

# St. Mary's Religious Ed Ministry

## 2024/2025 Calendar

Level 1-5 – Elementary Program  
Level 6-8 – Junior High Ministry

Date	Time	Event
Aug 15	5:30 – 8:00 p.m.	<b>Level 1-12 – Catechist Meeting</b> ( <i>Rel. Ed. Center - Rm 117</i> )
Sep 8 <b>FIRST CLASS</b>	9:40-10:50 a.m. <b>9:45-10:45 a.m.</b> 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. 6:15 – 7:15 p.m.	Elementary Classes <b>Level 1-5 – Elementary Parent Mtg.</b> – ( <i>Rel. Ed. Center – Room 117</i> ) Junior High Ministry – Level 6,7,8 <b>Level 6, 7 and 8– Jr. High Parent Mtg.</b> - ( <i>Rel. Ed. Center – Room 117</i> )
Sept 9	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>On-Line Education Family Meeting</b>
Sept 15	<b>8:30 a.m. Mass</b>  9:40-10:50 a.m. <b>12:30 – 4:00</b>	<b>Religious Ed Teachers – “Catechetical Sunday</b> ( <i>Blessing at Mass</i> ) Theme: “Lord When Did We See You Hungry” Matt 25:37 Elementary Classes Parish Family Picnic- Come celebrate a New Rel Ed Year!! Games, Prizes and lots of FOOD!!!
Sept 21	<b>8:00 – 12:00</b>	<b>Confirmation Rally at HGA</b>
Sept 22	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes Junior High Ministry- Levels 6 and 7
Sept 29	9:40 – 10:50 a.m.	Elementary Classes
Oct 5	<b>8:30 – 12:00</b>	Catechist Retreat
Oct 6	9:40-10:50 a.m.	Elementary Classes – <b>Level 3,4 &amp; 5 Altar Server talk</b>
Oct 13	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. <b>6:15- 7:30 p.m.</b>	Elementary Classes - Junior High Ministry- Level 6, 7 and 8 <b>Level 8 – Parent Confirmation Mtg.</b> ( <i>Rel. Ed. Center – Room 117</i> )
Oct 20	<b>8:30 am. Youth Mass</b> <b>8:30 – 11:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Youth Mass- (Level 1 to 8) - Level 2 – First Reconciliation Enrollment</b> <b>Parish Breakfast</b>
Oct 27	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes – Junior High Ministry—Levels 6, 7 and 8
Nov 3	9:40-10:50 a.m.	Elementary Classes - Levels 1 to 5- <b>Child Safety Talk</b>
Nov 10	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes – Reconciliation: Grades 3 & 4 Junior High Ministry- Level 6, 7 and 8 - <b>Child Safety talk</b> – Reconciliation Grades 6 & 7 Level 8 - <b>Service Project at Giant Food Store –permission slips needed</b>
Nov 17	<b>8:30 a.m.</b> <b>8:30 – 11:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Youth Mass – (Level 1 to 8) - Level 3 – First Communion Enrollment</b> ( <i>At Mass</i> ) <b>Parish Breakfast</b>
Nov 24	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes – Reconciliation: Levels 4 & 5 Junior High Ministry- Level 6, 7 and 8 – Reconciliation Levels 7 & 8
Dec 1	<b>NO CLASS</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Break - First Sunday of Advent</b>
Dec 8	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	<b>Advent Family Session</b> – Elementary Classes Junior High Ministry – Level 6, 7 and 8 – Giving From Our Bounty gift sort <b>Level 7-Service Project at Giant Food Store –permission slips needed</b>
Dec 15	<b>8:30 a.m.</b> <b>8:30 – 11:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Youth Mass -(Level 1 to 8) Bambini Blessing Day! – at all Masses</b> <b>Parish Breakfast- Join us for breakfast with Santa!</b>
Dec 22	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. <b>12:00 p.m.- ???</b>	Elementary Classes Junior High Ministry- Level 6, 7 and 8 Adoration and Movie Night! <b>Decorating Church for Christmas !! Come join the Fun!!</b>
Dec 24	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Level 1-12 – Family “Christmas Eve” Mass</b> ( <i>Children from all grade levels participate!</i> )
Dec 25	<b>Merry Christmas!</b>	<b>CHRISTMAS DAY - Wesołych Świąt</b>
Dec 29	<b>Happy New Year!</b>	<b>NO CLASS -Christmas Break</b>
Jan 5	9:40 – 10:50 a.m. <b>9:45 – 10:45</b>	Elementary Classes <b>Level 2 (PARENTS ONLY) – First Reconciliation First Mtg.</b> ( <i>Rel. Ed Center room 117</i> )
Jan 12	9:40-10:50 a.m. <b>9:45—10:45 a.m.</b> 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes <b>Level 2 (PARENTS ONLY) – First Reconciliation Second Mtg.</b> ( <i>Rel. Ed Center room 117</i> ) Junior High Ministry Level 8 – Patron Saint Projects, Candidate Information paper and Sponsor certificates due Confirmation interviews

Jan 19	8:30 a.m. 8:30 – 11:15 9:00 – 1:00	Youth Mass -(Level 1 to 8) - Level 7 Confirmation Enrollment Parish Breakfast Level 7 – Retreat – Rel Ed. Center room 117 and 122
Jan 26	9:40-10:50 a.m. 9:45 – 10:45 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes Level 3 (PARENTS ONLY) – First Communion 1 <sup>st</sup> Mtg. (Rel. Ed Center- room 117) Junior High Ministry
Feb 1	4:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Spaghetti Dinner
Feb 2	9:40-10:50 a.m. 1:30—4:30 p.m.	Elementary Classes Level 2 First Reconciliation Family Retreat -- (Rel. Ed. Center room 117 and 122)
Feb 9	9:40-10:50 a.m. 9:45 – 10:45 a.m. Before and After all Masses	Elementary Classes Level 3 (PARENTS ONLY) – First Communion 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mtg. (Rel. Ed Center- room 117) Junior High – “ <i>Super-bowl</i> ” of Caring Collection – at all Masses No Evening Classes- Superbowl Sunday
Feb 16	8:30 a.m. Mass  8:30 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.	Youth Mass- (Level 1 to 8) Parish Breakfast Level 6 Retreat- Rel Ed. Center room 117 and 122
Feb 23	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00—8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes Junior High Ministry Levels 6 & 7; Level 8 – Parent Child Mini- Confirmation Retreat – Level 8 Reconciliation
Mar 1	10:00a.m. – 11:30a.m.	Level 8 – Confirmation Practice- St. Mary’s KUTZTOWN
Mar 2	9:40-10:50 a.m.	Lent Family Session - Elementary Classes
Mar 5	ASH WEDNESDAY	Mass –Distribution of Ashes – Check Bulletin for times
Mar 9	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes Junior High Ministry Level 6, 7 & 8 Reconciliation – Level 6 & 7
Mar 12	4:30 p.m.	Level 8 – Confirmation Mass—St. Mary’s Church KUTZTOWN Confirmands arrive by 3:45
Mar 16	8:30 a.m. Mass  3:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Youth Mass-(Level 1 to 8) - Special Blessing for Confirmation Candidates Parish Breakfast Mary’s Shelter Bowl-A-Thon - Berks Lanes (Levels 6,7,8)
Mar 23	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Elementary Classes Junior High Ministry Youth Stations of the Cross at 7:00 -Families welcome to join.
Mar 30	9:40-10:50 a.m. 1:30 -3:30 pm	Elementary Classes Level 2 Reconciliation Service (In Church)- Ice-cream social afterwards (Social Hall)
Apr 6	9:40-10:50 a.m. 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Elementary Classes Level 3 – First Communion Family Retreat -(Rel. Ed. Center room 117 &122)
Apr 13	9:40-10:50 a.m. 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Palm Sunday	Elementary Classes Jr. High Ministry Level 6 – Service Project at Giant Food Store – permission slips needed
Apr 20	Easter Sunday	Happy Easter! - No Classes
April 27	8:30 a.m. Mass 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Divine Mercy Sunday	Closing Mass for Religious Education, all levels – Elementary Closing Celebration Level 6, Level 7 and Level 8-- Closing Celebration
May 2	6:30 p.m.	Level 3 – First Communion Practice (In Church)
May 4	11:00 a.m.	Level 3 – First Communion Mass
May 18	9:45 – 12:00	Catechist Brunch and Closing Prayer Service
Jun 1	8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.	Special Blessing for Parish Graduates (At each Mass)
June ??- Jul ?? – Aug ??	????	Possible Bedtime Bible Story Nights or VBS ???
August ??	12:30 – 4:00	Parish Family Picnic