St. Matthew Catholic Church

CHOSEN: RCIT/SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION 2019-2020

(High School)

Sunday: 3:30pm-5pm / Monday: 6pm-7:30pm

Bold items are important dates/information. *Italicized* items are not required.

Week of September 15 Parent & Catechists Only

Meet Your Teen's Catechist & Information Session

Sun., September 15 6:30pm-8:30pm

LIFE TEEN Fall Kick-off

Week of September 22 What makes me happy? (Discovering God as the Source)

Week of September 29 What's your story God? (A Look at Salvation History)

Week of October 6 Tour of the Church

Sunday, October 13 12:00-4:00pm **Fall Festival**

Week of October 20 How do I know God is real? (Understanding Divine Revelation)

Week of October 27 Who is Jesus? (The Person and Mission of Jesus Christ)

Week of November 3 Why be Catholic? (Discovering the Church Jesus Founded)

Week of November 17 Where am I going? (Looking at the Last Four Things)

Week of November 24 How do I get there? (The Power and the Purpose of the Sacraments)

Week of December 8 When did my journey begin? (Baptism, Your Initiation into God's Family)

Week of December 15 Why tell my sins to a priest? (The Healing Power of Confession)

Week of January 5 How does God help when it hurts? (Anointing of the Sick & Redemptive

Suffering)

Week of January 12 Who is the Holy Spirit? (Meeting the Third Person of the Holy Trinity)

Week of January 26 What does the Holy Spirit do for me? (Gifts for the Journey)

Why have I been chosen? (Sealed & Sent in Confirmation)

Week of February 2 Why do I have to go to Mass? (Encountering Jesus in the Eucharist)

February 10-12 Parish Mission: Justin Fatica w/ Hard As Nails Ministry

February 14-16 LIFE TEEN Winter Retreat

Week of February 23	What does it mean to say, I do? (Marriage, a Sign of God's Love) Who's Calling? (Holy Orders and Vocational Discernment)
Week of March 1	Are you talking to me? (Getting to Know God through Prayer)
Week of March 8	Who is Mary? (Meeting the Mother of God-and Your Heavenly Family)
Week of March 15	What would Jesus do? (The Beatitudes as a Path to True Happiness)
Week of March 22	Do I have what it takes? (Building Virtue- Your Spiritual Workout)
Week of March 29	Why wait? (God's Plan for Love and Sex)
Week of April 5	How do I build the kingdom? (Saying "Yes to the Mission of Christ and His Church)
Saturday, April 11	Easter Vigil for Catechumens Only (Teens Needing ALL Sacraments of Initiation)
Week of April 26	Where do I go from here? (The Journey Continues)
Tuesday, May 5 6pm-9pm	Confirmation Rehearsal/Reconciliation (Candidates Only)
Sun., May 17 6:30pm-8:30pm	Life Night - Welcoming/Initiation of RCIT
TBD	Confirmation Mass* (Candidates and Sponsors)

^{*}The dates for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be assigned by the Bishop early 2020.