

**St. Bernadette Parish Religious Education
Grade 3 thru 6 Schedule 2011-2012**

Sundays 10:15am ~ 11:45am

Week	Month	Date	Lesson
1	October	2	First Class
2		9	No Class ~ Columbus Day Weekend
3		16	Class
Parent Meeting	7pm in activity center	16	Parent Meeting for all grade levels Pre-K thru High School Susan Conroy – speaker/ author/show host on EWTN/Artist/Missionary – worked with Mother Teresa
4		23	No Class
5		30	Class
6	November	6	Class <i>Grade 6 Mass 9AM</i>
7		13	No Class
8		20	Class
9		27	No Classes Thanksgiving Weekend (Advent begins)
10	December	2	<i>Friday, 5pm - 8pm Grade 3 & 4 Retreat</i>
11		4	Class <i>Grade 5 Mass 9AM</i>
12		11	No Class
13		18	Class <i>Grade 4 Mass @ 9AM</i>
14		25	No Classes ~ Christmas Break
15	January	1	No Classes ~ New Years Weekend
16		8	Class
17		15	No Classes Martin Luther King Jr. Weekend
18		22	Class <i>Grade 3 Mass @ 9AM</i>
19		29	No Class
20	February	5	Class

21		10	<i>Friday, 5pm - 8:00pm Grade 5 & 6 Retreat</i>
22		19	No Classes February Vacation Week
23		22	Ash Wednesday 7pm, Lent begins, all families welcome
24		26	Class
25	March	4	No Class
26		11	Class
27		18	No Classes
28		25	Class
29	April	1	Class
30		8	No Classes Easter Sunday
31		15	No Classes April vacation
32	Last Class	22	Last Class

We cannot stress strongly enough the importance of weekly participation at Mass by you and your child(ren). Your child will learn much from your example. No matter what age they are or what they are learning about their faith, their faith experience culminates and is enhanced by their involvement in Sunday Liturgy.

The classroom work is an important piece for children to learn about their Catholic faith, it is also important for them to have the lived experience of the Catholic faith. St Francis said, "Preach the Gospel at all times and when necessary use words." Pick a few of the options to participate in with your families. Those opportunities for faith enrichment and learning here at St. Bernadette include participating in the season Advent and its traditions. Helping with outreach to those in need in our community. Attendance at the Novena in February (10th thru the 18th), attendance at Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 7pm during Lent and on Good Friday the Living Stations at 3pm. Attendance at Masses during Holy Week on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil, Easter Sunday and on Holy days of Obligation. You can also introduce your children to Eucharistic Adoration by taking them to pray in the chapel.