

St. Anthony Parish

Catholic Faith Formation & Youth Ministry

660 FLORIN RD, SACRAMENTO, CA • (916) 392-6362

The place where we assist your child's journey of faith!

We are happy to announce registration for the CFF 2021-22 school year!

To register your child(ren), please return your completed registration form (front & back), along with a payment made payable to "Saint Anthony Parish" to the CFF Office by **September 7, 2021**.

TUITION FEE

Tuition fee prior to September 7: \$75 per child; \$180 for families of 3 or more students

Tuition fees increase after September 7: \$90 per child; \$200 for families of 3 or more students

ELECTRONIC PAYMENT

We are making every effort to only receive electronic payment at this time using "Faith Direct". Please complete the CFF/Youth ministry registration form and submit payment through our website www.stasac.org. *This system also works wonderfully for your offertory donations as we strive towards going paperless!*

- Click on '**PAYMENT FOR CFF HERE**'
- Click on "**One-Time Payment**"
- **IMPORTANT**: Please indicate in the notes: "CFF Registration/Name of Child (first and last)"

***Do not delay your CFF registration due to fees:** We are happy to assist you with a tuition payment plan, *however*, please explain on your registration form what type of payment plan works best for your family.

CFF begins on Sunday, September 19, 2021

- + CFF & YM Families attend Mass at 4:00 p.m.
- + CFF & YM Open House will be held in the courtyard following Mass.
- + Meet your catechist & pick-up important class information.



TIME & TALENT

Your family's assistance and participation are wanted and needed!

In an effort to secure some much-needed assistance and to keep tuition costs down for the CFF program, each family is needed to share a bit of their Time & Talent.

Approximately **2 hours per year** is requested of each registered family.

Prior to a CFF event, families will be asked for assistance via email or phone call. If you can fulfill the need at the time requested, please reply! Each family is asked to respond to at least one request (one per family) throughout the CFF year.

WAIVER FEE

We very much understand the busyness of family life. If at this time you feel you are unable to donate time & talent, **please include an additional \$30 to your total tuition fee**. This enables the CFF program to keep minimal tuition fees and helps with expenses incurred by CFF activities when volunteers are not secured. ***Thank you!***

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING RECEPTION OF ALL SACRAMENTS AND PROMOTION TO THE NEXT GRADE LEVELS

For ALL Sacraments and to successfully complete each level:

ABSENCES FOR THE YEAR MUST NOT EXCEED FOUR: With new circumstances this school year, we understand families are having to endure several things at once. We are entrusted with assisting in the faith formation of your children. To help us ensure the religious education of your children and in keeping consistent with our plan for this year, an effort must be made to **1)** have your child/ren attend weekly classes; and **2)** have your child/ren arrive on time. More than four (4) absences and/or consistent tardiness may hold your child back from promotion or reception of a sacrament.

FAMILIES MUST ATTEND MASS: The most important way to develop your child's Catholic identity is to celebrate weekly Mass and make Sundays special. Parents are the primary teachers and have the ultimate responsibility for passing on the faith to their children. Our faith is centered around one hour of praise and thanksgiving at Mass each week. Everything we talk about in the classroom setting has a direct reference to each Sunday's Mass. Children who miss Mass are missing out on part of their lesson, and the lesson becomes abstract and obscure. Therefore, **please** assure that your children are being prepared for sacraments and promotion by attending Mass each Sunday. **Mass Times: Saturday 5:00pm (effective September 2021); Sunday 8:30 & 10:30am.*

Based on the above information, the Director of Religious Education, in consultation with the Pastor, will determine if your child is properly prepared to receive a sacrament or promote to the next grade level.

Baptism

- Parents of children seven years and younger can arrange baptisms by telephoning the Parish Office at 428-5678.
- Children eight years or older can arrange for baptismal preparation by telephoning the Catholic Faith Formation Office at 392-6362. Children eight years or older will receive the Sacrament of Baptism during the Easter Vigil Mass through the initiation rites. During this liturgy, the children will also receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist. Preparation for these sacraments takes a minimum of two years. The Director of Religious Education, in consultation with the Pastor, will determine whether the child is prepared to receive the sacraments.

Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist

- Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist are generally celebrated in the third grade. In order to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Eucharist, children must be attending their third consecutive year of classes. They must have successfully completed Pre-Sacrament Years 1 & 2, and be currently enrolled and regularly attending the Eucharist/Reconciliation class.

Confirmation (2-year program) - Students may begin this two-year program in 7th Grade if they have been continuously enrolled in a faith formation program.

- Candidates must be in 7th grade or above and must have been continuously attending a faith formation program.
- Students desiring Confirmation **who have not been continuously enrolled in a faith formation program**, must consult the Director of Religious Education to clarify which class to register for. This may include attending a year of Jr. High Youth Ministry, High School Youth Ministry, a Post-Sacrament class or the Basic Inquiry class, depending upon the age of the student and the number of lapsed CFF years, prior to entering the two-year Confirmation program.

Out of Sequence

- Children between the levels of third and twelfth grade who have been baptized but who have had little or no education of the Catholic Faith enroll in the **"Basic Catechesis"** class. The family may wish to schedule an appointment with the Director of Religious Education prior to enrollment to discuss the process.

Rite of Christian Initiation - A serious family commitment.

- Children between the ages of 8 and 17 **who have not been baptized** must enroll in the "initiation process"—RCIA. The family may wish to schedule an appointment with the Director of Religious Education prior to enrollment to discuss the initiation process. (Minimum 2-year process)
 - **Basic Inquiry/RCIA Year 1:** the **first year** of the initiation process.
 - **Year 2: RCIA Catechumenate** is for students who have celebrated the Rite of Acceptance.

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CLASS DESCRIPTIONS 2021-22

Please read important information regarding reception of all sacraments and promotion to the next CFF level found on the back of the Cover Letter.

Preschool/Kindergarten

Ages 3- through Kindergarten level. Class will be held during the 10:30am Mass.

>Register for PreK-Kinder on Sundays 10:30-11:30am

Pre-Sacrament Year I

First graders *and* Second graders who have had no previous religious instruction.

** Please Note: Consistent class and Sunday Mass attendance is essential for promotion to the next class level!*

>Register for PreSac Year I on Mondays 5:30-6:30pm OR Tuesdays 4:00-5:00pm

Pre-Sacrament Year II

Second graders *and* third graders who successfully completed the Beginning Year I program in 2021.

** Please Note: Consistent class and Sunday Mass attendance is essential for promotion to the next class level!*

>Register for PreSac Year 2 on Tuesdays 5:30-6:30pm

First Reconciliation / First Holy Eucharist

Third *and* fourth graders who successfully completed the Beginning Year II program in 2021.

**Please see "Requirements for Receiving Sacraments" page to understand preparation requirements.*

>Register for Rec/Euch on Wednesdays 4:00-5:00pm OR Wednesdays 5:30-6:30pm

Post-Sacrament I

4th *and* 5th Graders who celebrated Reconciliation & Eucharist in 2021.

>Register for PostSac I on Mondays 5:30-6:30pm OR Tuesdays 4:00-5:00pm

Post-Sacrament II

5th *and* 6th Graders who successfully completed Post-Sacrament I in 2021.

>Register for PostSac 2 on Tuesdays 4:00-5:00pm OR Tuesdays 5:30-6:30pm

Pre-Confirmation

6th Graders who continuously enrolled since First Reconciliation and First Eucharist *and* 7th Graders who did not fully complete Pre-Confirmation in 2021.

>Register for PreConf on Tuesdays 5:30-6:30pm

Confirmation Year 1 (2-year program)

Eligible candidates are students in 7th grade or above who have been enrolled in consecutive years of a faith formation program.

>Register for Confirmation Year 1 on Wednesdays 6:30-8pm

Confirmation Year 2

Students who successfully completed Confirmation Year 1.

>Register for Confirmation Year 2 on Wednesdays 6:30-8pm

Junior High Youth Ministry

All 7th and 8th graders who are already confirmed OR are not yet

eligible for Confirmation Year 1. >Register for JrHigh YM on Wednesdays 6:30-8pm

High School Youth Ministry

>Note: There is a separate registration packet for High School Youth Ministry.

Basic Catechesis

Children between the grade levels of third and twelfth grade **who were baptized** as infants and who have had **no religious instruction since**. Also, students who have not enrolled in religious education since their reception of First Eucharist. **A parent attends 'family sessions' that are held once a month.*

>Register for Basic Catechesis on Sundays 9:30-10:30am

Students desiring CONFIRMATION **who have not been continuously enrolled in a faith formation program**, must consult with the Director of Religious Education to clarify which class to register for. This may include attending a year of Junior High or High School Youth Ministry, a Post Sacrament class or RCIA I/Basic Catechesis, depending upon the age of the student and number of lapsed CFF years prior to enrolling in the two-year Confirmation Program.

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (Adapted for youth / Minimum 2-year process)

- **Basic Inquiry/RCIA Year 1** (New students!) >Register for RCIA YEAR I on Sundays 9:30-10:30am
Children between the ages of 8 and 17 **who have not received any** of the sacraments of initiation, i.e., Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist. **A parent attends 'family sessions' that are held once a month during the regular class time.*
- **Note to our 2021 Neophytes:** We continue!
Students who celebrated the initiation sacraments in 2021. Come on back and register for your age-appropriate class.

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Religious Ed. Registration

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Term: 2021-2022

FAMILY INFORMATION

Family Last Name: _____	Date: _____
Father's Name: _____	Father's Cell / Work: _____
Mother's Name: _____	Mother's Cell / Work: _____
Mother's Maiden: _____	Email Address: _____
Home Phone: _____	Emergency Contact: _____
Home Address: _____	Emergency Phone: _____
City, ST Postal: _____	Both Parents Catholic? Yes / No

STUDENT #1 INFORMATION

Child Name: _____

Catholic? Yes / No

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Sacrament Details Check & Date All Below

Birth Date: _____

☐ Baptism: _____

Grade: _____

☐ Eucharist: _____

Session: _____

☐ Reconciliation Prep: _____

Class: _____

☐ Confirmation: _____

Special Needs (Medical, Learning Disabilities, Physical Disabilities, etc):

STUDENT #2 INFORMATION

Child Name: _____

Catholic? Yes / No

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Sacrament Details Check & Date All Below

Birth Date: _____

☐ Baptism: _____

Grade: _____

☐ Eucharist: _____

Session: _____

☐ Reconciliation Prep: _____

Class: _____

☐ Confirmation: _____

Special Needs (Medical, Learning Disabilities, Physical Disabilities, etc):

NOTE: If any of your children were baptized outside of this parish, and you have not already supplied us with a copy of each child's baptismal record, you will need to supply a copy for our files.

Tuition DUE: \$ _____ **Tuition PAID:** \$ _____ **Signature:** _____

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Additional Students

STUDENT #3 INFORMATION

Child Name: _____

Catholic? Yes / No

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Sacrament Details Check & Date All Below

Birth Date: _____

☐ Baptism: _____

Grade: _____

☐ Eucharist: _____

Session: _____

☐ Reconciliation Prep: _____

Class: _____

☐ Confirmation: _____

Special Needs (Medical, Learning Disabilities, Physical Disabilities, etc):

STUDENT #4 INFORMATION

Child Name: _____

Catholic? Yes / No

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Sacrament Details Check & Date All Below

Birth Date: _____

☐ Baptism: _____

Grade: _____

☐ Eucharist: _____

Session: _____

☐ Reconciliation Prep: _____

Class: _____

☐ Confirmation: _____

Special Needs (Medical, Learning Disabilities, Physical Disabilities, etc):

STUDENT #5 INFORMATION

Child Name: _____

Catholic? Yes / No

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Sacrament Details Check & Date All Below

Birth Date: _____

☐ Baptism: _____

Grade: _____

☐ Eucharist: _____

Session: _____

☐ Reconciliation Prep: _____

Class: _____

☐ Confirmation: _____

Special Needs (Medical, Learning Disabilities, Physical Disabilities, etc):

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Tuition DUE: \$ _____ **Tuition PAID:** \$ _____ **Signature:** _____

IMPORTANT: Please read and acknowledge the following Diocesan policy.

I understand that it is Diocesan policy that all children **must** be escorted to and from the CFF Center by an adult.

Please initial here to acknowledge this Diocesan policy: _____

1. Child's Full Name _____ **CFF Class** _____ **Day/Time** _____

Please state any **health and/or learning concerns** that your child has that you feel is important for the program to know: (such as seizures, asthma, allergies, visual or hearing disabilities, ADHD, difficulty reading or writing, short attention span, etc.)

How should this be treated if it occurs? _____

Health Plan Carrier: _____

2. Child's Full Name _____ **CFF Class** _____ **Day/Time** _____

Health and/or learning concerns: _____

How should this be treated if it occurs? _____

Health Plan Carrier: _____

3. Child's Full Name _____ **CFF Class** _____ **Day/Time** _____

Health and/or learning concerns: _____

How should this be treated if it occurs? _____

Health Plan Carrier: _____

4. Child's Full Name _____ **CFF Class** _____ **Day/Time** _____

Health and/or learning concerns: _____

How should this be treated if it occurs? _____

Health Plan Carrier: _____

Consent to treat: As a parent and/or guardian, I do herewith authorize the treatment by a qualified and licensed medical physician of the above named minor(s) in the event of a medical emergency, which, in the opinion of the attending physician, may endanger his or her life, cause disfigurement, physical impairment or undue discomfort if delayed. This authority is granted only after a reasonable effort has been made to reach me. This release form is completed and signed of my own free will with the sole purpose of authorizing medical treatment under emergency circumstances in my absence.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____

PUBLICATION/WEBSITE MEDIA PERMISSION

I grant permission for publication of my child(ren)'s photo on the Parish website, Facebook page, Instagram, and/or Parish bulletin. I understand in the event I object to any picture posted of my child(ren), and notify the parish office, the photo will be removed as soon as possible.

☐ I DO grant permission

☐ I DO NOT grant permission

TUITION & PAYMENT INFORMATION

TUITION FEE prior to September 7: \$75 per child; \$180 families of 3 or more

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CFF TUITION: \$_____ TOTAL DUE: \$_____ TOTAL PAID: \$_____

(Electronic payments can be made using "Faith Direct" online. Please see Cover Letter for instructions.)

PAYMENT PLAN: *If requesting a payment plan, please let us know what method of payment works for your family:*

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CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION & YOUTH MINISTRY COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS

St. Anthony Parish is committed to providing a clean, safe, and healthy environment for all CFF & SAYM students and families. Please read our following safety and health plan.

The current CFF & YM COVID-19 Protocol includes the following:

- All teachers and assistants are fully vaccinated.
- Catholic Faith Formation & Youth Ministry will follow all county and diocesan guidelines regarding masks and social distancing.
- Temperatures will be checked prior to entering the building for CFF and YM.
- Each student will be provided with their own supply box; students will not share supplies.
- Each student will be provided with hand sanitizer.
- Furniture will be disinfected prior to each class.

We ask ALL families to assist us in providing a safe environment for all by:

- Conducting a daily health check of all family members (temperature below 100.4°F, presence of COVID-19 symptoms, etc.) before coming to CFF & YM.
- Keeping student(s) home if there is a fever or illness of any kind and report this to the CFF & YM Office.
- Reporting any contact a student has had with a person who has tested positive for COVID-19 or who is demonstrating COVID-19 symptoms.
- Wearing masks properly (over the nose) and maintaining social distancing on St. Anthony Parish campus and at parish events.