

CCD NEWS 11/1-8/20

CCD Reopening – However we need your help.

In order to apply for re-opening, certain requirements are needed including TEACHERS/Helpers, due to the limit of 10 Children per Class . The following teachers are needed:

TUESDAYS 2 for 1st grade (helpers), 6 for 2nd grade (3 of each), 3 for =3rd grade (2 helpers)
3 for 4th grade (2 helpers), 3 for =5th grade (2 helpers)

WEDNESDAYS 1 for 7th (helper), 1 for 8th (teacher), 1 for 9th (teacher), 1 for 9th (helper)

SUNDAYS 1 for 2nd grade, 1 for 3rd grade, 1 for 4, 5 & 6 Combo Class, 1 for 7, 8&9 Combo Class

If you can help by accepting this invitation to help with this special ministry please call Dina 632-7163 for more information and details.

Prayer testing has begun, if your child is a preparing to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion in May of 2021, please schedule an appointment for prayer testing before November 19th for 2nd Year Communion. You can call the CCD Office at 632-7163

1st Communion will take place on Saturday, November 14th at 10AM. Rehearsal will take place on Monday, November 9th at 6pm for the children only and Friday, November 13th at 6pm with those participating in the service on Saturday, November 14th.

No Mass sheets: For the time being we are not requiring signatures for Mass sheets. We do however hope that everyone is attending Sunday Liturgy, especially those that are preparing to receive sacraments in 2021.

Operation Christmas Child will still be happening this year. If you would like a shoe box to fill or more information, please call Dina at 632-7163. All shoe boxes need to be turned in to the parish office by Friday, November 13th.

New Mass Schedule beginning Oct. 31st & November 1st. Saturday, Oct. 31st Mass at 5:30pm in English. Sunday, November 1st Mass at 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m. Mass (Portuguese), 10:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m. Mass (New Evening Mass) and 6:30 p.m. St. Mary's Spanish

November is a time to Remember the Faithful Departed

During the month of November, we are called in a special way to remember our loved ones who have gone to their rest. The month of November especially *All Souls Day* is a traditional time for visiting graves of loved ones, as is the anniversary of death. Envelopes are available this weekend to list the names of those who have died. These are placed in the box in front of the altar for our own memorial during the month. Let us remember the Souls in purgatory in our prayers and they will surely intercede for us, in union with our blessed Mother and all the Saints.

Clothes for Kids: We are collecting toys for clothes for kids. Please take a tag off the Christmas tree in the church, and bring an unwrapped toy back to the church by Monday, November 23rd. All toys will be given to children that live in Hilmar & Stevinson. Thank you in advance for your support.