



Family Focused Parish School of Religion Expectations for 1st-8th Grades

As participants in St. Joseph Family Focused PSR program, you have embarked on the journey of passing along the Catholic faith to your children. We are excited to walk alongside you on this road of faith and pray that this year will bring your entire family closer to the heart of Jesus.

Our desire in developing a Family Focused model of PSR was three-fold:

- 1) Provide families needed flexibility.
- 2) Build community among families.
- 3) Enrich children and parents through faith formation.

We hope that your family will benefit from each of these goals! In order to best work towards these goals each family is asked to meet the following expectations.

- Attend each monthly gathering—child and at least 1 parent [siblings welcome!]
Monthly gatherings are held from 9:45-11:15 am in the School Cafeteria
 - August 30th
 - September 27th
 - October 25th
 - November 22nd
 - January 10th
 - February 7th
 - March 7th
 - April 25th
- Read the chapter in its entirety.
- Complete the chapter review at the end of each chapter.
 - Please tear out and return your chapter reviews at each monthly gathering.
 - Write your child's name on the top of the 1st review of their stack.

Should your child need to miss a monthly gathering, please email Emily in advance to note the absence. If more than two gatherings are missed, Emily will reach out to discuss a plan moving forward.

If you have any questions along the way, do not hesitate to reach out to Emily at 636-464-1013 x108 or ekopff@sjiparish.org.