

## Children's Faith Formation Ministries

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**Children's Liturgy Art & Environment** Help create bright holy spaces for worship and learning in the parish center and classrooms

**Catechist** Provide faith formation after 9:30 Children's Mass on Sundays from September to November and January to March (20 classes each school year). We will train you for effective entry into the classroom.

**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** This approach to the religious formation of children is rooted in the bible, the liturgy of the church and the educational principles of Maria Montessori. This is more a hands on approach.

**Catechist Assistants** Assist teachers.

**Substitute Catechist** Take over a class when the regular catechist is not able to teach.

**CFF Childcare** Cares for children during events and activities (i.e. Eucharist/Baptism programs/formation classes).

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Children (RCIC)** Sponsors or sponsoring families are companions to children participating in initiation.

**Special Needs Helpers** Work with children 1-on-1 in the classroom setting.



**First Eucharist Program** Catechists and interested adults and teens are needed to work weekly with the children as well as with the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade retreat, Jesus Day.

**Liturgy of the Word Team** Lead reading of scripture and reflection for the children during Sundays of the year when the faith formation program is not meeting (9:30 Mass, from opening prayer to offertory time).

**Musicians and Singers** for Children's Mass

(Bridget Elijah 262-0445 and

Lori Richards 679-0072)

Lead children in song at the Children's Mass during weeks when faith formation classes are in session.

**Children's Choir**

(Lori Richards 679-0072)

Adults help to organize the children who participate in the choir at the 4:30 Christmas Eve Mass.



**CFF Office help** Assist with various tasks through the week or weekend in preparation for children's programs and serve in areas of hospitality for First Reconciliation, etc.

**Vacation Bible School** Held in July of each year. People are needed to teach and assist in this fun learning experience.

