

St. Stephen's Parish

First Holy Communion Sacramental Preparation

For children in grades 2 and up:

Please submit the registration form, a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate and the \$60 fee to St Stephen's office. Registrations will be accepted until Dec 15, 2025.

****Please note:** Catechism classes and Sacramental Preparation are **not** the same. They are meant to compliment each other, and children are encouraged to take both. Your child needs to take Sacramental Preparation before receiving Holy Communion.



Preparation for First Holy Communion begins with preparing for **First Reconciliation:**

Parent Gathering:	Thursday, Jan 8 th	6:30 – 8:00 pm
Family Gathering 1:	Saturday, Jan 17 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 2:	Saturday, Jan 24 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 3:	Saturday, Feb 7 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 4:	Saturday, Feb 28 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 5:	Saturday, Mar 7 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 6:	Saturday, Mar 21 st	9:00 – 10:30 am

Preparation for **First Holy Communion** continues:

Parent Gathering:	Thursday, Apr 9 th	6:30 – 8:00 pm
Family Gathering 1:	Saturday, Apr 11 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 2:	Saturday, Apr 18 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 3:	Saturday, May 2 nd	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 4:	Saturday, May 9 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 5:	Saturday, May 23 rd	9:00 – 10:30 am
Family Gathering 6:	Saturday, May 30 th	9:00 – 10:30 am
Retreat for Children:	Friday, June 5 th	9:00 – 3:00 pm

Rehearsal and Sacrament of First Reconciliation:	Saturday June 6 th	TBA
Sacrament of First Holy Communion:	Sunday, June 7 th	11:15 am