



St. Joan of Arc Church

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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2024-2025 1st Grade Family Program

Family Program Requirements

- Attendance at each class meeting
- Completion of chapter and unit tests (see below)
- Four parish activities (<https://www.stjoans.org/parish-activities-for-families/>)
- *Family Life* book and assignment (Diocesan safe environment requirement)
- At-home activities: Advent or Lent

Meeting Dates/Times

- November 3rd, 11:30 am
- December 1st, 11:30 am
- February 2nd, 11:30 am
- April 6th, 11:30

Chapter/Unit Test Information and Dates

- ❖ Read through the chapter with your child.
- ❖ Children must complete the chapter test at the end of each chapter, as well as the unit test at the end of each unit. When completed, please tear out these pages from the book (please make sure your child's *name and grade* are at the top of the page) and either bring to our monthly meeting, or put the pages in an envelope to either drop off to the Religious Education Office or mail to us at:
 - St. Joan of Arc, 101 Evans Road, Marlton, NJ 08053 – Attn: RE Homestudy

Please do not send reviews via email! We can only accept work in hard copy format.

By December 31 – Unit 1 (Lessons 1 through 5) Jesus Teaches Us About God's Love

Lesson 1 – God is Our Father

Lesson 2 – We Believe in the Blessed Trinity

Lesson 3 – Jesus Grew Up in a Family

Lesson 4 – Jesus Works Among the People

Lesson 5 – Jesus Teaches Us About Love

*Please review lesson 13 on Advent and lesson 14 on Christmas (no chapter test for these lessons, just review)

Advent Family Lessons will also be assigned to **all St. Joan's families for December.*

By February 15 – Unit 2 (Lessons 8 through 12) We Are Followers of Jesus

Lesson 8 – Jesus Had Many Followers

Lesson 9 – Jesus Died and Rose to New Life

Lesson 10 – Jesus Sends the Holy Spirit

Lesson 11 – The Holy Spirit Helps the Church to Grow

Lesson 12 – The Church Serves

*Please review lesson 20 on Lent and lesson 21 on The Three Day (no chapter test for these lessons, just review)

By March 31 – Unit 3 (Lessons 15 through 19) We Belong to the Church

Lesson 15 – We Belong to a Parish

Lesson 16 – We Celebrate the Sacraments

Lesson 17 – The Church Welcomes New Members

Lesson 18 – We Are Followers of Jesus

Lesson 19 – We Celebrate God's Forgiveness

*Please review lesson 27 on Easter (no chapter test for these lessons, just review)

By May 15 – Unit 4 (Lessons 22 through 26) We Celebrate and Live Our Faith

Lesson 22 – Jesus Gives Us the Eucharist

Lesson 23 – We Celebrate the Mass

Lesson 24 – We Share God's Love

Lesson 25 – We Honor Mary and the Saints

Lesson 26 – We Care for the Gifts of God's Creation

*Please review lesson 6 on The Church Year and lesson 7 on Ordinary Time (no chapter test for these lessons, just review)

For general information about the program, please go to
<http://www.stjoans.org/religious-education>