

8th grade Calendar 2023-2024

Classes – Tuesdays or Wednesdays 7 pm - 8:15 pm

A total of at least 12 mass quizzes must be placed in the 8th grade mailbox on the side entrance of Church after mass between September 3rd - March 10th. Quizzes can be printed from nativitychurchnj.org website on main page. Your name must be on the paper. Current weekend mass readings can also be found on the website next to the quiz to help you with the questions. Students must attend the All Souls Day Service, All Saints Day Service, The Advent Service, and an Ash Wednesday Service. Students must also attend at least two Holy Hours throughout the year which are at 7 pm on Thursdays once a month. See bottom of calendar for dates. All Confirmation paperwork must be completed and uploaded to your Parish Giving account. All students must read the biography on Blessed Carlo Acutis and be familiar with the information. This book will be provided to you in January. It must be returned by March. All Decision Point Lessons must be complete. Missed classes/lessons must be made up. Students will also attend a Rite of Enrollment, Penance service, and a Confirmation retreat.

September : **Tuesday, Sept. 19th – Rite of Enrollment 7 pm**
Confirmation student & at least one parent must attend the service

October: Week of:

3rd Decision Point Lesson/ Season 1
10th Decision Point Lesson/Season 2
17th Decision Point Lesson/Season 3
24th Decision Point Lesson/Season 4
31st **NO CLASS** – All Saints Day Service Wed. Nov 1st 7pm
All Souls Day Service Thurs. Nov 2nd 7pm

November: Week of:

7th **NO CLASS**
14th Decision Point Lesson/Season 5
21st **NO CLASS**- Thanksgiving week
28th Liturgical Year/Advent Lesson
Advent Service – Thursday Nov. 30th 7 :15 pm

December:

Week of:

5th.h Decision Point Lesson/ Season 6
12th.h Decision Point Lesson/ Season 7
19th. Christmas Lesson
26th. **NO CLASS** - Winter Break

January:

Week of:

2nd - Growing with God/ Epiphany
9th – Decision Point Lesson/ Season 8
16th -Decision Point Lesson/Season 9
23rd Decision Point Lesson/ Season 10
30th Decision Point Lesson/ Season 11

February:

Week of:

6th – Decision Point Lesson/ Season 12
13th – **No Class** – Attend an Ash Wednesday service Wed. Feb 14th
21st- Lent Lesson
27th – Blessed Carlo Acutis Book Review
Thursday, February 29th – Penance Service 6 pm and 7:15 pm

March:

Week of:

5th Round Robin group discussion with Father Chris
Thursday, March 7th- Confirmation Retreat 6 :15pm- 8 :15 pm
12th Practice Week – students only (times TBD)
Monday, March 18th-Dress Rehearsal students and parent or sponsor (times TBD)

Thursday March 21st Confirmation 4 pm or 6 pm
Friday March 22nd Confirmation 5 pm (If a third service is needed)

Confirmation dates and times will be assigned.

Holy Hour Thursdays 7 pm (pick two to attend)

September 14 th	December 14 th	March 14 th
October 12 th	January 11 th	
November 9 th	February 8 th	