



CCD Newsletter



Important News and Information

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Dear Parents:

In next Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus gives the commandment to love. "I give you a new commandment: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another."

We hear this and we understand this—and yet we know this is very very hard. After all, we are imperfect and we so often fail to love as Jesus loves. We become angry, fearful, jealous, or resentful, and when this happens, our hearts grow tight and close up. With tight and closed hearts, it's almost impossible to love. So how can we follow Jesus' commandment?

Jesus is with us and does for us what we cannot do for ourselves. We are baptized into the life and Jesus Christ. He will help us conquer our selfishness and do our best to love as he did. When we are angry, afraid, jealous, or resentful, we turn to Jesus to open our hearts so that love can become possible.

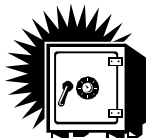
Sincerely in Christ,

*Sheree Leone
Director of Religious Education*



Keep your Paperwork!

Make sure to file your Church documents in a safe place with your other important family documents. Your children will need their Baptismal Certificates for just about everything in their life to come—registration for religious education programs, First Communion, Confirmation and marriage.



Attention Parents!

Our last CCD class will be on Tuesday, May 11th. We will have our end-of-year prayer service and ice cream party.

Please note, if you have a change of address, please call the CCD Office ASAP to update our records. We will be mailing out our registration packages in mid-July and want to make sure that we have your correct address.

Confirmation

We wish all our Confirmation candidates a wonderful ceremony. Bishop Justice will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation with them on this Thursday.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to our very own Mrs. Fran Sigona who was presented with her papal award for her over 45 years of volunteering in Religious Education. Mrs. Sigona currently teaches a small group of Confirmation I students at her home assisted by her husband, Mr. Joe Sigona. We are very blessed to have such warm and giving people in our program.

