

IMPORTANT DATES

First Communion 2020



- **September**

Wednesday 4: First Communion Parents Information meeting. 7 PM Auditorium

Tuesday 24: Fingerprints for Adults (Room Moms) Albertson Hall 9 am-3pm

Virtus training for Adults (Room Moms) English Session. Auditorium 6:30 PM

Wednesday 25: Virtus training for Adults (Room Moms) Spanish Session Auditorium 6:30 PM

Thursday 26: Fingerprints for Adults (Room Moms) Albertson Hall 9 am-3pm

- **October:**

Wednesday 8: Volunteers for retreat Auditorium 7:30 PM

Wednesday 16: Practice Last Supper Auditorium 7:30 PM

Saturday 26: First Communion retreat (Children and Parents) Auditorium 9:30am-1:30pm

- **November:**

Tuesday 5: 1st Parents Formation Meeting. 7:00 PM Auditorium

Tuesday 12: 2nd Parents Formation Meeting. 7:00 PM Auditorium

Tuesday 19: 3rd Parents Formation Meeting. 7:00 PM Auditorium

Tuesday 26: 4th Parents Formation Meeting. 7:00 PM Auditorium

- **January:**

Sunday 26: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Sunday classes. 12:30 – 1 pm Auditorium

Tuesday 28: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Tuesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

Wednesday 29: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Wednesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

- **February**

Sunday 16: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Sunday classes. 12:30 -1 pm Classes

Tuesday 18: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Tuesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

Wednesday 19: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Wednesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

- **March:**

Sunday 15: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Sunday classes. 12:30 -1 pm Auditorium

Tuesday 17: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Tuesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

Wednesday 18: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Wednesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

- **April:**

Sunday 12: Easter Sunday. Children Mass. 10 AM.

12-18: Easter Week. No Class.

- **May:**

Wednesday 6: Mass: explanation Liturgy of the Word. Children and Parents Church 4:30 PM

Sunday 10: Practice First Communion songs. Only for students. Sunday classes. 12:30 -1 pm Classes

Tuesday 12: Practice First Communion songs only for students. Tuesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

Wednesday 13: Practice First Communion songs only for students. Wednesday classes. 3:45 - 4:30 pm Church

Saturday 16: Confessions available for parents. 10-11 am and 4-5 pm Chapel

Monday 18: Confessions available for parents. 4:30 – 5:30 pm Chapel

Tuesday 19: Confessions for Children Tuesday and Sunday Class. 4:30-6 pm Chapel

Wednesday 20: Confessions for Children Wednesday Class. 4:30-6 pm Chapel

Confessions available for parents 7:30 - 8:30 pm Chapel

Thursday 21: Masses Rehearsal: CHILDREN ONLY

For 10 am Mass: 4 – 6 pm.: Auditorium-Church/For 12:30 am Mass: 6 – 8 pm Auditorium-Church

Friday 22: Mass Rehearsal for 3 pm Mass: CHILDREN ONLY 4 – 6 pm.: Auditorium-Church

FIRST COMMUNION
MASSES: Saturday May 23

10 AM English Mass: Children should be at 9 am at the Auditorium for the picture. Parents go to the Church at 9:30 am. Guille and Ines Class, Bessy and Silvana's class, Mercedes class, Adriana and Alexandra's class, Paulina and Albana's class, Tato and Juan's class.

12:30 PM Spanish Mass: Children should be at 11:30 am at the Auditorium for the picture. Parents go to the Church at 12:00 pm.: Martha and Ana Maria's class, Maria and Maria Elena class', Josefina's class,

MASSES: Saturday May 30

12:00 PM Bilingual Mass: Children should be at 11:00 pm at the Auditorium for the picture. Parents go to the Church at 11:30 pm.

**Dress Code
For children**

The celebration of First Holy Eucharist is a very exciting time for the whole family. Appropriate attire for First Communion is simple and age appropriate. The attire should not distract from the focus of receiving the Sacrament. Please use the following guidelines when choosing your child's attire.

BOYS

Shirt: White only, full button dress shirt, long sleeves.

Pants: White dress pants

Blazer: Navy Blue

Tie: White (We will provide the Tie)

Shoes: Black shoes

GIRLS

Dresses: White, below the knee in length. Shoulders should be covered. No spaghetti straps.

Shoes and socks: White, low-heeled dress shoes. No sandals. No high heels. Open toe shoes are fine.

No Veil, No large tiaras or bridal headpieces. A flower crown is allowed.

Hair: preferably tied back in a bun.

No Gloves or other objects in hands.

For adults

MALES

It is preferred that you wear a suit, or blazer and slacks, with a dress shirt, tie, and dress shoes.

Dress shirt hems should be tucked in, not hanging out. Ties, dress shirts, coats and slacks of any color are okay.

Please refrain from wearing flip flops, sandals or tennis shoes. Please do not wear saggy pants and avoid denim (jeans).

T-shirts, hoodies, fleece tops, and shirts with large logos, advertisements or inappropriate slogans should be avoided.

FEMALES

It is preferred that you wear a dress. Dresses and skirts should extend to the knee. Tops, slacks or suits of any color are fine. Shoulders must be completely covered front and back. Halter tops, strapless dresses and low-cut tops of any kind should be avoided.

Please wear dress shoes that allow you to walk around safely and comfortably.

Please refrain from wearing stiletto-type high heels, flip flops, sandals or tennis shoes.

T-shirts, hoodies, fleece tops, and shirts with large logos, advertisements or inappropriate slogans should be avoided. Please refrain from wearing low cut or midriff outfits, mini or micro-skirts, low-rise pants or Denim (jeans) should be avoided.

These requirements are not intended to offend but are necessary to prevent excesses and insure all are appropriate for this special occasion. If you have any questions or doubts about the attire guidelines, please **contact the office.**