

April 2009

Dear Parents

As summer approaches and the school year draws to a close, it is necessary for us to begin planning for Religious Education classes for the 2009-2010 school year.

PLEASE NOTE: Anyone who is currently a registered, active, supporting member of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish and wishes to have their children enrolled in the Religious Education Program must return their registration form by May 15, 2009. Only families who are new to the parish will be accepted after that date. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS!

By participating in the SCRIP Program you can earn 100% of your Religious Education fees. It is a “costless” fund raising program. Buy your SCRIP, beginning now, and a percentage of your purchase will be applied to your Religious Education fees for the 2010-2011 school year.

Once again, we are in need of catechists for grades 1-11. Grades 1-5 will meet from 5:15-6:30 PM, grades 6-10 from 6:30-8:00 PM, and grade 11 (Confirmation) meets from 7:00-9:00 PM. All classes are held on Wednesday. Please take time to pray about becoming a catechist for a small group of 10 students. Resources, lesson plans and support are available for all of our catechists. Our children and youth need you!

In September, all registered families will receive a complete schedule of classes, retreats, and sacrament celebrations.

Please call the Religious Education Office (337-0443) with questions or concerns.

In Christ's Love,

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