

# SACRED HEART RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

2018-2019 YEAR

**CYM is on Wednesdays from 6:15 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.**

CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry) is for youth in grades 5 to 8.

- ❖ Participation in the Sunday Mass is an important part of active participation in your faith.
- ❖ It is important to enter the church quietly and reverently because the Rosary is recited before the Mass.
- ❖ We will gather in the church for sign in and Mass at 6:15 P.M., then move to the appropriate classroom space. This Mass is considered part of the class time so students are expected to be in the church by 6:30 P.M. or they will be considered late.
- ❖ Students are not to leave during class time unless checked out from the DRE by a parent or unless previous arrangements have been made with the DRE.
- ❖ **DROP OFF / PICK UP POLICY** -- With the child's safety in mind, students must be signed in and out of class by a parent, guardian, or another parent-approved person listed on the child's registration.
  - Drop off is at 6:15 P.M. in the church.
  - Pick up is at 8:00 P.M. from the appropriate class location. Normally, for grades 5-8, this is Sacred Heart School. A monthly calendar will be provided with additional details, including change of class location.
  - For security reasons, please use only the parking lot side door of the church, the main entrance of the school, and the brown door of the Parish Center for drop off and pick up. For other venues, please use the main door, unless otherwise specified.
  - *Please make every effort to drop off / pick up your child on time. When they are late to class, this is a disruption to the other students in the class as well as a disruption to your child's formation. When you are late to pick them up, at least two EIM-certified adults must wait with your child (per Diocese guidelines).*

Additional CYM activities include the Middle School Rally, the Christmas pageant, and the Middle School Retreat. Participation in the additional activities is encouraged for your child's faith growth.

- ❖ The Parent Handbook for Our Parish is available upon request, this handbook contains all of our Religious Education Policies and Procedures in more detail.

*A student who is active in the faith is one who participates regularly in the classes and religion activities for their grade AND who participates regularly in the Sunday Mass.*

If you have any questions, please call or email Debbie Greene in the Religious Education Office at 979-968-3430 x6 or [cre.sacredheart@gmail.com](mailto:cre.sacredheart@gmail.com).