

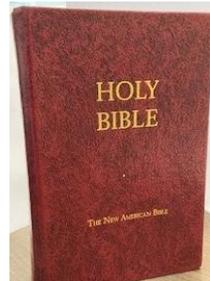
**Holy Rosary Parish in Little Italy
Religious Formation Atriums
Preschool to 9th grade
Religious and Spiritual Formation
Toddlers through Confirmation**

The Atrium is a specifically designed learning environment that enables children of 3-6, 6-9, and 9-13 years of ages to develop a close relationship with Jesus through Scripture, Sacraments, Prayer and Community.

Holy Rosary Parish has three separate Atria, one for each age group.



(Holy Rosary 9–13-year Atrium)



In Atrium, your child will listen to stories from Sacred Scripture.

The Atrium is a place where your child will work with two and three-dimensional hands-on materials that enable your child to learn the Sacred Scriptures, Sacraments and Prayers of the Catholic Church. In Atrium, your child, from preschool through eighth grade, is provided with independent, work time that provides time to reflect, integrate and interiorize the Catholic content from the Sacred Scriptures, Sacraments, and Prayer.

The Atrium is a place where your child, from preschool through eighth grade will actively engage in a process of spiritual growth and faith formation.



(Personal prayer table 3-6 year Atrium)

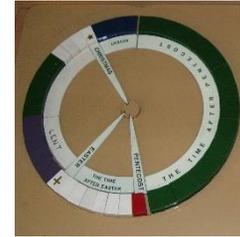
The Atrium is a place for your child preschool through eighth grade to experience both personal and communal prayer as foundational and integral to his or her religious and spiritual development and life-long journey of faith.



(6-9 Atrium)

In Atrium, your child's faith journey is expressed by their great joy and appreciation of the Mass. This joy comes from activities which build your child's familiarity with the gestures, the words, and the Scripture Stories contained in the Mass.

Your child will review the Sacrament of Baptism as foundational to faith and will prepare for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation in an interactive and child-centered environment.



In Atrium, your child receives lessons that follow the Liturgical Seasons of the Church.

The Atriums are guided by formally trained and experienced Catechists who assist your family in passing on the Catholic faith through Scripture, Sacraments, and Tradition.

Your child's participation in Religious Formation and Worship, within our faith community, contributes to resiliency and healthy, life-long outcomes for children, teens, and young adults.

We welcome and invite all parish families, extended families, and friends with their children of all ages, to participate in the unique experience of Catholic Faith Formation at Holy Rosary Parish beginning Sunday, August 29, 2021.

The Atriums are located on the third floor of the Parish Center. Atrium takes place on Sundays between the 8:30 am and 11 am Masses from 9:30 am – 10:45 am. In the Atriums, because we have children 12 years and under, all the children and all the Catechists will follow the American Association of Pediatrics recommendation for the indoor use of face masks.

Please check the website www.holy-rosary.org, the bulletin, and contact Laura Parran: Parish Catechetical Leader: lparran@holy-rosary.org Phone Laura Parran at Church: 216-421-2995.

This fall, the Atrium program will offer a Toddler Community: **Young Family Catechesis through Prayer, Music, and Movement.**

This early faith experience is for your child six months to three years of age, before your child would enter the Atrium.

The goals of these sessions are to: bring joy to the young child through prayer, music, and movement; welcome mothers, fathers, grandparents, and caregivers of the young children to participate in the experience of prayer, music, and movement; assist young families in establishing easy to accomplish prayer and faith filled activities in practice of the Catholic Faith; and broaden the parish community of faith-filled young families.

Days to be scheduled. See www.holy-rosary.org



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