



Sacrament Study Day for Pastors, Parish Formation Leaders and Sacrament Team Members

Overview of the diocesan Instructions for Sacraments – Infant Baptism, First Penance, and First Holy Communion

**Blessed Sacrament
Norfolk
Tuesday,
December 12
11:00am to 3:00pm**

**Pastoral Center
Richmond
Wednesday,
December 13
10:00am to 2:00pm**

What is the Sacrament Study Day? An opportunity to:

- Examine key theological and pastoral principles that frame the diocesan ***Instruction for Sacraments – Infant Baptism, First Penance, and First Holy Communion***
- Review roles of Pastor, Deacons, Parents, Parish Community, Staff and Catechists
- Recognize sacramental catechesis as an opportunity for invigorating faith participation of parents
- Re-imagine parish practices of formation, celebration, and ongoing support of families
- Share resource lists and samples that provide practical tools for implementation

Who should attend? Pastors, Deacons, Parish Catechetical Leaders, and Sacrament Team Members

Cost: \$20/person for lunch and one copy of each of the diocesan ***Instruction for Sacraments – Infant Baptism, First Penance, and First Holy Communion***. Parishes will be billed after the event.

Study Day Schedule: (*notice each location has different start/end times*)

9:45/10:45	Coffee/Registration/Resource Display
10:00/11:00	Welcome & Prayer
	Tour of the diocesan <i>Instructions for Sacraments – Infant Baptism</i>
	Lunch
12:30/1:00	<i>Instructions for Sacraments – First Penance and First Holy Communion</i>
2:00/3:00	End Time

Registration is online at <http://tinyurl.com/SacStudyDay17> and will close Sunday night, December 10. For more information about the Study Days, contact Sheri Kemp at 804-622-5113.