

# Holy Family Catholic Church

**Religious Education and Formation** (class times: Wed 6 pm – 7:30 pm or Thu 6 pm – 7:30 pm)

**Return the completed form with payment to the parish office Mon — Fri between 9 am and 4 pm**

Father's full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone number that can be used to contact a parent during class time in case of an emergency? \_\_\_\_\_

**Check the sacraments which have been received:**

Children's full names (If preparing for First Holy Communion, please provide a copy of child's birth certificate and baptism certificate.)	Date of Birth	Grade	Baptism	Reconciliation (Confession)	Eucharist (1 <sup>st</sup> Communion)	Preference: Sun or Wed

If your family is new to Holy Family Church, please provide a letter from the church stating your child's previous Catholic religious education, the grades in which classes were attended, and the name and location of the church. **Please read and sign the Parent Pledge on the back.**

If there are any health conditions, medical problems or learning disabilities of which your child's catechist should be aware, please explain them. Continue on the back of this paper if more space is needed.

Are you a registered parishioner? Y / N If not, please go to our website to register: <http://hf-cc.org/parish-registration> or pick up a paper copy in the parish office.

*For office use only -----	*Rel Ed Fee:	*Total Amount Received:	Date:	Receipt #
1 child \$40 — 2 \$60 — 3 \$75 per family (each additional child \$10 each)				Revised 2018

## Holy Family Church - Parent Pledge

Parents and family are a child's first and most important teachers. To encourage my child in religious education and faith formation and to support him/her in their faith journey, I pledge to do the following:

- Talk with my child about the lesson after each religious education and formation class.
- Read and discuss stories about Jesus from the Holy Bible with my child.
- Talk frequently about the traditions and customs of our Catholic faith.
- Guide my child in daily prayer.
- Attend Sunday Mass each week with my child and discuss the scripture readings and homilies with him/her.
- Bring my child to class on time. Arrive on time to pick up my child after class.
- If applicable, I will encourage my child to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) frequently by setting the example through my own actions, after he/she participates in his/her First Reconciliation to ensure the spiritual health of my child. I will pay special attention to the Penance Services offered in the liturgical seasons of Advent and Lent.

### First Holy Eucharist Parent Pledge

As a parent of a First Holy Eucharist (Communion) student, your role is to encourage our Catholic Faith to your child by personal example through daily life and reflect with your child on how to be a disciple of Christ.

- I will discuss the Gospels with my child and how they are a guide to true discipleship.
- I will encourage my child to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) frequently by setting the example through my own actions, after he/she participates in his/her First Reconciliation to ensure the spiritual health of my child. I will pay special attention to the Penance Services offered in the liturgical seasons of Advent and Lent.
- I will talk frequently with my child about the traditions and customs of our Catholic Faith.
- I will guide my child in daily prayer to strengthen their personal relationship with God through our Lord Jesus.
- I will attend Sunday Mass and all Holy Days of Obligation with my child.
- I will attend class with my child every day to support him/her in his/her faith journey.
- I will bring my child to class on time, prepared for instruction and I will pick him/her up on time when class ends.

### Parent's Signature:

---

The parent's signature indicates that you have read the Parent Information Packet and are willing to participate in the above activities and expectations and will discuss and explain them with your child. The information above is included in your Parent Information Packet so that you will have it at home for sharing with your child. **Your cooperation and participation is very important and greatly appreciated. Thank you!**