

MAY 1, 2024

# FORMING OUR FAITH

ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH  
FAITH FORMATION PROGRAMS



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## MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION

This month, Pope Francis calls for the world to pray for the Formation of Religious, Monks, Nuns, and Seminarians. He urges prayers "so that religious, monks, nuns, and seminarians may grow in their vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual, and communal formation, leading them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel."

## ABSENT?

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## GOD IS IN THE DETAILS

The year is wrapping up for so many of our programs...

Confirmation Mass is tonight; almost all First Communicants received their sacrament; Middle School and High School Formation are on break for the Summer.

Classes haven't all ended! There are 3 more classes for our Graded Formation program; more people know them as the "3:30 Wednesday Kids".

When we wrap up 1 year, we start planning the next... We are hoping to keep as much formation at St Joseph as possible. To do that, I NEED volunteers to lead rooms. I am in need of 1-2 adults for Grade 3 (Wed 3:30) and 1-2 adults for Junior Disciples (Sunday Mass). I will need adults for our middle school and high school programs, as well.

Formation Leadership planning is happening soon. Program Updates, registration and general schedules for our 2024-2025 Formation Year will be available by summer.

# May Calendar of Events

Sunday	Mon	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thurs	Friday	Sat
28 <b>First Communion</b> 10:30 Sunday Mass	29	30	1 8:00 Morning Mass 3:30 Youth Formation 7:00 Confirmation @ HMC	2 6:30 RCIA	3 8AM 1st Friday Word & Communion 8:30AM Eucharistic Adoration	4
5 <b>First Communion &amp; May Crowning</b> 10:30 Sunday Mass 10:30 Junior Disciples 11:30 Donut Fellowship 5:00 Teen Field Trip	6	7 4:30-7:30 Eucharistic Adoration	8 8:00 Morning Mass 3:30 Youth Formation	9 6:30 RCIA	10	11
12 <b>Mother's Day</b> 10:30 Sunday Mass 10:30 Junior Disciples 4:30 Family Formation	13	14	15 8:00 Morning Mass 3:30 Youth Formation	16 6:30 Craft Night	17	18
19 <b>Pentecost</b> 10:30 Sunday Mass 10:30 Junior Disciples 6:00 Grad Mass @ St Ann	20	21	22 8:00 Morning Mass 3:30 Youth Formation	23	24	25
26 10:30 Sunday Mass	27	28	29 8:00 Morning Mass	30	31	1

## Saint Days & Holy Days

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| May 1: Saint Joseph the Worker                                                                            | May 19: Solemnity of Pentecost                                                         |
| May 2: Saint Athanasius                                                                                   | May 20: Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church<br>Saint Bernadine of Siena          |
| May 3: Feast of Saints Philip and James                                                                   | May 21: Saint Christopher Magallanes and Companions                                    |
| May 9: Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord                                                             | May 22: Saint Rita of Cascia                                                           |
| May 10: Saint Damien de Veuster of Moloka'i<br>Saint John of Avila                                        | May 25: Saint Bede the Venerable<br>Saint Gregory VII<br>Saint Mary Magdalene de Pazzi |
| May 12: Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord (Observed)<br>Saints Nereus and Achilleus<br>Saint Pancras | May 26: Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity<br>Saint Philip Neri                        |
| May 13: Our Lady of Fatima                                                                                | May 27: Saint Augustine of Canterbury                                                  |
| May 14: Feast of Saint Matthias the Apostle                                                               | May 29: Saint Paul VI                                                                  |
| May 15: Saint Isidore                                                                                     | May 31: Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary                             |
| May 18: Saint John I                                                                                      |                                                                                        |