

Our Lady Mount Carmel Church 2009-2010 Children's Ministry (religious education) Calendar Grades 1-5

Classes meet Monday afternoons from 3:15 - 4:45 PM

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Volunteers Needed</u> <i>(see italicized request)</i>
September - 2009		
<i>Sunday, 20</i>	Catechetical Sunday (teacher commissioning) at 12 noon Mass Children's Ministry-Registration and Parish Picnic!	<i>Set-up/clean-up, serve lunch</i>
Monday, 21	After the 12 noon Mass (this is also a time to meet teachers) First Session, meeting from 3:15-4:45 PM.	
Monday, 28	Regular class	
October		
Monday, 5	Regular Class & Blessing of Animals, 4:20 PM in the plaza	
Monday, 12	Regular class; no Newport El Study Hall, minimum school day*	
<i>Sunday, 18</i>	2nd Grade First Communion Parent Breakfast Meeting after 10 AM Mass (11:00 – 12:30 PM)	<i>Help with breakfast</i>
Monday, 19	Regular class	
Monday, 26	All Saints Day Celebration 3:15 to 4:30 PM (Students will make sandwiches for those in need)	<i>Set up sandwich assembly lines</i>
November		
Monday, 2	No Class, School District Holiday	
Monday, 9	Regular Class	
Monday, 16	Regular class	
Monday, 23	Regular class	
Monday, 30	Regular Class & Advent Reconciliation for grades 3-5; parents are asked to participate	
December		
Monday, 7	Regular Class for grades 1 & 2, Nativity Play Practice for grades 3-5 (During regular class time)	
Monday, 14	Play Practice 3:30-5:00 PM (grades 1-5)	
<i>Tuesday, 15</i>	Nativity Play and Dinner 6:30PM (Students arrive at 6 PM)	<i>Help with costumes & dinner</i>
Monday, 21	No classes, Merry Christmas! Christ is born! Alleluia!	
Monday, 28	No classes, Happy New Year!	
January - 2010		
Monday, 4	Regular class	
<i>Saturday, 9</i>	2nd Grade Retreat (w/parent) with the Sacred Heart Sisters, 10AM-3PM.	
Monday, 11	Regular class	
Monday, 18	No classes, School Holiday, Martin Luther King Jr. Day	
Monday, 25	Regular class	

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February		
Monday, 1	Regular class	
Monday, 8	Regular class	
Monday, 15	No classes, President's Day Holiday, no school this week!	
Monday, 22	Regular class	
March		
Monday, 1	Regular class	
Monday, 8	Regular class	
Monday, 15	Regular class and Lenten Reconciliation for grades 3 -5; parents are asked to participate	
Saturday, 20	Second Grade First Reconciliation Retreat & Parent Meeting 9AM – 12 noon	
Monday, 22	Regular class & First Reconciliation for 2nd grade students (with parent participation) 3:30-4:30 p.m. the church.	
Monday, 29	Regular class	
April		
Monday, 5	No classes – Spring Break / Easter Vacation!	
Monday, 12	Regular class	
Monday, 19	Regular class and 2nd grade First Communion Practice, with parent meeting from 4:30 – 5:30 P.M.	
Sunday, 25	Second Grade First Holy Communion, 12noon Mass	<i>Help with church decorations (flowers, bows and label pews)</i>
Monday, 26	Regular class	
May		
Monday, 3	Regular class & May Crowning, 4:15 PM, parents and parishioners are invited	
Monday, 10	Regular class	
Monday, 17	Year End Celebration, last day of classes	<i>Help with celebration (balloons, ice cream and pray requests)</i>

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