

**St. John Chrysostom Church, Wallingford, PA**  
**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**  
**2017-2018 Calendar**

**UNLESS NOTED ALL SESSIONS ARE ON SUNDAY**  
**Sessions meet from 10:40 to 11:55 A.M. in the PARISH HOUSE DINING RM.**

Date	Topic	Number	Catechist
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**AUGUST, 2017**

(Sun.) 8/20	<b>R.C.I.A. Team Meeting - 6:30 P.M.</b> <b>“Come and See” Information Night - 7:00 P.M.</b> <b>Stevenson Center</b>		
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**PERIOD of the PRE-CATECHUMENATE**

*Two service ministries required of our participants this semester.  
Please contact Elaine Mott for available opportunities.*

**SEPTEMBER, 2017**

09/10	Welcome	1	Elaine
09/17	<b><i>Catechetical Sunday – 9:30 AM Mass</i></b> <b><i>Theme: Living as Missionary Disciples</i></b>		
	<i>RCIA session ~ Devine Revelation</i> 10:40 to 11:55 AM in the Dining Room	2	Deacon Ray
09/24	God our Father and Creator	3	Dave

**PERIOD of the CATECHUMENATE**

**OCTOBER, 2017**

10/01	The Son of God: Jesus Our Saviour	4	Gloria
10/08	Spirit and Sanctifier	5	Deacon Walt
10/15	The Church	6	Jonathan

10/22 ***Inquiry Sunday***  
Questions and Comments from  
R.C.I.A. participants  
10:40 to 11:55 AM in the Dining Room

10/29 ***Rite of Acceptance/Welcoming - 9:30 AM Mass***  
**ALL CATECHUMENS, CANDIDATES &**  
**GODPARENTS & SPONSORS**  
***(PLEASE SIT IN FIRST ROWS - BOTH SIDES***  
***OF CENTER AISLE OF CHURCH WITH***  
***SPONSORS AND GODPARENTS)***

R.C.I.A. session ~ *The Liturgical Year* 7 Marie  
10:40 to 11:55 AM in the Dining Room

**NOVEMBER, 2017**

11/05 Praying Liturgically 8 Gloria  
11/12 Creation Story 9 Deacon Walt  
11/19 De-Creation Story 10 Jonathan  
11/24 **Thursday ~ *HAPPY THANKSGIVING!***  
11/26 **NO R.C.I.A.**

**DECEMBER, 2017**

12/03 Re-Creation Story 11 Marie  
12/10 Coming of Jesus 12 Gloria  
Ministry of Jesus 13 Jonathan  
12/17 Death and Resurrection 14 Dave  
12/24 **NO R.C.I.A. - *BLESSED CHRISTMAS!***  
12/31 **NO R.C.I.A. - *HAPPY NEW YEAR!***



**JANUARY, 2018**

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01/07	Acts of the Apostles	15	Jonathan
01/14	Letters and Revelation	16	Marie
01/21	Sacraments	17	Dave
01/28	Sacrament of Baptism	18	Deacon Ray

**FEBRUARY, 2018**

02/04	Sacrament of Confirmation	19	Marie
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**02/11**

***Parish Rite of Sending - 9:30 AM Mass***  
**ALL CATECHUMENS, CANDIDATES &**  
**GODPARENTS & SPONSORS**  
**REHEARSAL: 9:00 AM SHARP IN CHURCH**  
**WITH DEACON RAY**  
***(PLEASE SIT IN FIRST ROWS - BOTH SIDES***  
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	R.C.I.A. Session: Liturgy of the Word immediately following 9:30 AM Mass in Dining Room	20	Gloria
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**02/14**

***ASH WEDNESDAY!***

**02/17**

**\* Saturday**

**RITE OF ELECTION/CALL TO CONTINUING CONVERSION**  
**CATHEDRAL OF SS PETER AND PAUL - Philadelphia**  
**11:00 AM**

**02/18**

**(First Sunday of Lent)**  
**NO R.C.I.A.**

02/25 (Second Sunday of Lent)  
Liturgy of the Eucharist 21 Deacon Ray

**PERIOD OF PURIFICATION AND ENLIGHTMENT**

**MARCH, 2018**

03/04 (Third Sunday of Lent)  
*Scrutiny #1 - 9:30 AM Mass  
practice w/Deacon Ray. Sit in  
front seats of church (center aisle)  
Elect Only! with Godparents*

RCIA session following Scrutiny #1 in Dining  
Room at 10:40 AM  
Sacrament of Reconciliation 22 & Deacon Ray  
Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick 23

03/11 (Fourth Sunday of Lent)  
*Scrutiny #2 – 11:30 AM Mass - Sit in front  
seats of church (center aisle.) Elect Only!  
with Godparents.*

RCIA session prior to Scrutiny #2 in Dining  
Room at 10:40 AM  
*Sacrament of Holy Orders* 24 Fr. Ed

03/18 (Fifth Sunday of Lent)  
*Scrutiny #3 – 9:30 AM Mass - Sit in front  
seats of church (center aisle.) Elect Only!  
with Godparents.*

RCIA session following Scrutiny #1 in Dining  
Room at 10:40 AM  
Sacrament of Marriage 25 Dave

03/24 RCIA Retreat at Malvern Retreat House  
\* Saturday 9:00 AM – 1:30 PM

03/25 Palm Sunday of the Passion of Our Lord  
NO R.C.I.A.

03/31

EASTER VIGIL  
 HOLY SATURDAY  
 CATECHUMENS & CANDIDATES/  
 GODPARENTS & SPONSORS  
 PRACTICE ~ 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.  
 IN CHURCH  
 EVENING: PLEASE REPORT TO  
 CHURCH NOT LATER THAN 7:00 P.M.  
 7:30 P.M. VIGIL MASS - SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION  
 & FULL COMMUNION

Elaine  
 Deacon  
 Pastor

04/01

EASTER SUNDAY - ALLELUIA - NO R.C.I.A.

PERIOD OF MYSTOGOGY

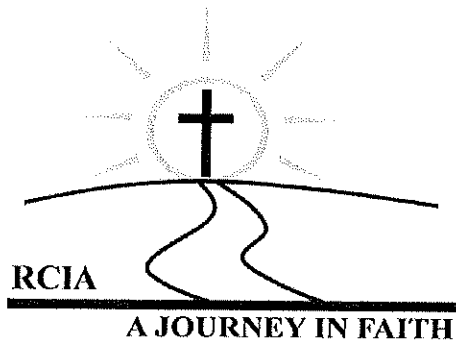
APRIL 2018

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04/08	Christian Morality 1	26	Deacon Ray
04/15	Christian Morality 2	27	Deacon Ray
04/22	Christian Decision Making	28	Gloria
04/29	Christian Models	29	Deacon Walt

May 2018

05/06	Life after Life	30	Jonathan
	Continuing the Journey	31	Dave
	R.C.I.A. Luncheon (NOON) to follow the session		



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