

Dear St. Anthony Family,

May, 2009

As the new Director of Faith Formation here at St. Anthony's, I whole-heartedly welcome you to our Christian Formation Program for 2009–2010! I am blessed to be here, and very much look forward to working with you and your children in the upcoming year. The following program and registration materials are available and can be printed from this website:

- Description of all Christian Formation Programs
- Registration Form
- Pledge/Volunteer Form

For Summer and Fall classes, please register all your children, from Pre-school through Confirmation on the one form. Also, please carefully read through the Pledge/Volunteer form defining our parental expectations and listing the many service opportunities that are available for your participation.

At your child's baptism you, as parents, agreed to bring up your children in the faith of the Catholic Church. This responsibility is not to be taken lightly, and we therefore ask you to prayerfully review the pledge and commit to these expectations with your signature.

As a requirement for your participation in the program, we ask that each family volunteer for a minimum of six (6) service hours for the year. Involvement in parish life is a primary way to live out our call to faith and service as baptized Catholics.

Here is a reminder of important information:

- **Summer and Sunday registration forms are due by June 15th.**
- **All other registration forms are due by July 1st.**
- If your child(ren) cannot make it for the "Summer" portion of Summer and Sunday, (August 3rd through 7th) please register them for the Wednesday Evening classes. **NO exceptions to this!**
- Tuition payment/fees may be deferred until September. You may also choose from one of the available payment plans that are listed on the second page of the Registration Form.
- The Registration Form **and** the Pledge/Volunteer Form **MUST** be returned, by the deadline, in order for the registration to be complete. You can either drop it off or mail it to the Parish Office. Registration is **NOT** complete without the Pledge/Volunteer Form.
- You can pay your tuition fees or donate to the Christian Formation Program by purchasing **SCRIP**. (Please refer to the bulletin or contact John Hying to learn more about ordering Scrip.)
- Watch the bulletin and the Youth Ministry web page for more information on the High School and Confirmation Programs.

In Christ,



John Hying
Director of Faith Formation



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