

Dear Christ the Servant Families,



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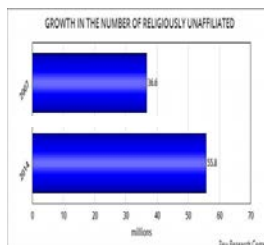
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Whatever the covid-19 situation brings us this Fall, Religious Formation is prepared to help your child to grow in their faith and in their relationship with Jesus. Registration for the 2020-2021 Religious Formation classes has begun, and we are committed to helping your child come to know and love God and to help your family grow in its faith. RF is prepared to continue classes in a *distant learning environment, in person or a combination of both remote and traditional classrooms*. One of the *possible* changes for classroom instruction, is to make available Tuesday afternoon classes for elementary grades and Wednesday night classes for middle school grades which would allow time to clean between classes. But whatever the situation, Religious Formation will strive to be considerate of the relentless demands placed on families, as we partner with families in the passing on of the Catholic faith.

We hope to make this upcoming year even better with new books, programs, games, and parish events. Last year, it became evident that the parish needed to update its curriculum. Although, we had an idea as to what books would work, we were impressed by the insightful questions and the abilities of the kids. Because of the kids' abilities, plans were made to step up the program to meet their needs for better content. So next year, we will be enriching their faith with a book called Spirit of Truth as well as using resources from Ascension press, Augustine Institute, Credible Catholic and Decision Point. It is important for your child to continue their formation each year and not just on sacrament years, so that they do not miss out on experiences planned for their individual developmental levels.



Also, new for next year RF is making serious plans to stem the loss of faith of our kids. A recent PEW surveys shows that religion is on a steep decline for our youth and that those age 18 – 29



selected “none” as their religious affiliation 39% of the time. This is up from 23% in the 2006 PEW survey. This will grow to 50% by 2023, if left unabated. *What that means for us at Christ the Servant is that only four of last year’s 1<sup>st</sup> graders will believe in God when they leave for college.* Research has also shown that this loss in faith in young adults actually started before adulthood in their preteen years. It is in the ages of 10-13 that most of our kids become familiar with secular myths that misstate

the facts and leads to becoming apathetic and skeptical of God. Without a proper explanation and response to these secular misunderstandings of God, or without the fostering of a real and vibrant relationship with God, we cannot expect to keep our kids in the Church. We, as a community, cannot continue to teach the fundamental tenets of our faith and deny the

devastation that occurs in our kids' lives. How can we just stand by and watch our kids as they live without the hope and healing that God brings to their lives. With the alarming rate of young adults that are becoming disassociated with religion and losing any kind of belief in God, we



need, as parents and teachers, to seriously consider what this might mean for our own children. With that said, I have made plans to bring in the Credible Catholic 7 modules program to directly take on these secular myths. Parents will also be invited to participate if they wish. The book series Chosen and the video series Search, that take a modern culture and individualistic approach to the questions of faith in God will also be used this coming year.

Plans for a special program "Jesus Covenant Play" for grades 1,3,4,5 and 6 and is scheduled for next year. Also, we have planned a program for grandparents and grandchildren, "The Grand Event." If we are able to meet safely as groups next year these are some of the new event we have planned for next year. At Christmas we will again enjoy another family sharing and learning celebration with this year's theme "Prophecies of Jesus." Lent will also have a family event and a spring will bring a Parish art show featuring our Children's artwork and crafts.



Religious Formation is planning more fun, more learning, and more Jesus, so be sure and register soon to save a place for your child.



Please complete and submit your registration forms (all 4 pages) as soon as possible to ensure your child's space. Also, please review the 2020-2021 Religious Formation Handbook (available online or hardcopy outside RF office) for policies and procedures. Classes will begin on **September 16th**. A calendar will be mailed in August.

Stay safe and please have a wonderful summer! I miss all of you!

God Bless,

*Christine Goba*

Director of Religious Formation  
Christ the Servant  
Woodridge, IL

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 630-910-0770 x103, [cgoba@rcdoj.org](mailto:cgoba@rcdoj.org) or [christine@ctswoodridge.org](mailto:christine@ctswoodridge.org)

**CHRIST THE SERVANT  
RELIGIOUS FORMATION REGISTRATION  
2020-2021**



Are you a registered member of the parish? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ *(Required - please stop at the parish office!)*

**PLEASE PRINT:** Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Child(ren) live(s) with: Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Stepfather: \_\_\_\_\_ Stepmother: \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Phone numbers: Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Mom's cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Dad's cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Mom's work: \_\_\_\_\_ Dad's work: \_\_\_\_\_

email address(es): \_\_\_\_\_ *(please print clearly)*

Emergency Contact, in the event we are unable to reach a parent during a session:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

In case of an emergency cancellation of classes, which is the best number to call: \_\_\_\_\_

<p align="center"><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Hybrid/Remote CHOICES BY GRADE LEVEL</b></p> <p>List each child &amp; session preference on page 2 and check</p> <p><b>Elementary Session:</b></p> <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width:50%; text-align: center;">Hybrid</th> <th style="width:50%; text-align: center;">Remote Only</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Grade 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Grade 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Grade 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Grade 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Grade 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Middle School Session:</b></p> <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tbody> <tr> <td>Grade 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Wed 6:30-7:45pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Grade 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Wed 6:30-7:45pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Confirmation Session:</b></p> <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tbody> <tr> <td>Grade 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Wed 6:30-7:45pm</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> eLearning</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p align="center">See Confirmation Calendar for dates of each session.</p>	Hybrid	Remote Only	Grade 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Tue 4:45-6:00 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Wed 6:30-7:45pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Wed 6:30-7:45pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	Grade 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Wed 6:30-7:45pm	<input type="checkbox"/> eLearning	<p><b>All classes are held at Christ the Servant Church.</b> Tuition &amp; Fees are non-refundable after the 1<sup>st</sup> day of class.</p> <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td><b>Tuition for 1 child:</b></td> <td align="right"><b>\$180</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>2 children:</b></td> <td align="right"><b>\$240</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>3 or more children:</b></td> <td align="right"><b>\$300</b></td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Sacramental Fees:</b></p> <table style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td><b>Reconciliation/Eucharist (Grade 2):</b></td> <td align="right"><b>\$25</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Confirmation (Grade 8):</b></td> <td align="right"><b>\$50</b></td> </tr> </table> <p><small>(If this creates an impossible burden on your family, contact the Director of Religious Formation.)</small></p> <p><b>Make checks payable to:</b> <b>Christ the Servant Catholic Church</b></p> <p><b>Tuition may be paid via credit card online at</b> <b>www.ctswoodridge.org.</b> <b>Select &lt;Donation&gt; then &lt;Religious Formation&gt;</b></p> <p><b>Full payment should be received before classes begin,</b> <b>September 16, 2020</b></p> <p>___ I am paying Tuition in Full at this time</p> <p>___ I am paying \$_____ at this time with remainder due by 9/16/2020 ___ Cash/Check ___ Credit Card (check which applies)</p> <hr/> <p>___ We have participated in Religious Formation previously and have supplied the parish with a copy of each child's baptismal record.</p> <p>New families/children:</p> <p>___ I am including copies of my children's baptismal records -or- ___ My children were baptized at Christ the Servant</p>	<b>Tuition for 1 child:</b>	<b>\$180</b>	<b>2 children:</b>	<b>\$240</b>	<b>3 or more children:</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>Reconciliation/Eucharist (Grade 2):</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Confirmation (Grade 8):</b>	<b>\$50</b>
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<p><small>While best efforts are made to honor placement requests, class sizes are limited, and placement will be made on a first-completed-registration, first-placed basis. A registration is complete when all four pages are filled out <u>completely</u>, they are in the Parish Office and a payment is made or a payment agreement is in place with the Religious Formation Office.</small></p>																													

***Please complete reverse side of this page***

Office Use Only: Reg. #	Parishioner # _____ Baptismal cert: _____	Gift-sharing: _____ Medical form: _____	Payment: _____ Date: _____ Method: _____
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Family Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's First Name <i>(Enter each child below)</i>	M/F	Date of Birth	Last RF Grade Completed	School Grade 2019-20	School	Sacraments <i>(Check if Received)</i>	1 <sup>st</sup> Choice Day/Time	2 <sup>nd</sup> Choice Day/Time
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Medical Conditions, Allergies								
Special Educational Needs								
How Does Your Child Learn Best?								
Special Emotional Needs or Situations								

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**The Diocese requires that the following acknowledgments to be on file for each family:**

*These forms are available online at the Religious Formation webpage or hard-copy outside the Religious Formation Office.*



**PARENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FOR 2020/2021**

I acknowledge that I have received and read the:

- **Parent Guide: Understanding & Preventing Child Sexual Abuse**
- **Parent Guide: Internet Safety for Children & Teens**
- **Diocesan Pastoral Policy Regarding Sexual Abuse of Minors**
- **Standards of Behavior for Those Working with Minors** (Only for families **NEW** to the Religious Formation Program in 2019/2020)

I have reviewed the 2019-2020 Religious Formation Policy Handbook.

Videotaping and Still Photographs may be taken during Religious Formation classes and events. I give permission for my child(ren)'s participation in the videotaping and/or still photographs, which may be used for recording of events, and future promotional efforts, including the parish website.

**Parent Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*The parties agree that this document may be electronically signed and that the electronic signatures appearing on this document are the same as handwritten signatures for the purposes of validity, enforceability and admissibility.*

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# CHRIST THE SERVANT PARISH RELIGIOUS FORMATION PROGRAM 2020-2021 MEDICAL PERMISSION FORM



**Insurance Information:** (same for all children in family)

Policy in the name of: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that first aid will be administered by the adult staff in charge of the Religious Formation (and/or those transporting my child to and from program events and activities) as their judgment deems advisable. I grant permission for adult staff to make the necessary referrals to qualified physicians for treatment of illness or accidents of a more serious nature. I understand that I will be promptly notified at the onset of any serious illness or in the event of a serious accident and prior to any major surgery, unless a delay in communication would endanger life. In case of medical emergency, I understand that every effort will be made to contact me. In the event that I cannot be reached, I hereby give permission to the physicians selected by the adult staff to secure proper treatment for my child as deemed necessary.

I grant permission for the administration of First Aid to \_\_\_\_\_  
(First and Last)

Does this child have allergies? (Medication, foods, insect bites or stings, etc.)

No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**CHRIST THE SERVANT PARISH  
RELIGIOUS FORMATION PROGRAM  
2020-2021 "SHARING OF GIFTS" FORM**



God has blessed Christ the Servant parish with people who are generous in donating their gifts of time and talent. All families participating in the Religious Formation programs of our parish are needed and expected to share their gifts with the program in some way; large or small.

**We need YOU! In addition to praying, our family will commit to:**

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you attended a *Protecting God's Children* training session?: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Circle** children's grade levels:    1       2       3       4       5       6       7       Confirmation

**CATECHIST (teaches the faith)**

1.    \_\_\_\_\_ Catechist (Grade \_\_\_\_\_)
2.    \_\_\_\_\_ Confirmation Catechist
3.    \_\_\_\_\_ Catechist aide
4.    \_\_\_\_\_ Substitute catechist (on call)

**F.A.C.T. (Families with Active Catholic Teens)**

17.    \_\_\_\_\_ Serve on Leadership Group
18.    \_\_\_\_\_ Serve at activities
19.    \_\_\_\_\_ Help with organizing events

**RELIGIOUS FORMATION COMMISSION**

5.    \_\_\_\_\_ Commission member

**C.L.O.W. (Children's Liturgy of the Word)**

**Sundays at 10am Mass**

20.    \_\_\_\_\_ Presider (Leader)
21.    \_\_\_\_\_ Shepherd (Helper)

**SPECIAL EVENTS --**

6.    \_\_\_\_\_ Be an Event planner  
(help plan and implement events)
7.    \_\_\_\_\_ Be an Event helper  
(help facilitate family activity stations, set up, cleanup, etc)
8.    \_\_\_\_\_ Plan and organize food
9.    \_\_\_\_\_ Plan and organize service project
10.    \_\_\_\_\_ Help with "odd jobs"

**OTHER TALENTS**

22.    \_\_\_\_\_ Photographer
23.    \_\_\_\_\_ Art Work – by hand
24.    \_\_\_\_\_ Art Work/design – by computer
25.    \_\_\_\_\_ Sewing
26.    \_\_\_\_\_ Music
27.    \_\_\_\_\_ Drama

**SUPPORT TASKS**

11.    \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Calling
12.    \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail coordinator
13.    \_\_\_\_\_ Coordinate volunteers
14.    \_\_\_\_\_ Support tasks that can be done at church
15.    \_\_\_\_\_ Support tasks that can be done at home
16.    \_\_\_\_\_ Help with Fund-Raising events

**HOSPITALITY**

28.    \_\_\_\_\_ Provide treats as needed
29.    \_\_\_\_\_ Provide beverages as needed
30.    \_\_\_\_\_ Set-up and clean-up for events

**OTHER**

31.    \_\_\_\_\_ Other ways we would like to help:  
\_\_\_\_\_