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FIRST COMMUNION - YEAR 2025

Dear Parents and/or Guardians:



Thank you for registering your child in the First Communion Program at St. Roch Parish.

REGISTRATION FORM

Attached please find registration form for you to complete and return back to our office no later than FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2025. Please ensure that a copy of your child's baptism certificate is included with the registration form. (If your child was baptized here at St. Roch, simply indicate this on the form together with the date of baptism. No certificate is required).

PLEASE NOTE THAT for administrative purposes, and for setting up the class lists, registration packages will not be accepted after Friday, January 17, 2025.

If your child has not been baptized or was not baptized in the Roman rite, please contact the parish office directly at 416-749-0328.

Also, If you are not parishioners of St. Roch, we will require a letter from your parish priest giving his permission for your child to receive First Communion at St. Roch.

RITE OF ENROLLMENT

Students and parents are asked to attend the Rite of Enrollment on Sunday, April 27, 2025 at 9:00 am. Mass in the church. We will be handing out rosaries to the children registered in the catechism program. Your personal attendance is extremely important and we ask that you do not send a representative.

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CATECHISM CLASSES

One of the requirements for First Reconciliation (Confession) and First Communion is the completion of a catechism program in order for your child to better understand and be prepared to receive this important sacrament.

PLEASE NOTE that ALL students, regardless if they attend Catholic school or private or public school must attend these classes. Catechism classes are held on **Sunday mornings from 10:30 am - 11:30 am in our parish hall** on the following dates:

DATES FOR CLASSES (All fall on Sundays)

(10:30 am - 11:30 am)

May 4 June 1 May 11 June 8 May 25 June 15

There will be a fee of \$50.00 to cover the cost of the program which is due at the time of registration.

FIRST RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) DATE: Thursday, June 12, 2025 at 7:00 pm in the church

FIRST COMMUNION DATE:

Saturday, June 21 at 10:30 AM

We look forward to meeting with you and sharing in your child's faith journey. Sincerely,



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Rev. Jerome A. Hologa, C.PP.S. Administrator 416-749-0328

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