

2026

September

October

November

December

10	Week 1- First day of Class
17	Week 2-
24	Week 3-OCIA all sections regular class Parent Orientation Meeting at School Cafeteria 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.
1	Week 4-
4	**SUNDAY** 1 st PREP/CHILDREN Mass at 12 noon [English Mass] Sign in attendance sheet.
8	Week 5- "Circle of Grace" mandatory program by the Diocese of Allentown.
15	Week 6- [OCIA 3 Start Saint's Research to be present on 10/29 in class]
22	Week 7- Living Rosary 
29	Week 8- Class based on SAINTS [OCIA 3 Saint presentation due date]
5	Week 9-
12	Week 10-
19	Week 11-Class based on Family Catechesis's Theme - Family Catechesis 1 **12/3 Fam. Cat. Snow date**
26	Thanksgiving Break **NO CLASS**
29	**SUNDAY** Rite of Acceptance & Welcoming: 12 PM Mass (Catechumen & Candidates students and sponsor)
3	Week 12-
8	**TUESDAY** Holy Day of Obligation - "Immaculate Conception" [attend Mass!] 
9	**WEDNESDAY** Week 13- ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE - Confessions at Incarnation of our Lord Parish and Advent activities in the cafeteria [all sections] **snow date on 12/16** MANDATORY for THU PREP students. NO CLASS ON THU 12/10
17	Christmas Party [Christmas around the world]  
24	NO CLASS. Christmas/New Year break 
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January

1	**Friday** NO CLASS. Christmas / New Year Break. Holy Day of Obligation - "Mary, Mother of God". [Attend Mass!]
3	**SUNDAY** 2nd PREP/CHILDREN Epiphany of the Lord (3 Kings) Mass at 12 noon [English Mass] Sign in attendance sheet 
7	Week 14-
14	Week 15-

	21	Week 16-Class based on Family Catechesis's Theme - Family Catechesis 2 *Snow date 1/28
	28	Week 17-
	31	**SUNDAY** 3rd PREP/CHILDREN Mass at 12 noon [English Mass] Sign in attendance sheet
February	4	Week 18-
	11	No Class **Ash Wednesday**[Attend Mass]
	14	**SUNDAY** (OCIA 3 ONLY) RITE OF SENDING (Catechumen and Godparents must attend) 11:40AM – Arrival 12:00PM – Mass **SUNDAY** RITE OF ELECTION (Catechumen and Godparents must attend) Cathedral Church of St. Catharine of Siena, Allentown 1825 W Turner St, Allentown, PA 18104 TBA time
	18	Week 19-
	21	**SUNDAY** (OCIA 3 ONLY) RITE OF CONTINUING CONVERSION (Candidates and Sponsors must attend) 11:40AM – Arrival 12:00PM – Mass
	25	Week 20-
March	28	**SUNDAY** (OCIA 3 ONLY) FIRST SCRUTINY (Catechumen and Godparents must attend) 11:40AM – Arrival 12:00PM – Mass
	3	**WEDNESDAY** Week 21- All Sections LENT PENANCE SERVICE - Adoration at Incarnation of our Lord Parish and Lent activities in the cafeteria [all sections] MANDATORY for THU PREP students. NO CLASS ON THU 3/4
	7	**SUNDAY** (OCIA 3 ONLY) SECOND SCRUTINY (Catechumen and Godparents must attend) 11:40AM – Arrival 12:00PM – Mass
	11	Week 22-
	14	**SUNDAY** (OCIA 3 ONLY) THIRD SCRUTINY with Oil of Catechumen (Catechumen and Godparents must attend) 11:40 a.m. – Arrival 12:00 p.m. Mass
	18	Week 23- Lent in action- Community Service Project.
	21	**SUNDAY** (OCIA 3 ONLY) PALM SUNDAY (Catechumen and Godparents, Candidates and Sponsor must attend) 11:40 a.m. – Arrival 12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p. m. Mass, Practice, Confession for Candidates Please make sure to eat before coming to church
	25	NO CLASS HOLY WEEK
	27	**SATURDAY** Reception of Sacraments Easter Vigil Mass – Be at church at 7:15 pm
	28	**SUNDAY** EASTER SUNDAY

April	1	Week 24-
	8	Week 25- 
	14	**Saturday** TBD Confessions for the newly Baptized [Catechumens] 2:30 PM at Incarnation Parish
	15	Week 26- Class based on Family Catechesis's Theme- Family Catechesis 3.
MAY	2	**SUNDAY** Last PREP/CHILDREN Mass at 12 noon [English Mass] "Saint Awards" ceremony.