

St. Eugene's Cathedral RCIA Schedule, 2023-2024

All Meetings on Sundays from 10:30 A.M. to 11:50 A.M., Exceptions as Indicated.

Location: Parish Life Center Hope Room, OR Other Site as Announced.

INQUIRY PERIOD

September 2023

9/10	Welcome/Getting Acquainted/How Do We Know God Exist?, Why Do Catholics Do That?
9/17	Salvation History Part 1
9/24	Salvation History Part 2

October 2023

10/1	Revelation, Scripture, Tradition
10/8	The Creed: God, the Holy Trinity
10/15	Creation and Humanity
10/22	Jesus Christ: The Incarnation and Public Ministry
10/29	The Paschal Mystery

November 2023

11/5	The Holy Spirit/Life of the Trinity and the Church
11/12	The Four Marks of the Church
11/19	Christ's Faithful: Church Hierarchy, Laity, Consecrated Life, Advent/Liturgical Year
11/26	NO SESSION – THANKSGIVING BREAK

CATECHUMENATE PERIOD

December 2023

12/2	Retreat and Practice for Rite of Acceptance/Welcome
Saturday	8-11 a.m. All enrolled for Sacraments and their sponsors must attend.
12/3	RITE OF ACCEPTANCE/WELCOME – at 9 a.m. Mass
Sunday	All enrolled for Sacraments and their sponsors must attend. No class at 10:30 am

12/10	The Last Four Things
12/17	The Sacramental Life and Introduction to the 7 Sacraments
12/24	NO SESSION – CHRISTMAS BREAK
12/31	NO SESSION – CHRISTMAS BREAK

January 2024

1/7	Sacraments: Baptism and Confirmation
1/14	Sacraments: The Holy Eucharist
1/21	The Mass Explained
1/28	Sacraments: Penance/Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick

February 2024

2/4	Sacraments: Holy Orders/Marriage
2/11	Foundations of Morality, Experiencing Lent (Ash Wednesday 2/14)

PURIFICATION AND ENLIGHTENMENT PERIOD – LENT

- 2/18** **Sunday** **NO REGULAR SESSION AT 10:30 A.M**
RITE OF ELECTION AT 3:30 P.M.
Not-Yet-Catholic RCIA participants and their sponsors must attend.
- 2/26 Foundations of Morality – continued if needed, TBD

March 2024

- 3/3 Commandments 1-3 (**also 1st Scrutiny**)
3/10 Commandments 4-5 (**also 2nd Scrutiny**)
3/17 Commandments 6, 9 (**also 3rd Scrutiny**)
3/24 Commandments 7, 8 & 10, The Meaning of Holy Week/Triduum
3/28 **Holy Thursday, The Lord Supper – attend Mass/service**
3/29 **Good Friday – attend services**
- 3/30 **Holy Saturday Retreat and Practice for Easter Vigil Mass**
Saturday **6 A.M. to 12 Noon**
ALL participants desiring to receive Sacraments and ALL Sponsors must attend
ALSO → **EASTER VIGIL MASS 7 P.M.**
Those receiving Sacraments tonight and their sponsors must attend
- 3/31 **NO SESSION – EASTER SUNDAY**

MYSTAGOGY PERIOD (attendance still required after Easter Vigil)

April 2024

- 4/7 Communion of Saints, Mary
4/14 Christian Prayer, Our Father and Rosary
4/21 Prayer: Liturgy of the Hours, Lexio Divina and Spiritual Life
4/28 The Social Teachings of the Church

May 2024

- 5/5 TBD: Angels & Demons, The Church Today, Vatican II, Other Issues
5/12 Onward: Concluding Thoughts and Questions, Your Role in the Church
5/26 **PENTECOST SUNDAY, 3:30 P.M. Bishops' Mass.**
Confirmation for Baptized Catholics enrolled in RCIA
Approved participants and their sponsors must attend.

- The fee for this RCIA program is \$30.
- For that fee, participants receive The Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) and Catholic Bible
- Participants also receive handouts anticipating class topic

Topic and dates may change if needed after this posting.