



Looking at the Liturgy Committee

Led by Pat Thompson there is a group of parishioners who are committed to bringing a greater connection of the parish with our Catholic liturgy. The Liturgy Committee looks at the seasons of the Church to help focus attention on special aspects of the Mass or the time of the year.

Although it seems far away, Liturgy Committee is planning for the season of Advent. The goal this year is to prayerfully focus on four of the O Antiphons during the weeks of preparation for Christmas.

Music, decorations and special content will help parishioners study an important and often forgotten part of Catholic ritual during Advent. Look for more information and opportunities to participate in the upcoming months.

The Liturgy Committee also helps plan and assist with the special liturgies at the Historic Church of Saint Patrick during the year. The Firefighter's Mass in September, the White Mass in October, St. Patrick's Mass in March and the Blue Mass in May are important to the parish and require special attention to detail.

For anyone interested in being part of the Liturgy Committee, absolutely no liturgical background is required – the members are all learning as we grow in faith together. Come and join the committee and offer your special skills where they are needed most.

The ritual and focus of Mass is our direct contact with our loving Father. It is a blessing to have so many ways to better understand God's will and Jesus' sacrifice.

Did you know the Liturgy Committee ...

- has Tom Farrell and Mary Kay Belcher write the petitions every Sunday and for the special Masses?
- decided to move the acolytes in front of the tabernacle to make more space for the Eucharistic Ministers on the altar?
- provides lectors for Wednesday night Masses?
- plans to have monthly memorials on the second and fourth Wednesdays for deceased police and firefighters beginning in August?





Fall Faith Formation

Come and Grow Your Faith With HSP!

Tuesdays, September 6-October 25; 6:30-8 in church

Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant

Embark on a guided tour of the “Holy of Holies” of biblical theology. The book of Hebrews is like a little Catechism. It is steeped in rich truths that are foundational to our Catholic Faith, but its highly refined theological concepts can be difficult for even the most seasoned Bible scholars to unpack.

*Presented by Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, **Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant** draws out the riches of this sublime book in a way that makes them easier to understand. It draws connections between the Old and New Testaments, the Liturgy, the Eucharist, the priesthood, and so much more. Most importantly, Hebrews will help Catholics appreciate the astounding generosity of God as they see the wonders he has given us in the Church. (Cost: \$29.95 for workbook)*

The perfect followup...

Wednesdays, September 7-October 26; 6:30-8 in church

The Catechism of the Catholic Church

*What do Catholics really believe? The Catechism can be a difficult and tedious read **BUT**, thanks to Real+True (a Formed program), they were able to create a way to share and explain the Catechism in a beautiful, captivating, and relevant format. Join us for an engaging video and discussion as we learn about the CCC. (Cost: Free)*

Join us for one or both evenings! We always have great discussions and snacks!

For more information or to sign up, contact Martha at Martha.Farrell15@gmail.com.

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found in the narthex. Please
complete the form and return it to
the Parish Office or place it in the
collection box by 8/14/2022 to
register your child(ren) for this
year's classes.

Classes will begin after Labor
Day. Start date will be shared at a
later date.



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...in this church

...in this community

...in the body of Christ

...in the Catholic faith

...in the kingdom of God

...in Religious Education

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Week of August 07, 2022



Edith Stein: The Seventh Chamber

This film is a moving, artistic portrayal of the life of Jewish philosopher, Catholic convert, and Carmelite martyr, Edith Stein. It powerfully captures the interior struggles of this extraordinary woman and her journey toward the Lord.



FORMED Now! St. Clare of Assisi

In this FORMED Now episode, Dr. Tim Gray, joined by Dr. Ben Akers, discusses the life of St. Clare and the beauty and attractiveness of poverty.



What is Sin?

What is sin and is it even real? Or is it something the Church made up to take away our fun and make our life miserable? Chris Stefanick sits down with Dr. John Sehorn to discuss the Church's teaching on sin.

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Darby Derby

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Time: Doors open at 6 pm

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