

**2018 – 19 RCIC Calendar
Year B & C**

Year B

- Nov. 4 **Retreat I – 11:00am – 2:00pm**
Preparation for Rite of Welcome
*****MANDATORY*****
- Nov. 11 32nd Sunday Ordinary Time
Rite of Acceptance/Welcome 9:30 Mass
*****MANDATORY*****
Gospel: Mark 12:38-44
Topic: Salvation
Faith Fusion: Lesson 1 – The Revelation of God and Sacred Scriptures (pg 17/33)
Saint: St Jerome (pg 22/43)
- Nov. 18 33rd Sunday Ordinary Time
Gospel: Mark 13:24-32
Topic: Saints/The Last Things
Faith Fusion: Lesson 7 – Life Everlasting (pg 65/129)
Saint: St Therese de Lisieux (pg 70/139)
- Nov. 25 Christ the King Sunday
*****NO MEETING*****
Homework: St Marten de Porres (pg 118) Draw me a picture of Jesus (pg 235)

Year C

- Dec. 2 1st Sunday of Advent
Gospel: Luke 21:25-28, 34-36
Topic: Advent
Faith Fusion: Lesson 14 – The Church as Mother and Teacher (pg 129/257)
Saint: Blessed Pope John XXIII (pg 134/267)
- Dec. 9 2nd Sunday of Advent
Gospel: Luke 3:1-6
Topic: Mary
Faith Fusion: Lesson 6 – The Virgin Mary (pg 57/113)
Saint: St Juan Diego (pg 62/123)
- Dec. 16 3rd Sunday of Advent
Gospel: Luke 3:10-18
Topic: Justice and Peace
Faith Fusion: Lesson 15 – The Ten Commandments: Love the Lord Your God
(pg 137/273)
Saint: St Andrew Kim Taegon (pg 142/283)

- Dec. 23 4th Sunday of Advent
 Gospel: Luke 1:39-45
 Topic: The Sacraments
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 16 – The Ten Commandments: Love Your Neighbor (pg145/289)
 Saint: Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha (pg 150/299)
- Dec. 30 Feast of the Holy Family
 NO MEETING
 Christmas Holiday
- Jan. 6 Epiphany
 NO MEETING
 New Year Holiday
 Homework: St Augustine (pg 126/251)
 Write or draw one thing you did for your family over the Christmas holidays
- Jan. 13 Baptism of the Lord
 Gospel: Luke 3:15-16, 21-22
 Topic: Sacraments of Initiation
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 9 – Sacraments of Christian Initiation (pg 85/169)
 Saint: St Francis Xavier (pg 90/179)
- Jan. 20 2nd Sunday Ordinary Time
 Gospel: John 2:1-11
 Topic: Sacraments of Service
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 11 – Sacraments at the Service of Communion (pg 101/201)
 Saint: St Joachim and Anne Louis and Zelig Martin (pg 106/211)
- Jan. 27 3rd Sunday Ordinary Time
 Gospel: Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21
 Topic: Sacraments of Healing
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 10 – Sacraments of Healing (pg 93/185)
 Saint: St Pope John Paul II (pg 98/195)
- Feb. 3 4th Sunday Ordinary Time
 Gospel: Luke 4:21-30
 Topic: Eucharist
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 8 – The Mass (pg 77/153)
 Saint: St Padre Pio (pg 82/163)
- Feb. 10 5th Sunday Ordinary
 Gospel: Luke 5:1-11
 Topic: Trinity
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 2 – I Believe in God the Father (pg 25/49)
 Saint: St Thomas Aquinas (pg 30/59)

- Feb. 17 6th Sunday Ordinary Time
 Gospel: Luke 6:17, 20-26
 Topic: Jesus
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 3 – I Believe in Jesus Christ, the Only Son of God (pg 33/65)
 Saint: St John the Baptist (pg 38/75)
- Feb. 24 7th Sunday Ordinary Time
 Gospel: Like 6:27-38
 Topic: Holy Spirit
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 4 – I Believe in the Holy Spirit (pg 41/81)
 Saint: St Catherine of Siena (pg 46/91)
- Mar. 3 8th Sunday Ordinary Time
 NO MEETING
 Mardi Gras Holiday
 Homework: St Frances of Assisi (pg 186) St Dominic (pg 371)
 Use this week to choose what you will do, in a special way, for Jesus, during Lent.
- Mar. 6 **ASH WEDNESDAY**
 ***You must attend Mass either 7am, noon or 6pm
- Mar. 9 **RETREAT II 12:30pm – 3:30pm**
Preparation for the Rite of Sending/Election
Rite of Sending – Holy Ghost Church @ 4:00pm mass
 MANDATORY
 Gospel: Luke 4:1-13
 Topic: Preparation for Penitential Rite
- Mar. 10 1st Sunday of Lent
RITE OF ELECTION @ St. Joseph Cathedral, Baton Rouge, 4:00pm
 MANDATORY
- IMPORTANT: Patron Saint name due March 17**
- Mar. 17 2nd Sunday of Lent
 Penitential Rite 9:30am mass
 Gospel: Luke 9:28-36
 Topic: Walking in the Light/Preparation for 1st Scrutiny
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 17 – Living the Beattitudes (pg 153/305)
 Saint: Blessed Mother Teresa (pg 158/315)
- Mar. 24 3rd Sunday of Lent
 1st Scrutiny 9:30am Mass
 Gospel: John 4:5-42
 Topic: Creed, Preparation for 2nd Scrutiny, Presentation of the Creed
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 18 – Prayer in the Christian Life (pg 165/329)
 Saint: St Francis de Sales (pg 170/339)

- Mar. 31 4th Sunday of Lent
 2nd Scrutiny 9:30am Mass
 Gospel: John 9:1-41
 Topic: Sedar Meal, Preparation for 3rd Scrutiny
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 5 – One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church (pg 49/97)
 Saint: St Peter (pg 54/107)
- Apr. 7 5th Sunday of Lent
 3rd Scrutiny 9:30am Mass
 Gospel: John 11:1-45
 Topic: Prayer, Presentation of the Lord's Prayer
 Faith Fusion: Lesson 19 – The Lord's Prayer (pg 173/345)
 Saint: St Elizabeth Ann Seton (pg 178/355)
- Apr. 14 **Palm Sunday**
RETREAT III - 11:00am – 2:00pm
*****MANDATORY*****
- April 17 Blessing of the Chrism ****Not Mandatory****
 St. Joseph's Cathedral, Baton Rouge – 11:30 AM
- April 18 Holy Thursday/Washing of the Feet – Holy Ghost Church – 7:00PM
****Mandatory Attendance** **Catechumens will be dismissed****
- April 19 Good Friday
 Outdoor Stations of the Cross – Holy Ghost Church NOON
****Mandatory Attendance***
 Veneration of the Cross – Holy Ghost Church – 3PM
****Mandatory Attendance **** Color: Red
- April 20 Holy Saturday
Practice for Vigil: 9am to 10:30am, meet in the church
Easter Vigil 8:00PM **Meet in the R.C.I.A. room by 7:15 PM