



# *Children's Formation and Family Ministries*

## **2024-2025**

### **September 2024**

- 6-8 [All-Parish Retreat, Shrine Mont](#)
- 15 [Parish Picnic](#)
- 15 Weekly Children's Chapel begins
- 22 First Day of Sunday School
- 22 Young Families Open Circles

### **October 2024**

- 12 Second Saturday Church & Dinner and Hogwarts VBS reunion
- 20 Parent Forum: "A Journey Through Children's Formation at HoCo"
- 27 Pumpkins, Potluck & Prayer
- 27 Young Families Open Circles

### **November 2024**

- 9 Second Saturday Church & Dinner
- 17 Parent Forum: "The Sunday Struggle - How Busy Families Make Time for Faith"
- 24 Young Families Open Circles

### **December 2024**

- 1 All-Parish Advent Wreath Making Event, no Sunday School
- 8 Gingerbread Extravaganza
- 14 Second Saturday Church
- 15 Young Families Open Circles
- 24 Christmas Eve Living Crèche services, 11 am & 4 pm
- 29 Winter Break, no Sunday School or Children's Chapel

## January 2025

- 5 Sunday School & Children's Chapel resume
- 11 Second Saturday Church & Dinner
- 12 & 26 Parent Forum: "Answering the Hard Questions" (Parts 1 & 2)

## February 2025

- 2 Study of the Holy Eucharist begins (1<sup>st</sup> grade)
- 2 Faith in Action Family Eucharist & Brunch
- 8 Second Saturday Church & Chili Cookoff/Game Night
- 23 Parish Business Meeting, no Sunday School for PK through 6th grade

## March 2025

- 2 All-Parish Pancake Brunch, Sunday School dismissed early
- 5 Ash Wednesday Children's Service, 6 - 7 pm
- 8 Second Saturday Church & Dinner
- 9 Study of the Holy Eucharist Instructed Eucharist
- 16 Youth-led service & recognition of Holy Eucharist class, reception following

## April 2025

- 13 Palm Sunday, no Sunday School
- 20 Easter services and Easter Egg hunt, no Sunday School
- 27 Diagon Alley (Hogwarts VBS preview), no Sunday School

## May 2025

- 18 Last Day of Sunday School! Class celebrations & Faith in Action Market (all are welcome to shop)

Questions about family programming at Holy Comforter? Contact Susan McGuire at [smcguire@holycomforter.com](mailto:smcguire@holycomforter.com) or see [bit.ly/HoCoSundaySchool2024-2025](https://bit.ly/HoCoSundaySchool2024-2025) for more information and to register for Sunday School.

