WELCOME HOME

Evening meetings include time for prayer, group sharing and a range of topics as the Catholic faith encompasses the whole fabric of our lives.

- Listening to and learning about Scripture
- The Trinity
- The Church
- The Seven Sacraments
- Liturgy
- Mary
- The Saints
- Prayer
- And many other topics

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WHO PARTICIPATES?

- Those never Baptized as Christians.
- Those Baptized in another Christian faith tradition, who are now interested in the Catholic tradition.
- Those Baptized in the Catholic tradition whose total formation has not been completed.

SPONSORS

All candidates and catechumens will be provided a Sponsor.

PROGRAM DATES

- October 2020–May 2021
- Monday | 7:00 PM–9:00 PM

FIRST MEETING

- Monday, October 5, 2020
- Parish Meeting Room

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WHAT IS R.C.I.A?
R.C.I.A. involves four stages, each marked by a special celebration, the person’s deepening desire to say “YES” to living the Catholic Faith.

INQUIRY
A time for searching for God, for meaning in life, or for asking initial questions and seeking answers about the basics of the Catholic faith.

FORMATION
A time of being formed by the gospel and of learning about the Catholic tradition in greater depth.

ENLIGHTENMENT
A time during the Season of Lent involving prayer and deeper reflection as one prepares to receive God’s new life at the Easter celebration.

UNDERSTANDING
As a newly initiated Catholic, they continue their formation and education in the Period of the Post Baptismal Catechesis (Mystagogy). This period continues until Pentecost. During this period, the newly baptized members reflect on their experiences at the Easter Vigil and continue to learn more about the scriptures, the Sacraments, and the teachings of the Catholic Church. In addition, they reflect on how they will serve Christ and help in the Church’s mission and outreach.

We respect the decision of each inquirer. The journey of faith is taken one step at a time. No pressure is exerted on anyone to become Catholic.

If you are interested in learning more, please contact:

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HAVE YOU BEEN LISTENING?
ONE LORD
ONE FAITH
ONE BAPTISM
ONE GOD
AND
FATHER OF ALL
- Ephesians 4:4-6