Faith Life Program Registration 2023-2024 – Grades K-12

Welcome to the St. Patrick Parish Faith Life Program

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**What Does The Program Cost?**

**A yearly family fee of $150.00 is due with Registration.**

**This rate is for a family registration. You do NOT need to pay this amount for each child.**

In addition, if you have children in grades…

**Grade 2 –** Children preparing for First Reconciliation – Plus Book Fee and Retreat fee of **$ 25** per child receiving First Reconciliation

**Grade 3 –** Children preparing for Confirmation & First Communion – Plus Book Fee & Retreat fee of **$ 50** per child receiving Confirmation & First Communion.

**Grades 5-12** – Children preparing for Confirmation – Plus Book Fee of $25 per child receiving Confirmation.

**If you have a child that has passed their third grade year and is seeking to be Confirmed or receive any other Sacraments of Initiation please notate on your registration form and personally reach out to the Director of Faith Life via email –** **faithlifeformation@comcast.net****.**

Scholarships are available. For more information, please contact Adam Castor or Father Von at the parish office – 603-635-3525.

Please return your registration form & payment to St. Patrick Parish, 12 Main St., Pelham, NH, 03076, by 9/10/2023.

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**What Are The Requirements of The Program?**

* The Family Faith Life Program for grades K-12 meets with parents once a month. Each month we provide two different class days and times, and parents are required to choose one of those days to attend.
* Each month we will hold a Community Gathering for parents and children. This is a requirement of the program.
* In addition, all families who have a child/children preparing to receive Sacraments will attend a few Saturday morning retreats where we will cover material specific to the Sacrament they are preparing for. A parent is required to attend these retreats with their child/children.
* Grade 4 students seeking to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation will be required to attend all third-grade retreats in addition to the regular Family of Faith sessions each month.
* Grade 5-12 students seeking to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation will be required to attend one class per month in addition to the regular Family of Faith schedule.

**Catholic School and Homeschool Students**

**You and your child/children are required to attend the scheduled Sacramental Preparation meetings, classes and retreats. You are also welcome to attend all other scheduled Faith Life Program events throughout the year.**

**If you do not meet the requirements stated above, we will have to ask you and your child to repeat the year to ensure your child is properly prepared for the Sacrament/Sacraments they are receiving.**

**Before one receives Confirmation or First Communion, they first must receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation.**

**Sacramental Requirement –** If your child is receiving Reconciliation, Confirmation or First Eucharist, we will need a copy of their **Baptismal Record** in **long form**. Please ask the church where your child was Baptized for the **long form**. If your child was Baptizedat St. Patrick Parish, please indicate this on the registration form. **We ask that Baptismal records be into the office no later than November 1, 2023.**

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