

R.C.I.A. Calendar

Unless otherwise noted, all R.C.I.A. sessions will be conducted on Tuesdays from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. Dates and times are subject to change.

Aug. 22— Inquiry Session. Welcome and Testimonies. The Story.

Aug. 29— The Blessed Trinity and God the Father (Symbolon I:1)

Sept. 5— Divine Revelation and Sacred Tradition (Symbolon I:2)

Sept. 12— Sacred Scripture (Symbolon I:3)

Sept. 19— The Story of Salvation: Creation, Fall, Original Sin, and Redemption (Symbolon I:4)

Sept. 26— Jesus Christ: The Son of God (Symbolon I:5)

Oct. 3— The Paschal Mystery (Symbolon I:6)

Oct. 10— The Holy Spirit, Grace, and Sanctification (Symbolon I:7)

No session on Tue., Oct. 17 due to Cochon de Lait Set-Up.

Oct. 24— The Church, the Mystical Body of Christ, and Her Four Marks (Symbolon I:8)

No session on Tue., Oct. 31 due to All Hallow's Eve.

Nov. 7— The Blessed Virgin Mary and The Communion of Saints (Symbolon I:9)

Nov. 14— The Four Last Things (Symbolon I:10)

Nov. 21— The Sacraments, Baptism, and Confirmation (Symbolon II:1)

Nov. 28— The Eucharist (Symbolon II:2)

Dec. 3— Rites of Acceptance and Welcoming @ 10 a.m. in church. BOTW every Sunday in Parish Center after homily @ 10 a.m. Mass until Easter. Blessings and Anointings may now be given.

Dec. 5— Walk Through the Mass: Exploring the Sacred Liturgy (Symbolon II:3)

Dec. 12— Take tour of the church, view and understand the items in the sacristy, as well as throughout the church [Presented by Fr. Kevin].

Dec. 19— Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick (Symbolon II:4)

No session on Tue., Dec. 26 due to Christmas and New Year's holidays break.

Jan. 2— Matrimony and Holy Orders (Symbolon II:5)

Jan. 9— Christian Morality: Freedom in Christ and Grace (Symbolon II:6)

Jan. 16— A Love That Lasts: The Call to Self-Giving Love (Symbolon II:7)

Jan. 23— A Love That Lasts: God’s Plan for Sexuality (Symbolon II:8)

Jan. 30— Catholic Social Teaching: Building a Civilization of Love (Symbolon II:9)

Feb. 6— Catholic Social Teaching: Protecting the Dignity of the Human Person (Symbolon II:10)
No session on Tue., Feb. 13 due to Mardi Gras and no session on Tue., Feb. 20 due to St. Edward’s Lenten Mission.
Saturday, February 17—Lenten Service Project @ St. Jude Community Center.

Feb. 18—Rite of Sending @ 10 a.m. Mass in church; Rite of Election & Call to Continuing Conversion @ 3 p.m. at St. Joseph Church (1802 Tulane Ave. New Orleans). Sacrament of Reconciliation for Candidates received prior to Easter Vigil.

Feb. 25—The Penitential Rite for Candidates @ 10 a.m. Mass.

Feb. 27— Introduction to Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer

March 4—1st Scrutiny & Presentation of the Creed @ 10 a.m. Mass.

March 6— Liturgical Prayer & Traditions of Prayer

March 11—2nd Scrutiny @ 10 a.m. Mass.

March 13— Sacramental Living & The Battle of Prayer

March 18—3rd Scrutiny & Presentation of the Lord’s Prayer @ 10 a.m. Mass.

March 20—The Priesthood of the Faithful & Evangelization
No session on Tue., March 27 due to Holy Week.

March 31—Preparation Rites (includes Recitation of Creed, Ephphetha Rite, Saint Name) during Morning of Reflection (9 a.m.-12p.m. in church). “Walk-Through” the Initiation Rites. Rites of Initiation @ Easter Vigil Mass at 8 p.m.

Mystagogy: April 3: Lectio Divina on Sunday Readings.
April 10: Lectio Divina on Sunday Readings.
April 17: Lectio Divina on Sunday Readings.
April 24: Lectio Divina on Sunday Readings.
May 1: Lectio Divina on Sunday Readings.
May 8: Lectio Divina on Sunday Readings.
May 15: Dinner

May 20: Confirmation @ Cathedral @ 3 p.m.