



# ST. ROSE OF LIMA

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

## 2022-2023 Calendar

(HI = Holy Innocents building)

Informational/St. Rose events – Does not impact RE schedule

Revised January 9, 2023

(Revisions noted in Red) (Homeschool in Blue)

### January, 2023

Date	Time	Event
Jan 1		Feast of Solemnity of Mary (Holy Day of obligation)
Jan 1		New Year's Day – <b>No Classes</b>
Jan 2		<b>No classes</b> – New Year's break
Jan 3-4		Classes Resume
Jan 5	4:30 pm	<b>Grades 1 – 4 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #2 in HI</b>
Jan 7	9:00 am 11:00 am	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> Reconciliation Preparation Workshop ( <b>St. Rose School attends this session</b> )
Jan 12	4:30 pm	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> Reconciliation Preparation Workshop for students and parent/guardian – in Holy Innocents.
Jan 15-16		<b>No classes</b> – Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. observance
Jan 17-18		Tuesday and Wednesday classes in session
Jan 19	4:30 pm	<b>Grades 5 – 8 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #2 in HI</b>
Jan 19	4:30 pm	Children's Rosary – Will take place in Religious Education office bldg.
<del>Jan 28</del>		<del><b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> First Reconciliation. (Snow date: Feb 4)</del>

### February

Feb 2	4:30 pm	<b>Grades 1 - 4 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #3 in HI</b>
<del>Feb 4</del>		<del>Snow date for First Reconciliation. (Same place and times).</del>
Feb 9	7:00	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> Retreat with Sean Forest. (RE and St. Rose School students) Mandatory for students and Parents/Guardians – In Church.
Feb 11		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> First Reconciliation. Children <u>and parents</u> start in church. Reception to follow in HI.
	9:30 am	<b>Session 1</b> Catechists/classes to be assigned ( <b>St. Rose School attend this session</b> )
	1:00 pm	<b>Session 2</b> Catechists/classes to be assigned
Feb 12	12:30 pm	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> Retreat with Chris Padgett – Mandatory for all students. Meet in HI. (RE and SRS students)
Feb 12-15	Class time	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade/4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> – Rosary Workshop ( <b>During class times.</b> )
Feb 16	4:30 pm	<b>Grades 5 – 8 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #3 in HI</b>
Feb 16	4:30 pm	Children's Rosary – In Church
Feb 19-21		<b>No Classes</b> – Winter break (follows Newtown Public School calendar)
Feb 22		Wed classes meet
Feb 22		Ash Wednesday – See bulletin for mass schedule
Feb 26	6:30 pm	Candlelight Mass for <b>Confirmation candidates</b> and parents/sponsors. ( <u>Students are to attend class this week as well.</u> ) Mass fulfills Sunday obligation
Feb 27-28		Lenten Reconciliation for Grades 2 – 8

<b><u>March</u></b>		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
Mar 1		Lenten Reconciliation for JOF and All Homeschool children
Mar 2	4:30 pm	Grades 1 - 4 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #4 in HI
Mar 4	9:00 am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade 1st Communion Preparation Workshop (St. Rose School Students & parents attend this session)
	11:00 am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade 1st Communion Preparation Workshop
Mar 6	6:45 pm	Confirmation Rehearsal – AM Ceremony - 6:45 – 8:30 pm (begins in HI) Reader rehearsal begins after general rehearsal.
Mar 8	6:45 pm	Confirmation Rehearsal – PM Ceremony - 6:45 – 8:30 pm (begins in HI) <i>Reader rehearsal begins after general rehearsal</i>
Mar 9	4:30 pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade 1st Communion Preparation Workshop (students and parent/guardian) - in Holy Innocents.
Mar 11		Confirmation Ceremonies at 11 am and 1:30 pm
Mar 12		Daylight Savings Time begins
Mar 12-14	Class time	Lenten Masses – During Class time. (Families welcome to attend).
Mar 16	4:30 pm	Grades 5 - 8 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #4 in HI
Mar 16	4:30 pm	Children’s Rosary – In Church.
Mar 25-26		Butterfly Banner Weekend – First Communion students bring banner to any mass.
<b><u>April</u></b>		
Apr 2		Palm Sunday – Sunday classes in Session
Apr 7		Good Friday – Offices closed
Apr 7	12:00 pm	Stations of the Cross for Children - <b>COORDINATOR NEEDED!</b> - Rehearsal at 10:00 am in church)
Apr 9		Easter Sunday (No Sunday Classes in Session)
Apr 9-12		No classes- Spring break (Follows Newtown Public Schools calendar)
Apr 16		Sunday Classes Resume
Apr 20	4:30 pm	Grades 1 – 4 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #5 (Final) in HI
Apr 20	4:30 pm	Children’s Rosary – In Church
Apr 23-26		Final Week of Classes for all grades
Apr 23-26	Class time	End of Year Masses – During Class time. (Families welcome to attend).
Apr 27	4:30 pm	Grades 5 – 8 Homeschool Student Check-in and Parent Meeting #5 (Final) in HI
<b><u>May</u></b>		
May 6		First Communion Ceremonies at 10 am and 1:30 pm. (Details to follow) Children will meet in HI at 9 am and 12:30 pm for Procession.
May 13		First Communion Ceremonies at 10 am and 1:30 pm. (Details to follow) Children will meet in HI at 9 am and 12:30 pm for Procession.
May 14		Mother’s Day
May 18		Ascension Thursday (Holy Day of Obligation)
May 18		50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Monsignor Bob Weiss’s Ordination to Priesthood.

May 18	4:30 pm	Children's Rosary – In Church
TBD		EOY Catechist Gathering
May 28		Pentecost Sunday
May 29		Memorial Day (Observed – Offices Closed)

### **June/July 2023**

Jun 20-24	Carnival 2023
July 10-14	Vacation Bible School

### **2023 First Communion Ceremonies**

#### **Ceremony 1 – May 6, 10:00 am:**

May 1	4:30 pm	1st Communion rehearsal, 4:30 – 6:00 pm.
May 5	4:30 pm	Reader and Gift Bearers Rehearsal (church)
May 6	9:00 am	Children are to report to HI
	10:00 am	Ceremony starts

#### **Ceremony 2 – May 6, 1:30 pm**

May 3	4:30 pm	1st Communion rehearsal, 4:30 – 6:00 pm.
May 5	5:15 pm	Reader and Gift Bearers Rehearsal (church)
May 6	12:30 pm	Children are to report to HI
	1:30 pm	Ceremony starts

#### **Ceremony 3 – May 13, 10:00 am (St. Rose School attend this ceremony):**

May 8	4:30 pm	1st Communion rehearsal, 4:30 – 6:00 pm.
May 12	4:30 pm	Reader and Gift Bearers Rehearsal (church)
May 13	9:00 am	Children are to report to HI
	10:00 am	Ceremony starts

#### **Ceremony 4 – May 13, 1:30 pm:**

May 10	4:30 pm	1st Communion rehearsal, 4:30 – 6:00 pm.
May 12	5:15 pm	Reader and Gift Bearers Rehearsal (church)
May 13	12:30 pm	Children are to report to HI
	1:30 pm	Ceremony starts

### **EVENTS NOT YET SCHEDULED:**

TBD	TBD	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> Seder for students and parents/guardians during class time.
TBD	3:00 pm	<b>Grade 5/6 and RCIA</b> Instructional Mass with parents in the Church. Fulfills Sunday Mass Obligation. Attendance is Mandatory.