

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM
2011 – 2012**

CLASS SCHEDULE FOR THURSDAY

TIME: 6:30 TO 7:30 PM

PLACE: OLMC ACADEMY

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(SACRAMENTAL DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Tuesday August 23rd - Meeting with catechists at 6:00 pm in PMC

1: September 15th - Prayer / Class for Children and meeting with parents

2: September 22nd

3: September 29th Meeting with 1st and 2nd grade teachers

September 18th Catechetical Sunday - 9:30 Mass - Commissioning of the Catechists

4: October 6th

October 11th Tuesday -Parents/Catechist meeting for Reconciliation at 7:00

5: October 13th Prayer by 3rd and 6th grades

6: October 20th Session for parent: Safe environment for children

7: October 27th Meeting with 3rd and 4th grade teachers

8: November 3rd

9: November 10th

10: November 17th Meeting with 5th, 6th and 7th grade teachers

November 24th No Class – Thanksgiving weekend

11: December 1st Prayer by 4th and 1st grades (for Advent)

December 4th Sunday - come for 9:30 Mass and meet St. Nicholas

12: December 8th Session for parent: The Mass – Introductory Rite

13: December 15th Christmas program and party in Casey Hall

MERRY CHRISTMAS and A HAPPY NEW YEAR

2012

14: January 5th Prayer by 2nd and 5th grades (for New Year)

January 7th Saturday – Reconciliation Retreat in Casey Hall 9:00 – 12:00

January 14th Saturday – Sacrament of Reconciliation at 10:00 am in Church

January 10th Tuesday – Parent/Catechist's meeting for Confirmation at 7:00

15: January 12th

16: January 19th Meeting with 1st and 2nd grade teachers

17: January 26th Session for parent: The Mass: A Biblical walk through – The Liturgy of the Word

January 31st Tuesday – Parent/Catechist's meeting for 1st Communion

18: February 2nd

19: February 9th Meeting with 3rd and 4th grade teachers

- 20: February 16th **We all go to the Church for Stations of the Cross**
 February 22nd **Ash Wednesday Mass @ 6:30 pm**
- 21: February 23rd
 February 25th **Saturday – Confirmation Retreat 9:00 – 1:00 pm**
- 22: March 1st *Session for parent: The Mass – The Liturgy of the Eucharist (Preparation of gifts)*
- 23: March 8th **Sacrament of Reconciliation 3rd to 8th grades**
- 24: March 15th **Confirmation practice in Casey Hall at 6:30 pm**
- 25: March 22nd **Meeting with 5th, 6th and 7th grade teachers**
 March 25th **Sunday – Celebration of Confirmation at 11:00 am Mass**
 March 29th **No Class – Spring / Easter Break**

Holy Week: Parents bring your children to participate at the Holy Week Liturgies

- April 1st - Palm Sunday (bring rice bowl to the church)
 April 5th - Holy Thursday Service at 6.30 pm – No class
 April 6th - Good Friday Service at 6.30 pm
 April 7th - Easter Vigil at 7.30 pm
 April 8th – **HAPPY EASTER**

- 26: April 12th **Prayer by 7th grade – (Easter)**
- 27: April 19th *Session for parent: The Mass – The Liturgy of the Eucharist (Communion Rite)*
- April 21st **Saturday – First Communion Retreat / practice 9:00 – 12:00**
- 28: April 26th
April 29th Sunday – Celebration of First Communion at 11:00 am Mass
- 29: May 3rd **Closing prayer and party – Each grade will present Bible Story**

COLORS

Class days

Important events

Parents' enrichments sessions

Celebration of Sacraments

Meetings and Retreats – In Casey Hall

Prayer Service by Class

No class

This year I will work with teachers for planning – in my office

NOTE:

BIBLE SUMMER CAMP FOR 2012 – JUNE 18TH TO 22TH Register by March