



Saint Anthony of Padua Parish

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Dear parents,

Our Faith Formation Program is going digital. The parish website has been upgraded to allow you easy access to news, information, access to our digital classes and email to the Faith Formation Office.

Beginning the week of August 24 our classes will begin on a rotating schedule. Currently, we are planning on 30-40-minute classes on Tuesday evenings. A second evening may be used if necessary. A complete schedule will be published in August. In addition, the website will have links for the lessons, videos and parent assistance.

Once a month there will be a live Zoom session for each grade level and parent meetings designed to help you along the way. Parents will be given the necessary logon & passwords when everything is ready.

Registration for 2020-2021 classes is now available on the website. Registration is required for the fall classes. The fees are the same as last year.

Classes will be set into age-appropriate groups:

- Pre-K and K
- Grade 3
- Grades 4-6
- Grades 7-8

Sacramental Programs – 2-year preparation required

- First Communion/Reconciliation – 1st year (Grade 1) – may include late starting students
- First Communion/Reconciliation – 2nd year (Grade 2)
- Confirmation - 1st year (Grade 9) – may include late starting students
- Confirmation - 2nd year (Grade 10)

Students will be expected to do the weekly lessons (links on the site) and the “live” session will cover the past month’s work, answering questions and offer support.

Mass attendance is still required for everyone, especially the Sacramental programs.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Yours in Christ,

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