

GUIDELINES FOR RELIGIOUS ED.- 2023-2024

**The Bishop Guillory Learning Center
Shared by the twined Parishes of
St. Ann, Mallet: & Holy Family, Lawtell**

Parents & or Guardians:

Once again we come together to share in the teaching of your child. **This year continues our worldwide celebration & revival of the Eucharist. Therefore, our focus ,in religion classes, will be on the Eucharist [the celebration of the Mass].**

Again this year, we say it is important that we work together. Your involvement in YOUR child's Religious Ed. is of utmost importance.

Following are guidelines for you, the parents/guardians:

Registration:

Our registration starts on **August, 21 to 28, 2023. , @ 4:00-6:00 pm.**
Also on the weekend of 8-26 & 27- 23 after the 4:00 pm, Mass at H. Family & after 6:00 pm, Mass at St. Ann, Also after the 8:00 am Mass at H. Family & after the 10:00 am Mass at St. Ann.

PLEASE NOTE:

- 1. If you are unable to register during the above schedule, please Call 337-308-2731 to schedule an appointment to register.**
- 2. Final date to register for this year of 2023-2024 is Sept. 26, 2023.**

Remember, your child will not be able to attend classes until registration is complete.

Class Schedule:

The classes for the R. Ed. scission of 2023-2024 are as follows:

R. Ed. classes will start the Saturday after LABOR DAY which is Sept. 9-2023. We will follow the calendar which you received. It will be as follows:

- A. Grades: 1; 2; 3; 4; & 5; Every Monday from 5:00-6:00 p.m. Starting 9-11-2023, in the CCD center.**
- B. Grade: 6: every other Sat. from 8: 30 pm -10:30 a.m. in the CCD Center.**
- C. Grades: 7; 8; 9; & 10; every other Sunday, 8:30- 9:50 in the Center followed by the 10:00 a.m. Mass [please note: The 10: am. Is part of the Confirmation Class.**

Please follow your calendar you received at registration very carefully.

Communication:

Our main form of communications with the parents are **REMIND, BULLETIN, THE CHURCH WEB. SITE:**

www.holyfamilysaintann.org. and PHONE: 337-308-2731. also

At times by mail. Always call if any question.

Attendance:

- 1. Please bring your child 15-10 min. before class start [i.e. Monday 4:45-4:50 pm].**
- 2. We will follow our same drop-off & pick-up procedure as in the past years.**
- 3. If your child will be late , unable to attend class, or absent for any Reason, please call 337-308-2731. Note: your child will receive an excused absence.**
- 4. Note: The diocese requires we provide 24 hrs. of Religious Ed. each yearly scission. Our Pastor is responsible to see that his Teachers do so. However, this is a joint effort of PARENTS, Pastor & volunteer Teachers.**

Dress Code:

Parents are asked to see that your child dress for the weather. No "body shirts", no short, shorts. Child should always carry Light jacket when weather permits.

Mass: Our Pastor requires: All students enrolled in our CCD program, must attend weekly Masses. Especially those Preparing to receive the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist & Confirmation.

Our Pastor will meet with the parents of each group & Discuss the specifics.

SAFTY: [Safe Environment Requirement]

In our diocese, the Bishop requires that we observe the "Code of Professional Ethics".

We are required to present classes on "The Protection of our youths" to all students & parents, [i.e. "Safe Environment"]. We will have a meeting at a later date with more detail directions.

Let us work together for the good & safety of your children.

Pastor: _____

Fr. Stanley Jawa, SVD