

2018-2019 Program Information

Preschool (must be 3 by 8/31/2018)

The Sunday Gospel brought to life with music and activities for our three and four year olds. As our facility does not accommodate diaper changes, children must be fully potty-trained to attend Sunday preschool.

Main Campus

- Sunday 9:00 Mass and 10:45 Mass

Kindergarten (must be 5 by 8/31/2018)

Crafts, storytime, music and activities introduce children to our Catholic traditions and the Sunday Liturgy. Sunday and Weekday options available.

Main Campus

- Sunday 9:00 and 10:45 Mass
- Monday 3:30-4:45 or 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00
- Tuesday 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00

Waxhaw Campus

- Wednesday 3:30-4:45 or 5:00-6:15

Sacramental Preparation – First Reconciliation/First Communion

*Two consecutive years of formal religious education (Faith Formation or Catholic School) beginning no younger than 1st grade is required. **Parents of Year 2 and RCIC 2 children will be expected to attend Parent Meetings in the fall of 2018. Information will be provided to you at registration, and through your current Faith Formation class at the end of the 2017-2018 year.***

- Children who have not completed 1st grade, but begin in 2nd grade will be placed in Year 1.
- Older children (3rd-8th Grade) will be placed in our RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) program. For high school students, please see RCIT on the back side of this page.

Year 1 (1st or 2nd grade) & Year 2 (2nd or 3rd grade)

Main Campus

- Monday 3:30-4:45 or 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00
- Tuesday 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00

Waxhaw

- Wednesday 3:30-4:45 or 5:00-6:15 or 6:45-8:00

RCIC 1 & 2 (3rd-8th grade)

Main Campus

- Monday 4:45-6:00
- Tuesday 6:45-8:00

Waxhaw

- Wednesday 6:45-8:00

Older Elementary (3rd-5th)

*The years following First Communion introduce the concepts of discipleship, service and Catholic doctrine that helps the children learn to live out these sacraments. **This year, we will offer two options for this age group, Traditional Weekday Faith Formation and Family Discipleship. Please read descriptions below.***

- Children 3rd-5th grade who have not received the sacraments of First Reconciliation or First Communion will be placed in our RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) program – see Sacramental Preparation.

Traditional Faith Formation

Offered weekday afternoon and evenings. Children take part in presenting a Christmas Cantata (3rd grade), Saint biographies and Stations of the Cross (4th grade) and Sandwich Making Services (5th grade).

Main Campus

- Monday 3:30-4:45 or 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00
- Tuesday 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00

Waxhaw

- Wednesday 3:30-4:45 or 5:00-6:15 or 6:45-8:00

Family Discipleship

New this year, this program combines parent-child mini-retreats with at home individual or small group sessions taught by the parents.

Community Sessions, Main Campus

- Sunday 8:30-10:30 (9/16, 10/28, 12/9, 1/27, 3/10, 5/19)

Early Middle School (6th Grade)

As the transition to middle school begins, the children are immersed in the stories of the Old Testament and Salvation History. Classes combine traditional learning and group discussion, students experience a model Seder (Passover) meal and opportunities for service.

- 6th Grade children who have not received the sacraments of First Reconciliation or First Communion will be placed in our RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) program – see Sacramental Preparation on front page.

Main Campus

- Monday 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00
- Tuesday 4:45-6:00 or 6:45-8:00

Waxhaw

- Wednesday 5:00-6:15 or 6:45-8:00

Middle School (7th & 8th Grade): EDGE

A two-year cyclical program designed to allow the young teen to deepen his or her relationship with Christ, to explore the teachings of the Catholic Church and to prepare them for a life of discipleship following the reception of the sacrament of Confirmation.

- For those 8th grade students who begin without having completed the 7th grade year, one year of Edge will be followed by placement in RCIT for the 9th grade year (see below).
- Middle School students who have not received the sacraments of First Reconciliation or First Communion will be placed in our RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) program – see Sacramental Preparation on front page.

Main Campus

- Sunday 3:30-5:00
- Tuesday 6:45-8:15
- Wednesday 6:45-8:15

Waxhaw

- Monday 5:00-6:30 or 6:45-8:15

High School

Discipleship Groups/Life Teen

Following the Sacrament of Confirmation, teens are initiated into a discipleship group that will encourage, challenge and be a place they can come to grow in their faith.

Main Campus

- Sunday 6:45-8:30

Sacramental Preparation – Confirmation III

For students who have completed 7th and 8th grade Faith Formation or Catholic school. This proximate preparation takes place in the fall and includes a day retreat. Class Dates: 9/9 (Kick-Off), 9/16, 9/23, 9/30, 10/7, 10/14 and 10/28 (Retreat).

Main Campus

- Sunday 3:00-5:00 or 6:30-8:30
- Wednesday 6:00-8:00

Waxhaw

- Tuesday 6:00-8:00

Sacramental Preparation – RCIT (Rite of Christian Initiation for Teens)

For high school students in grades 10-12 seeking Confirmation, or those in grades 9-12 seeking all Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Communion, Confirmation).

Main Campus

- Sunday 3:30-5:00 or Monday 6:45-8:15