

April 12, 2010

Dear Religious Education Families,

It's time to register your child(ren) for the 2010-2011 school year! We require a separate registration form for each child in your family. Any 8th graders who will be preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation must be registered for both the weekly Religious Education Classes and the Confirmation Preparation Program. (Confirmation registration forms will be sent out separately).

Once again families will have the option to homeschool their children. This option is available for grades 1-8. Homeschool families teach their children using the regular textbooks at home. Families who do choose to homeschool must attend two Sunday family events during the year as part of the successful completion of the program. Also, children in the second and eighth grades are required to attend all Sacramental Preparation Sessions in addition to the Sunday Family events.

The registration fees are listed below. Early registration ends July 15, 2010 so return your forms soon! **If your family is a registered parishioner of St. John the Apostle and are experiencing a financial difficulty, please contact the Religious Education Office. (If you are not registered at St. John the Apostle and unable to pay the non parishioner fee, you should register in the Religious Education Program at the parish where you belong. Please contact the Rectory if you wish to register at St. John's.)** The following is the fee schedule for 2010-2011:

EARLY REGISTRATION (on or before July 15, 2010)

St. John's Parishioners: \$75/1 child \$125/2 children \$150/3 or more

Non-Parishioners: \$150 per child

REGULAR REGISTRATION (after July 15, 2010)

St. John's Parishioners: \$85/1 child \$145/2 children \$180/3 or more

Non-Parishioners: \$160 per child

HOME SCHOOL FEE \$40/1 child \$65/2 children \$90/3 or more

SACRAMENT FEE \$40/Reconciliation/First Holy Communion \$60 Confirmation

Payment MUST accompany registration form. Check should be made payable to St. John the

Apostle.

We are always looking for adults to volunteer in the Religious Education Program as a Catechist, Aide, or Hall Monitor. As a courtesy for volunteer service, the registration fee is waived.

If you are new to the Religious Education Program please be sure that a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate accompanies the registration form only if not baptized at St. John the Apostle. Also, if your child is transferring from another Religious Education Program we require a transfer letter from the previous parish as well as certificates for sacraments received.

Classes are filled on a first come first served basis. Please return your registration form(s) as soon as possible as we cannot promise first choice availability for late registrations.

God Bless you,

Michelle Angelo
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