

# Queen of Heaven Parish Youth & Family Ministry

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Dear Youth and Family Faith Formation Families:

It's hard to believe that the Faith Formation year is over. We had a great year, and hope you did, too! In order to meet the needs of our growing program, we are holding spring registration for the 2018-2019 school year for grades Pre-K/Kindergarten through 11<sup>th</sup>. Enclosed you will find a registration form **for returning students**. A registration form for the West Seneca Regional Faith Formation Summer Program for families with students who would be entering grades 6 – 10 in the fall is also attached. *Families and students new to the Queen of Heaven Faith Formation Program need to fill out a different registration form available through the Faith Formation Office or the Queen of Heaven website, [www.qofhchurch.org](http://www.qofhchurch.org).*

**Please note:** Pre-K/Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade students new to the program (who didn't attend PK or Kindergarten religion class this year) need to fill out an additional form available at the office, via email at [www.qofhchurch.org](http://www.qofhchurch.org).

**Traditional Saturday sessions WITH REQUIRED FAMILY COMPONENT:** Saturday 9:45-11:15 and Family Faith Festivals periodically throughout the year.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL OPTION:** The EDGE program for Grades 6, 7 & 8 is run by Youth Minister Jake Druzvik and is along the lines of Life Teen. Sessions were on Tuesday's 7-8:30, but day of the week is subject to change.

**Summer Program** is a five day intensive program that is available for grades 6 through 10 and takes place immediately after school is out in June. **Please see the SUMMER PROGRAM letter included with this one for more information on this program.**

**Life Teen** is for grades 9 through 12 and meets Sunday evenings starting with the 5:30 Mass with the session (and dinner) immediately following.

**Grade 11 – Confirmation:** There is a parent meeting in late September or early October and the monthly candidate sessions run October through February with Confirmation in March or April of 11<sup>th</sup> grade.

## **FEE PAYMENT INFORMATION:**

All program fees may be paid between now and the first day of class in September, **except Summer Program which must be paid before it starts.**

The fees are: **Traditional, Life Teen and Edge Programs:** One child: \$50.00 Two children: \$85.00  
Three or more children: \$110 (family maximum) **Family Program:** \$60.00/family

**Home Study:** \$50.00/family\* **Confirmation:** \$50.00\* **Summer Program: \$60.00 per student**

*\*only programs that can be included in family maximum of \$110.00*

**RETURN FORMS:** Please return the appropriate form(s) to the Faith Formation Office. You may send them back to class with your child, drop them off at the Faith Formation Office, or put them in an envelope marked "Faith Formation" and drop them in the collection basket on Sunday or mail them. **The registration deadline is May 31<sup>st</sup>. After that date it will be necessary for us to charge a \$15.00 late fee. Timely return of the forms will help us prepare for next year in terms of scheduling, supplies, books and staffing. We fully understand that plans could change over the summer; we are looking for your best guess at this time. With the exception of the Summer Program, it is not necessary to pay by May 31<sup>st</sup>; we just need the forms turned in. The late fee only applies if you don't turn in the form by May 31<sup>st</sup> not pay the fee by then.**

As always, we are looking for volunteers to assist in our various programs next year as catechists, aides, special events, etc. If you feel God is calling (gently nudging or pushing) you to share your faith with our students, please contact us and we will help you get started. If you have any questions about our program, volunteering or the registration process, please call the office (675-3714) or email [youthfamilyinfo@qofhchurch.org](mailto:youthfamilyinfo@qofhchurch.org)

Peace,

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