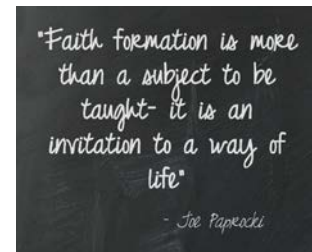




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Dear Parents/Families of Queen of Saints,

WOW! What a year it has been. We thank you for your cooperation and understanding of our choice to not have a traditional Wednesday evening program and instead had a homeschooling option last year along with the summer program. The commission met and has decided for the 2021-2022 school year to reinstate the traditional program on Wednesday evenings as well as continue the summer program.

The following are the options available to families for the 2021-2022 school year:

1. Traditional Program: St. Paul, Newhall - 6:15 pm-7:30 pm from September 22, 2021 through April 27, 2022
2. Summer Program: Immaculate Conception, Van Horne - June 7-10, 2022 from 8:00 am - 3:30 pm. Since this will be going over the lunch hour, students will need to bring a sack lunch with them each day.
3. Both traditional and summer program

Do you have a child who is seeking First Reconciliation and First Communion? In addition to the Faith Formation program, the sacramental preparation will be the same for all, no matter which program you choose. All second-grade students will gather together for sacramental preparation class. More information regarding this will come at a later date.

Do you have a child in 9th or 10th grade? **You can register them at the same time!** There will not be an additional registration form to complete AND you can pay their fee along with the K-8 grade fee which will save you time and hassle of multiple registrations. Specific information regarding class times and dates will be sent to those registered when the information becomes available. Reminder: You must attend 9th grade Confirmation I to be eligible for 10th grade Confirmation II.

Online Registration and Fee Payment! NEW THIS YEAR!! Registration *and* the consent waiver will be conducted online, making it more convenient for you and easier for record keeping. No more printing off the consent waiver and returning to the cluster office, saving you time and money. Click on the link <https://myschoolsystems.com/ArchDBQ/DBQC07/> to complete your registration. On the receipt page, click on the credit card or the link below it to get to the online payment system. You can pay with your checking or savings account or a credit card. If you click finish without paying, below is the link to the online payment system: https://www.eservicepayments.com/cgi-bin/Vanco_ver3.vps?appver3=Fi1qiPL8kwX_Oe1AO50jRjGeqGhf50HWDjQBFAFEvu0vHO3iVYxvvhHjRfLOeq662EvVVAEjqaWDomKT1pbouZF0s23LkxKNIQO57YS93c=

The parent handbook is available on the website at <https://queenofsaints/faith-formation/youth/>.

For your child to participate in *any* of our Faith Formation programs, they will need to be registered and fees paid. Reminder that registration is for children in all day Kindergarten through 8th Grade. *Do not register children who are in AK or Preschool.* Please wait to register them until they are in full day Kindergarten. You will have until **August 15** to complete the online registration. The fees increase after August 15 so don't delay! If you prefer to have the registration information mailed to you, please contact Jaci Chambers at DBQ150bm@dbqarch.org. This is the time to register your child for traditional, summer, or both. ***Registration is due for all programs by August 15.*** This helps with ordering materials as well as bookkeeping and reporting.

Below is the listing of fees. They are the same for any program. **Again, the deadline for registration is August 15.** This is necessary for the purpose of ordering materials. *Classes start September 22!*

Early Bird Registration fees:

**For Grades K, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
1 Faith Formation participant = \$55
2 Faith Formation participants = \$90
3 Faith Formation participants = \$115
4 or more Faith Formation participants \$135

2nd Grade (First Recon/First Comm) fee
per participant = \$55

After August 15, Registration fees:

**For Grades K, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
1 Faith Formation participant = \$65
2 Faith Formation participants = \$100
3 Faith Formation participants = \$130
4+ Faith Formation participants \$150

2nd Grade (First Recon/First Comm) fee
per participant = \$65

Attend Both Programs Registration Fees:

Additional \$20 per family to the above fees

Confirmation Registration Fees:

9th Grade Confirmation I = \$60
10th Grade Confirmation II = \$75

Your prompt response in completing the registration is very much appreciated. This allows time for ordering materials. If the fee presents any kind of difficulty at the present time, please contact myself or Jaci Chambers to make alternative arrangements at 228-8131 or email at DBQ150bm@dbqarch.org.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our Faith Formation program to make it the best it can be.

Yours in Christ,
The Faith Formation Commission



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