



*Good Shepherd Parish*  
*Religious Education Grade 6-8*  
*2017-2018*

Our class schedule has changed this year to hold two blocks of class sessions that meet weekly rather than alternating weeks. We believe that this change will help to build community within the classes and allow for continuity in the lessons. We also hope that this is helpful for family schedules to know that classes will be held weekly for 6 week blocks rather than trying to keep track of which weeks class is being held.

The **Wednesday** group will meet on the following dates from 6:45-8pm at St. Ann Hall.

**Wednesdays**

*Sept. 20*

*Sept 27 **\*\*Parents please walk in with your kids and join us for a parent meeting***

*Oct. 4*

*Oct 11*

*Oct 18*

*Oct 25*

*Wednesday Nov. 1 for All Soul's Day Mass and Celebration*

*Wednesdays again*

*Nov 8 Service & Community Event*

*Dec 6 Service & Community Event*

*Jan 10*

*Jan 17*

*Jan 24*

*Jan 31*

*Feb 7*

*Feb 14*

*Apr 25 Service & Community Event*

In addition to class meetings, the middle school faith formation program will include special events. These are the dates for the special events and worship opportunities.

Wed Nov 22 Families attend Thanksgiving Eve Celebration @7pm

Tues Dec 7 Families attend the vigil mass for Immaculate Conception

Sun Mar 4 Families attend Parish Family Lenten Retreat at St. Ann from 10:00-1:30. This will include a special Mass at 10:00am. There will be no 8:30am Mass on this morning. Fr. Dan O'Connell will be leading this retreat which is meant for the entire family.

Fri March 30 3pm Stations of The Cross

June 10 Parish Family Picnic

Please make every effort to be on time for class meetings. It is difficult for the teacher to begin the class if students are arriving late. Snow cancellations will be made on local television stations by 4pm for the current day. You can even check Facebook...be sure to "LIKE" Good Shepherd Parish while you are there.

You can also check the website at [www.goodshepherdwayland.org](http://www.goodshepherdwayland.org) . Please report all absences to [kmcpherson@goodshepherdwayland.org](mailto:kmcpherson@goodshepherdwayland.org) before 5pm on the day of class

If your child must be picked up early please be sure to WALK in to the parish hall and we will get them out of class. Please Do **NOT** text your child for an early pick up.

We are in need of parents to sign up for substitute teaching on an on-call basis. Please sign up and fill out a CORI form.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to email Kelly at [kmcpherson@goodshepherdwayland.org](mailto:kmcpherson@goodshepherdwayland.org) or call her at the office 508-650-3545 ext 16. Cell 508-314-4410  
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