

2015-2016 St. Malachy Religious Education Calendar

This calendar is subject to change. Please refer to email, the RE newsletter and church bulletin for updates.

	St. Nicholas PreK-1st	St. Therese 2nd-4th	St. Maria 5th-7th	St. Thomas 8th-12th
6:30-6:45	Opening prayer	Opening Prayer	Class	1st Wed: YG
6:45-7:00	Music	Class	Class	2nd-4th Wed: Confirmation 8th-10th grade
7:00-7:30	Class			
7:30-7:45		Music	Closing Prayer	

*No class for 7th grade the 1st Wednesday of the month.

Wed. 6/18	1:00 PM	Madrid/Ogden Calendar Meeting
Wed. 7/15	6:30-7:30 PM	VBS Planning Meeting, Hansen Hall
Sun 7/26-Thur 7/29	6:30-7:45 PM	St. Malachy Superhero VBS-Hansen Hall
Wed. 8/12	8:00-9:00 PM	Cluster DRE Meeting; Sacred Heart, Boone
Sun 8/23	11:30-4:30	Cluster New Catechist Training-Hansen Hall
	11:30-12:30	RE Registration
Wed 8/26	6:30-7:30 PM	Catechist Inservice
Wed 9/2	6:30-7:30 PM	Catechist Work Time & RE Registration
	6:30-8:00 PM	Youth Group
Wed 9/9	6:30-7:30 PM	Meet the Teacher & Parent Meeting
	6:30-7:30 PM	8th grade Confirmation initial interviews
Sun. 9/13	10:30-11:30 AM	4th grade Youth Mass
Wed. 9/16	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-10th grade Religious Ed classes
Sat. 9/19	4:00-5:00 PM	Catechetical Commissioning @ Mass
Sun. 9/20	10:30-11:30 AM	Catechetical Commissioning @ Mass
Wed. 9/23	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-10th grade Religious Ed classes
	6:45-7:30 PM	Confirmation 8th-10th parent meeting
	6:30-7:30 PM	Altar Server Training 4th grade-HS
Mon. 9/28	All Day	Diocesan Ministries Conference
Wed. 9/30	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-10th grade Religious Ed classes
	6:45-7:30 PM	2nd grade parent meeting
Sun 10/4	9:00-12:00	Confirmation Sponsor Retreat
Sun. 10/4	10:30-11:30 AM	1st & 6th Youth Mass
	11:30-12:30	Altar Server Training (after Mass)
Wed. 10/7	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group
Wed. 10/14	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-10th grade Religious Ed classes

Wed. 10/21	6:30-7:45 PM 6:30-7:45 PM	10th grade Exit Interviews & Reconciliation PreK-10th grade Religious Ed classes
Sun. 10/25	6:45-8:00 PM TBA	Cluster Youth Group @ Sacred Heart, Boone Des Moines Diocese Youth Rally @ Dowling HS
Wed. 10/28	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-7th grade All Saints & All Souls Party
Wed. 11/4	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group
Sun. 11/08	10:30-11:30 AM	Confirmation Mass @ St. Malachy
Tues 11/10	7:00-8:30 PM	Cluster DRE Meeting @ St. Malachy
Wed. 11/11	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Wed. 11/18	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Wed. 11/18	5:30-6:30 PM	Fall Harvest Family Dinner, Hansen Hall
	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-10th grade Religious Ed classes
Sat. 11/21	5:00-11:00 PM	YG Shopping for Madrid Home Christmas & Movie
Wed. 12/2	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group
Sun. 12/6	11:30-12:30 12:30-4:00	PreK-6th grade Christmas Program Practice St. Nicholas Workshop Drop-in daycare-YG fundraiser
Wed. 12/9	6:30-7:15 PM 6:30-7:15 PM 7:15-8:00 PM	Communal Penance Service RE Christmas Program Dress Rehearsal RE Christmas Program, Hansen Hall
Sun. 12/13	10:30-11:30 AM	3rd grade Youth Mass
Wed. 12/16	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Wed. 12/23	NO RE CLASS	MERRY CHRISTMAS!
Wed. Jan 6	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group
Sun. Jan. 10	10:30-11:30 AM	Kindergarten & 7th grade Youth Mass
Wed. Jan. 13	6:30-7:45 PM 6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes 6th & 7th grade Reconciliation
Sat. Jan 16	TBA (Tentative)	Midwest March for Life: Des Moines
Wed. Jan. 20	6:30-7:45 PM Time TBA	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes Cluster Youth Group @ St. John's Ogden
Wed. Jan. 27	6:30-7:45 PM	No RE Class-Catechist Inservice
Sun. Jan. 30	11:30-2:30 PM	Prayer & Vocations Confirmation Retreat
Wed. Feb. 3	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group
Sun. Feb. 7	11:30-1:00 PM	Mardi Gras Kids' Carnival, Hansen Hall
Wed. Feb. 10	7:30-8:30 PM	Ash Wednesday: No RE (Attend Mass at 7:30 PM)
Sun. Feb. 14	10:30-11:30 AM 11:30-12:00 PM	Preschool & 5th grade Youth Mass Valentine's Day cookie decorating party
Wed. Feb. 17	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Sun. Feb. 21	11:30 AM-1:00 PM 5:00-9:00 PM	First Reconciliation Learning Stations Amore Dinner-Steubenville Fundraiser

Wed. Feb. 24	6:30-7:45 PM 6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes Second Grade First Reconciliation
Wed. Mar 2	6:30-7:45 PM 6:45-8:00 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group Cluster Youth Group @ Madrid
Wed. Mar 9	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Sun. Mar 13	10:30-11:30 AM	8th & 9th grade Youth Mass
Wed. Mar 16	6:30-7:45 PM 6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes 3rd grade Reconciliation
Fri. 3/18-Sat. 3/19	5:00-6:00 PM	Hunger Famine Youth Group Retreat
Sun. Mar 20	11:30-1:00 PM	Easter Egg Hunt & RE Breakfast
Wed. Mar 23	6:30-7:45 PM 6:00-7:00 7:00-9:00	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes Youth Group Shadow Stations of the Cross Youth Group trip to Ogden-Living Stations
Wed. Mar 30	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Wed. April 6	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-6th grade Religious Ed classes & Youth Group
Sun. April 10	10:30-11:30 AM 11:30 AM-1:00 PM	2nd Grade Youth Mass First Eucharist Learning Stations
Wed. April 13	6:30-7:45 PM 6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes 4th & 5th grade Reconciliation
Sun. April 17	11:30-12:30 PM	Family Picnic & Games on the lawn
Wed. April 20	6:30-7:45 PM	PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes
Wed. April 27	5:30-6:30 PM 6:30-7:45 PM 6:45-7:45 PM	Catechist End of the Year Inservice PreK-9th grade Religious Ed classes First Communion Rehearsal
Sun. May 1	10:30-11:30 AM	First Communion Mass (arrive at 8:30 AM)
Wed. May 4	6:30-7:45 PM	May Crowning & End of the Year Ice Cream Party
Wed. May 18	12:00-1:00 PM	Graduate Lunch with Father Jim
Sun. May 22	10:30-11:30 AM	Graduation Mass (arrive at 9:45 AM)

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Curriculum Resources

Preschool	Catholic ABC's
Kindergarten-6th Grade	Call to Faith Series
7th grade	Morality, Church History, Discipleship
Confirmation	Confirmed in the Spirit Decision Point, Dynamic Catholic