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Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Eucharist 2024
28 November 2023

Dear Friends,

As we prepare for 2024, our thoughts turn to the children in Grade 2 and the celebration of their First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. This is always a very joyful time for a family and for the parish community. Jesus, the Good Shepherd continues to call these children to follow Him and to grow as a disciple.

We have sent this home with all the Grade 2 children. We recognize that some of the children may not have received Roman Catholic baptism so please disregard this information if it does not apply to your family situation or give us a call if you have questions. Please fill out the registration form and carefully look over the schedule of important dates regarding these sacraments. The form can be returned the night of the parent meeting: **Wednesday, December 13th at St. John Vianney church** and **Thursday, December 14th at Our Lady of the Atonement church**. Both meetings will be held in the church and start at 6:30 pm for approximately one hour. This will give us a chance to explain the preparation program and to answer any questions. You can also go to our website (eastwindsorcatholic.dol.ca) and click on the button First Reconciliation and Eucharist and fill out the form and submit it online. You can also return the form to the parish office at 2940 Forest Glade Drive or put in the mailbox at St. John Vianney church. Please do not return to the school.

Be sure to fill it out completely and return to us as soon as possible. If your child received the Sacrament of Baptism at a parish other than one of the communities in our family-Our Lady of the Atonement, St. Anthony of Padua, St. John Vianney or St. Vincent de Paul, you will need to include a copy of the certificate with the registration form.

You will see from the schedule that Reconciliation will be celebrated in mid-February and reception of the Eucharist will begin following Easter in April. Be sure to include your email so that we can stay in touch and provide information as we go along.

We look forward to celebrating with the children and their families. Contact Rachelle Leslie ext. 32 for children affiliated with schools in the St. John Vianney Church area including: St. John Vianney, St. Anne French Immersion, Georges Vanier, and any public schools in the area.

Contact Maria Mollica ext. 23 for children affiliated with schools in the Our Lady of the Atonement area including: L A Desmarais, H J Lassaline, St. Therese, St. Andre and public schools in the area.

We look forward to this very special time with your family.

In Christ,

Fr. Rob Rocheleau, Pastor
Rachelle Leslie, Pastoral Minister

Fr. Jim Higgins, Associate Pastor
Maria Mollica, Coordinator of Youth and Family Ministry

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East Windsor Catholic Family of Parishes

Our Lady of the Atonement St. Anthony of Padua St. John Vianney

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Experiencing the Love of Jesus through Reconciliation and Eucharist

Registration Form

Child's Name:

First Name

Middle Name

Last (Family)

Date of Birth:

Day

Month

Year

Father's Name:

First Name

Initial

Last Name

Religion:

Address:

Street

City

Postal Code

Phone:

email:

Mother's Name:

First Name

Initial

Last Name

Religion:

Address:

Street

City

Postal Code

Phone:

email:

School child attends:

Grade: Teacher

Parish where family attends and will receive sacraments: (check one)

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Our Lady of the Atonement

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St. John Vianney:

Church of Child's Baptism:

Address:

Child's Date of Baptism:

Day

Month

Year

Please note: If your child was not baptized at one of the churches listed above, please attach a copy of your child's baptismal certificate to this form.

Parent /Guardian Signature: