the life of Spirit / Catholic Practices

Catholicism – Lesson 9: Prayer and the life of Spirit

OCTOBER

Oct. 2nd

Razia Khokhar

Catholicism – Lesson 3rd: The ineffable Mystery of God

Oct. 9th

Deacon Joe Yannotta

Journey of faith: The Bible / Divine Revelation

Oct. 16th

Razia Khokhar

Catholicism – Lesson 2: The teaching of Jesus

Mary and Saints

Oct. 23rd

Deacon Jim Pauwels

Catholicism – Lesson 4th: Mary, the mother of God

Oct. 30th

Razia Khokhar

Journey of Faith: Communion of Saints, The people of God, Family life

Catholicism – Lesson 8: A vast company of witness

NOVEMBER

Church History

Nov. 6th

Fr. Tomy Abraham

Journey of faith: Who shepherded the church / The Church as community / Early Church and Church History

Nov. 13th

Fr. Tomy Abraham

Catholicism Lesson 6th: The body both suffering and glorious: The Mystical Union of Christ & the church.

(Hand out for Rite of Welcome)

Nov. 20th Reflection on the Rite

(Rite of Welcome at 9:30 am Mass)

Nov. 27th No SESSION – THANKSGIVING WEEKEND

DECEMBER

After the Rite of welcome, we will meet in the church for 9:30 am Mass and will be dismissed after the homily to continue our sessions.

Dec. 4th

Razia Khokhar

----- will lead from the church

Catholicism – Lesson 5th: The indispensable men: Peter & Paul and the missionary adventure

Liturgical Year with focus on Advent and Christmas: Part 1

Dec. 11th Don Skiba ----- will lead from the church
Advent / Christmas / second coming of Jesus Christ / The Church Year

Sacraments

Dec. 18th Diane Yannotta ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: The RCIA process and Rites / Introduction to the Sacraments

NO SESSION: Dec. 25th Merry Christmas / Jan. 1st Happy New Year

JANUARY 2023

Jan. 8th Deacon Sam Resch ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: The Sacraments of Initiation–Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist

Jan. 15th Fr. Tomy Abraham ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: Sacraments of Healing: Anointing, Penance / Reconciliation (part: 1)

Jan. 22nd Razia Khokhar ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: Sacraments of Healing: Penance and Reconciliation (Part: 2)

Jan. 29th Don Skiba ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: Sacrament of Vocation: Marriage & Holy Order

Liturgy and Eucharist part 1

FEBRUARY

Feb. 5th Fr. Tomy Abraham ----- will lead from the church
Catholicism – Lesson 7th: The Word made flesh; True Bread of heaven: The Mystery of the Liturgy & the Eucharist

Feb. 12th Deacon Jim Pauwels ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: Understanding the parts of the Mass and active participation / Places in the church

Liturgical Year with focus on Lent and Easter: Part 2

Feb. 19th Don Skiba ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: What is Lent / Scrutiny / Stations of the Cross / Holy Week / Easter Vigil

(Hand out for Rite of sending forth)

(Plan to participate at the Stations of the Cross during Lent)

Feb. 22nd Ash Wednesday Mass at ----- pm

Feb. 26th (NO SESSION _ ONLY RITUALS)

Rite of sending forth at 9:30 am Mass

Rite of Elect – at Holy Name Cathedral (time /date to be decided)

MARCH

March 5th Deacon Joe Yannotta ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: The Lord's Prayer/ Nicene Creed (Present Our Father and the Creed)

(Ritual for Candidates at 9:30 am Mass)

Liturgy and Eucharist part 2

March 12th Razia Khokhar ----- will lead from the church
A Biblical Walk through the Mass – Study program (1)
1st Scrutiny 9:30 am Mass (**Catechumens**)

March 19th Razia Khokhar ----- will lead from the church
A Biblical Walk through the Mass – Study program (2)
2nd Scrutiny 9:30 am Mass (**Catechumens**)

March 26th Deacon Jim Pauwels ----- will lead from the church
Journey of faith: Our call to Holiness / Evangelization / Conversion: A lifelong process
3rd Scrutiny 9:30 am Mass (**Catechumens**)

APRIL

April 1st SATURDAY RCIA RETREAT 9:00 am – 2:00 pm / Retreat in (TBD)
(Sacrament of Reconciliation)

SPRING / EASTER BREAK

Holy Week: participate at the Holy Week Liturgies

April. 2nd – Palm Sunday

April. 6th – Holy Thursday Service at 7:00 pm (carry the Holy Oils)

April. 7th – Good Friday Service at 7:00 pm

April 8th – PRAYER / PRACTICE FOR EASTER VIGIL AT 8:00 am

EASTER VIGIL 7:00 pm – Celebration of Sacraments – Reception follows

HAPPY EASTER

NO SESSION FOR RCIA ON April 9th to April 16th, 2023

After Easter we meet for 9.30 am Mass followed by session

Catholic Moral Teaching / Social Justice

April 23rd Fr. Tomy Abraham -----
Journey of faith: Social Justice and Discernment

April 30th Fr. Tomy Abraham -----
Journey of faith: Christian Moral living / A Consistent Ethic of life / The dignity of life and living the virtues

Lay Ministry

May 7th Joe Coleman -----
Journey of faith: The role of laity / Your spiritual gifts

Eschatology: The last things (Life, Death, Heaven, and Hell)

May 14th Razia Khokhar -----
Catholicism – Lesson 10th: World without End (party)