

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
RCIA
Inquiry Calendar 2010-2011

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation –Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

Inquiry or Precatechumenate-We begin with the period of Inquiry. During this period, teaching is given to people who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. The sessions cover basic information about the Faith. There is no obligation involved in attending these meetings – they are intended to help a person decide whether they want to continue learning about the Faith. Attendees at this stage are known as Inquirers.

At St. Mary’s, Inquiry sessions are ongoing. Sessions are offered on Tuesday Evenings from 7:00-8:30 PM and on Sundays from 9:00 AM -10:15 AM (Sunday sessions are only offered in Summer and Fall).

**Welcome to RCIA Inquiry
Summer- Early Fall 2010**

| Date Sun/Tues | Time | Teaching | Location |
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| June 27 June 29 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Introduction to RCIA | Holy Family Room |
| July 4 July 7 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | No Class on Sunday July 4 –Holiday Class on Tuesday July 7 | Holy Family Room |
| July 11 July 13 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q1 Journey of Faith Q2 What Do Catholics Believe | Holy Family Room |
| July 18 July 20 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q3 What is the Meaning of Mass | Holy Family Room |
| July 25 July 27 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q4 The Bible | Holy Family Room |
| August 1 August 3 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q4 The Bible <i>Should be choosing a sponsor</i> | Holy Family Room |
| August 8 August 10 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q5 How do Catholics Interpret the Bible Q6 | Holy Family Room |
| August 15 August 17 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q6 The Saints | Holy Family Room |
| August 22 August 24 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q7 Mary <i>Set up interviews with Father</i> | Holy Family Room |
| August 29 August 31 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q8 Places in the Catholic Church | Holy Family Room |
| September 5 September 7 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Sunday No Class Tuesday 9/7 Class | Holy Family Room |
| September 12 September 14 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q9 Who’s Who in the Church Q10 Catholics and Prayer | Holy Family Room |
| September 19 September 21 | 9:00-10:15 AM 7:00-8:30 PM | Q11 Catholic Practices Q12 Catholics and the Church | Holy Family Room |

At this point, Inquirers will have made a decision with the Pastor and the parish team to move on to the next stage of the process or to continue on in Inquiry sessions. More information regarding the next stage of the process will be discussed in Inquiry sessions. Further Inquiry sessions are available on Tuesdays only from 7:00PM – 8:30 PM in the Holy Family Room.

Continued Inquiry 2010-2011

| Date Tuesdays | Time | Teaching | Location |
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| September 28 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q1 Journey of Faith | Holy Family |
| October 5 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q2 What Do Catholics Believe | Holy Family |
| October 12 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Speaker | Holy Family |
| October 19 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q3 What is the Meaning of Mass Q4 The Bible | Holy Family |
| October 26 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q5 How do Catholics Interpret the Bible | Holy Family |
| November 2 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q6 The Saints and Q7 Mary | Holy Family |
| November 9 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Speaker Fr. Vaughn –History of the Mass | Holy Family |
| November 16 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q8 Places in the Catholic Church | Holy Family |
| November 23 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q9 Who’s Who in the Church | Holy Family |
| November 30 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q10 Catholics and Prayer | Holy Family |
| December 7 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q11 Catholic Practices | Holy Family |
| December 14 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q12 Catholics and the Church | Holy Family |
| December 21 | No Class | Christmas Break | No Class |
| December 28 | No Class | New Year’s Break | No Class |
| January 4 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Introduction to RCIA | Holy Family |
| January 11 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q1 Journey of Faith | Holy Family |
| January 18 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Speaker | Holy Family |
| January 25 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q2 What Do Catholics Believe | Holy Family |
| February 1 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q3 What is the Meaning of Mass | Holy Family |
| February 8 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q4 The Bible | Holy Family |
| February 15 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q5 How do Catholics Interpret the Bible Q6 | Holy Family |
| February 22 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q6 The Saints | Holy Family |
| March 1 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q7 Mary | Holy Family |
| March 8 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q8 Places in the Catholic Church | Holy Family |
| March 15 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q9 Who’s Who in the Church | Holy Family |
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| March 22 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q10 Catholics and Prayer | Holy Family |
| March 29 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q11 Catholic Practices | Holy Family |
| April 5 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q12 Catholics and the Church | Holy Family |
| April 12 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Introduction to RCIA | Holy Family |
| April 19 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q1 Journey of Faith | Holy Family |
| April 26 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q2 What Do Catholics Believe | Holy Family |
| May 3 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q3 What is the Meaning of Mass | Holy Family |
| May 10 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q4 The Bible | Holy Family |
| May 17 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q5 How do Catholics Interpret the Bible Q6 | Holy Family |
| May 24 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q6 The Saints | Holy Family |
| May 31 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q7 Mary | Holy Family |
| June 7 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q8 Places in the Catholic Church | Holy Family |
| June 14 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q9 Who's Who in the Church | Holy Family |
| June 21 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q10 Catholics and Prayer | Holy Family |
| June 28 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q11 Catholic Practices | Holy Family |
| July 5 | 7:00-8:30 PM | Q12 Catholics and the Church | Holy Family |