



CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. CATHARINE OF SIENA



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH

PREP 2023-2024 CALENDAR

CLASS SESSION TIME: 8:45am – 10:10am

10 September	Catechetical Sunday 9:30 Mass, Catechist Commissioning (No Classes)
17 September	PREP Classes begin, 8:45 AM , Gather in Walson Center (<i>Dio Ann Mass PAC</i>)
24 September	Classes
1 October	Classes
8 October	No Class; Columbus Day Weekend
15 October	Classes
22 October	Classes
29 October	Classes
5 November	Classes
12 November	Classes
19 November	Classes
26 November	No Class; Thanksgiving Break
3 December	Classes; Advent Reconciliation
7 December, Thurs.	Vigil Mass for Immaculate Conception, 7pm
Level 3:	6 PM, First Reconciliation, Church; Remain for 7 PM Vigil Mass
Levels 7 & 8:	7 PM Mass, Covenant Ceremony (Gr 7) & Candidate Enrollment (Gr 8)
10 December	Classes
17 December	Classes
24 December	No Class; Christmas Break
31 December	No Class; Christmas Break
7 January	No Class: Catechist Meeting, 10am
14 January	No Class; MLK Jr Holiday Weekend
20 January, Saturday - Confirmation Retreat	<i>(Jan 27, snow date)</i>
21 January	Classes
28 January	Classes
4 February	Classes
11 February	Classes
18 February	No Class; Presidents' Day Holiday Weekend
25 February	Classes; <i>Level 7, Confirmation 2025, Candidate & Parent Meeting</i>
3 March	Classes; Lenten Confessions during class time
10 March	Classes
17 March	No Class; St. Patrick Day Parade
24 March	No Class; Palm Sunday
31 March	No Class; Easter Sunday
7 April	Classes; <i>First Holy Communion Parent Meeting</i>
13 April, Saturday	First Holy Communion Class Retreat
14 April	Classes
21 April	Classes
28 April	Classes
4 & 5 May	First Holy Communion Weekend
5 May	LAST DAY OF PREP CLASSES (No Class for Level 3)

2023-2024 SACRAMENT CLASSES (Level 3; Levels 7 & 8)

Parent Meetings, Retreats, Rehearsals

FIRST RECONCILIATION, Level 3

October 22, 2023, Parent Meeting, 12:30 PM in the PAC

December 7, 2023 (Thursday), First Confessions, 6 PM in Church

➤ ***Families are to remain for 7pm Immaculate Conception Vigil Mass***

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, Level 3

April 7, 2024, Parent meeting, 12:30 in the PAC

April 13, 2024 (Saturday), Retreat, 9 AM – 12 PM in the PAC

*TBD, Rehearsal

***May 4 & 5, 2024, First Communion at Mass of choice (Sat. 4:15; Sun 9:30, 11:30)**

➤ *No Class for Level 3 students on May 5, 2024*

**These dates/times apply to Cathedral Parishioner Children*

TBD, Date/Time for St. Francis Parishioner Children

2024 CONFIRMATION, Level 8

November 12, 2023, Candidate & Parent Meeting in the PAC

➤ **All 8th Graders and at least one Parent/Guardian must attend**

December 7, 2023 (Thursday), 7 PM Mass, Confirmation Candidate Enrollment

➤ **Candidate & Sponsor to attend**

January 20, 2024, Confirmation Retreat (Jan 27, snow date)

January 21 & 22: Candidate Interviews with Bishop's Questions

TBD: **Rehearsal** (Candidates & Sponsors) at St. Francis of Assisi (Confessions to follow)

TBD: **Sacrament of Confirmation, 4:30 PM at St. Francis of Assisi Church**

➤ Candidates & Sponsors are to arrive by 4pm

2025 CONFIRMATION, Level 7

December 7, 2023 (Thursday), 7 PM Mass, Covenant Ceremony

February 25, 2024, Candidate & Parent Meeting, 12:30 PM in the PAC

➤ **All 7th Graders and at least one Parent/Guardian must attend**