

## CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

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Dear Parent(s):

August 26, 2025

If you wish your son or daughter to prepare for the sacrament of confirmation during the 2025-2026 pastoral year, please register with the parish - and as parents come in (together, in person) for an initial meeting with Fr. Robert, S.D.S. before Friday, September 26, 2025. Contact the parish office - phone: 613-733-4661 (if the phone isn't answered, leave a message).

For the meeting, please bring a **photocopy** of your child's certificate of baptism and when they received the sacrament of first holy Communion.

There is a fee of \$50.00. Any contributions are greatly appreciated to help the parish with costs. If there are limitations in your budget, other arrangements can be made. Cheques should be made payable to *Resurrection of Our Lord Parish*. Cash is also accepted.

The schedule for this year's classes is attached.

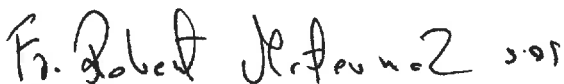
Preparing for this important step in your son's or daughter's journey of faith needs your family, our parish, and school, all to be present for guidance and support.

As well as formal teachings, preparation for the sacraments require church attendance.

In addition to 'instruction in the faith' at the school and parish, the children will need opportunities at home to become more familiar with prayer and worship, with your family being active members of the Church as you are able. This preparation program includes a commitment from you as parents in teaching your child.

Classes will take place in the parish hall and it is expected that while the children are at class, parents will meet in the church with Fr. Robert. These meetings will include intellectual and spiritual discussions about the challenges of practicing your faith, and include the sacraments of reconciliation, and Communion. As well, there will be discussions about your role as parents in the continuing faith development of your son or daughter. This is also an opportunity for parents to return to the Church as a homecoming after being away for a number of years. Program workbooks and materials will be provided.

We look forward to seeing you and working with you as we all prepare the children for the sacrament of confirmation.



Fr. Robert, SDS  
(Pastor)

**Resurrection of Our Lord Parish**  
**CONFIRMATION : TEACHING MASSES/PREPARATION/SACRAMENT**  
**2025 / 2026**

**Deadline to Register:** Friday, September 26, 2025.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>
Tue Sep 30	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
Tue Oct 14	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
Sun Oct 19	09:00 a.m.	<b>Enrolment &amp; Presentation Mass</b>
Tue Nov 04	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
Sun Nov 16	09:00 a.m.	<b>Receive Cross and Holy Spirit Prayer</b>
Tue Nov 18	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
Tue Dec 02	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
Tue Jan 27	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class (Parents and Children)</b>
Sun Feb 01	09:00 a.m.	<b>Profession of Faith / Apostolic Creed</b>
Tue Feb 03	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b> <b>Testimony/Presentation and First Communion</b> <b>Families will be Present as well</b>
<b>THUR Feb 19</b>	6:30 p.m.	<b>Mass for First Communion and</b> <b>Confirmation Families</b> <b>(Day after Ash Wednesday)</b>
Tue Mar 03	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
<b>March Break</b> (Monday, March 16 – Friday, March 20)		
Tue Mar 24	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class - First Communion Families will be</b> <b>Present as well – (SOTC).</b>
Tue Apr 07	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
Tue Apr 28	6:30 p.m.	<b>Class</b>
To be determined	10:00am-2:00pm	<b>Retreat</b>
To be determined	6:30pm	<b>Sacrament of Confirmation</b>

**Holy Week**  
(Sunday March 29 – Saturday April 4)

**Passion Sunday**  
**March 29**  
Masses: 5:00 p.m. Sat. / 9:00 a.m. Sun. / 11:00 a.m. Sun

**Triduum**  
**Holy Thursday – April 2**  
Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00 p.m.

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**Good Friday – April 3**  
Celebration of the Passion of Our Lord: 3:00 p.m.

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**Easter Vigil – April 4**

**EASTER SUNDAY – APRIL 5, 2026**  
**(Masses 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.)**  
**Alleluia!**