

St. Catherine of Siena Parish

1st Reconciliation & 1st Communion Sacramental Preparation 2023-2024 Calendar

St. Catherine School/Homeschool Families: For the 2023-2024 Academic Year, classes will take place within the 2nd Grade religion class during regular school hours (or at home, for homeschool families).

Public School Families: For the 2023-2024 Academic Year, student classes will take place at the same time as *Loreto: Forming Families in the Faith* program (see dates on back/attached). (Visit: www.stcatherineofsiena.org/family-catechesis to learn more)

ALL Sacramental Families/Parents: Regardless of which school your child attends (including homeschool families), all families are required to attend the events listed below. For PARENT-ONLY meetings, at least ONE parent is required to attend these meetings (in case of a legitimate need, another suitable proxy may attend in their place, i.e. grandparent). For families with children in both 2nd and 8th grade & in need of special arrangements, please contact jdkimes@stcatherineofsiena.org.

**2nd Grade Sacramental Prep
Family Meeting (Parent & Child)**
Thursday, Sept 14 at 6:30 PM
St. Catherine, McCrystal Hall

1st Communion Retreat/"Jesus Day"
Sunday, Apr 14 @ 1pm-4:30pm
St. Catherine, McCrystal Hall
(Will Use Entire Campus)

1st Rec. (Parent-Only) Meeting
Thursday, Nov 16 at 6:30 PM
St. Catherine, McCrystal Hall

1st Communion Mass
Sunday, May 5 at 2 PM
St. Catherine Church

**1st Reconciliation Retreat
(Family Welcome)**
Sunday, Feb 25 at 1 PM - 2:30 PM
St. Catherine Church

Our Lady's Farm
Tuesday, May 7 (ALL DAY)
Falmouth, KY
*(Family and friends are welcome!
Students enrolled in public school can
receive an excused absence for the day
as well as transportation assistance,
should they wish to attend.)*

1st Reconciliation Service
Thursday, Feb 29 at 6:30 PM
St. Catherine Church
(Social to follow in McCrystal Hall!)

1st Comm. (Parent-Only) Meeting
Thursday, Mar 14 at 6:30 PM
St. Catherine, McCrystal Hall

May Crowning & Procession
Wednesday, May 8 at 5:30 PM (Mass)
St. Catherine Church

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Class Dates for Public School Families:

2nd Grade Sacramental Preparation

NOTE: Classes will take place in the St. Catherine School Bldg. Student dropoff/pickup will be at the parish center (To enter bldg, please use doors leading to the lobby by the gym).

2023

- Sept. 6 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)
- Oct. 4 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)
- Nov. 8 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)*
- Dec. 6 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)

2024

- Jan. 10 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)*
- Feb. 7 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)
- Mar. 6 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)
- Apr. 10 at 6:30 - 8 PM (*Loreto*)

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

*Our regular Sacramental Preparation classes will take place simultaneously as *Loreto: Forming Families in the Faith*.

* Classes will typically take place on the First Wednesday of the Month from 6:30pm - 8pm, with the following exceptions (as illustrated above):

- Nov. 1 is All Saints Day, so class will be rescheduled for Nov. 8
- Jan. 3 is Christmas Break, so class will be rescheduled for Jan. 10
- Apri. 3 is Spring Break, so class with be rescheduled for Apr 10