

THE 2020 - 2021 RCIA CALENDAR

The Saint Raymond RCIA is scheduled to meet for **24 - Monday evening sessions** from **7:30 to 8:30 P.M.** from **September 14, 2020 to March 29, 2021** via Zoom.

We will **not meet** on the following **6 Monday evenings** due to holidays: **October 12, December 21, December 28, 2020; and January 18; and February 15, 2020.**

Inclement weather decisions will be in accord with the Fairfax County Public Schools

Texts:

The Faith Explained by Leo J. Trese

The Catechism of the Catholic Church

The New Saint Joseph Baltimore Catechism No. 2

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SEPTEMBER: (3 Classes)

- 14 Session 1**
Welcome and overview

- 21 Session 2**
Chapter 1 - The Purpose of Man's Existence

- 28 Session 3**
Chapter 2 - God and His Perfections

OCTOBER: (3 Classes)

- 5 Session 4**
Chapter 3 - The Unity and Trinity of God

- 12 *No RCIA due to Columbus Day***

- 19 Session 5**
Chapter 4 - Creation and the Angels

- 26 Session 6**
 Chapter 5 - The Creation and Fall of Man
 Chapter 6 - Actual Sin

NOVEMBER: (5 Classes)

- 2 Session 7**
 Chapter 7 - The Incarnation
- 9 Session 8**
 Chapter 8 - The Redemption
- 16 Session 9**
 Chapter 9 - The Holy Spirit and Grace
 Chapter 10 - The Virtues and the Gifts of the Holy Spirit
- 23 Session 10**
 Chapter 11 - The Catholic Church
 Chapter 12 - The Marks and Attributes of the Church
- 26 *Thanksgiving***
- 30 Session 11**
 Chapter 13 - The Communion of Saints
 Chapter 14 - The Resurrection and Life Everlasting

DECEMBER (2 Classes)

- 7 Session 12**
 Chapter 15 - The Two Great Commandments
 Chapter 16 - The First Commandment of God
 Chapter 17 - The Second and Third Commandments of God
- 14 Session 13**
 Chapter 18 - The Fourth and Fifth Commandments of God
 Chapter 19 - The Sixth and Ninth Commandments of God
 Chapter 20 - The Seventh and Tenth Commandments of God
- 21 *No RCIA for the Christmas Holiday***
- 28 *No RCIA for the New Year Eve Holiday***

JANUARY: (3 Classes)

- 4 Session 14**
 Chapter 21 - The Eighth Commandment of God
 Chapter 22 - The Commandments of the Church
- 11 Session 15**
 Chapter 23 - The Sacraments
 Chapter 24 – Baptism
 Chapter 25 – Confirmation
- 18 *No RCIA due to the Martin Luther King Holiday***
- 25 Session 16**
 Chapter 26 - The Eucharist

FEBRUARY: (3 Classes)

- 1 Session 17**
Chapter 27 - The Mass
Chapter 28 - Holy Communion
This session will begin at 7:00 PM in the Church
- 8 Session 18**
 Chapter 29 – Penance
 Chapter 30 – Contrition
- 15 *No RCIA due to the President's Day Holiday***
- 17 *Ash Wednesday***
- 22 Session 19**
 Chapter 31 – Confession

MARCH: (5 Classes)

- 1 Session 20**
 Chapter 32 - Temporal Punishment and Indulgences
 Chapter 33 - Anointing of the Sick
- 8 Session 21**
 Chapter 34 - Holy Orders
- 15 Session 22**
 Chapter 35 – Matrimony
 Chapter 36 - The Sacramentals

22 Session 23
Chapter 37 – Prayer
Chapter 38 - The Our Father

29 Session 24
Chapter 39 - The Bible
Review and rehearsal for Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass

April: (0 Classes)

TBA *First Penance will be made available for those needing this sacrament*

1 *Holy Thursday*

2 *Good Friday*

3 *Easter Vigil* - *Adult Baptism/Reception into the Church/Confirmation/First Holy Communion*

4 *Easter Sunday*