

## **2019-2020 First Communion Parents Information**

*Parent Meeting dates:* (after the 8:00 am Mass in Wall)

Sunday August 25, 2019

Sunday September 1, 2019 (will be done at the August 25, meeting due to holiday weekend)

Sunday October 6, 2019

Sunday November 3, 2019

Sunday December 1, 2019

Sunday January 5, 2020

Sunday February 2, 2020

Sunday March 1, 2020

Sunday April 5, 2020

All meetings will be held in the parish hall after the 8 am Mass in Wall and both parents should attend.

Please bring your CCD parent and child materials to class each month.

Children will meet in another room

Please have your child turn in weekly quiz in the basket during the collection at Mass

Parent resource: Claudia Wier 605-993-3360

Children resource: Kelly Kjerstad 605-515-3494

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

November 1, 2019 All Saints Day

November 2, 2019 All Soul's day

December 1, 2019 First Sunday of Advent

December 9, 2019 Feast of the Immaculate Conception

December 24, 2019 Christmas Eve

December 25, 2019 Christmas

January 1, 2020 Solemnity of Mary

January 5, 2020 Epiphany

February 28, 2020 Shrove Tuesday

February 26, 2020 Ash Wednesday

April 5, 2020 Palm Sunday

April 9, 2020 Holy Thursday

April 10, 2020 Good Friday

April 12, 2020 Easter Sunday

May 21, 2020 Ascension of Jesus

## **HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION:**

Holy Days of Obligation in the Catholic Church are like Sundays in that Catholics MUST attend Mass, and if possible, refrain from unnecessary servile work. Every Sunday is a Holy Day of Obligation, as are six other days throughout the year. In the United States, these Holy Day of Obligation are:

January 1: The Feast of Mary, the Mother of God

Ascension Thursday: 40 days after Easter Sunday

August 15<sup>th</sup>: Assumption of Mary into Heaven

November 1: All Saints Day

December 8: The Feast of the Immaculate Conception (will be celebrated on Dec 9<sup>th</sup> Due to Dec 8<sup>th</sup> being second week of Advent celebration)

December 25<sup>th</sup>: Christmas, The Nativity of Our Lord