

**St. John the Baptist & St. Thomas the Apostle
Peabody Collaborative
Religious Education Calendar 2021-2022 Gr. 1-5**
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September

Sun., 19th

Classes begin: Grades 1-5 (SJBS) Welcome back! After Class be sure to join us at the 10:00AM Mass. It is Catechetical Sunday, please join us at the 10:00AM Mass where Fr. Derek will bless the catechists.

Sun., 26th

CLASS –(SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

October

Sun., 3rd

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

*Sun., 10th

No Class Columbus Day Weekend

Sun., 17th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

Sat., 23rd

2:00PM Afternoon Gathering (STA School Gym) Grades 1-3 Topic; We are all “Saints in the making,” followed by 4:00PM Mass, STA

Sun., 31st

Mass (STA 10:00AM) All Saints Procession-Grades 1-3 (Meet in the School Gym at 9:35 AM dressed as your favorite Saint for our Procession in Mass.)

November

Sun., 7th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

Sun., 14th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

**** Thanksgiving Food Collection at the offertory****

Sun., 21st

Grs. 1 & 2 Grade Level Mass (SJB 10:00AM* Students remember your crown!)

Sat., 27th

1:30PM Afternoon Gathering (STA School Gym) Grades 1-5 *Preparation and Prayer for Advent*, 4:00PM Mass STA

December

Sun., 5th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 –**2nd Sunday of Advent - GLM, Gr. 3 - 10:00AM SJB**
***Saint Nicholas**

Sun., 12th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 – **3rd Sunday of Advent *Bambinelli Sunday.** Don't forget to bring the most important piece in your Manger, the Christ Child for a blessing at Mass.

Sun., 18th

MASS –**GLM Grs. 4 &5** at STA **4th Sunday of Advent** *Note that we will be asking students from 1-5 to participate in an Epiphany celebration on Sunday, January 2nd.

Sun., 26th

No Class-Christmas Vacation, but there is always Mass! 😊

January

Sun., 2nd

Mass (SJB 10:00AM) Gr. 1-5 Children's live celebration of the Feast of the Epiphany.

Sun., 9th

Mass (STA 10:00AM) **GLM Grs. 1-2** Baptism of the Lord

Sun., 16th

No Class, Martin Luther King Holiday –Grades 1-5

Sun., 23rd

CLASS-(SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

Sat., 29th

Afternoon Gathering SJB Lower Church Hall 1:30PM **Ordinary Time** ~ extraordinary students Grades 1-5 ! Mass 4PM SJB

February

Sun., 6th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

Sun., 14th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 Mass at 10:00AM SJB

Sun., 20th

No Class- school vacation but there is always Mass! 😊

Sat., 26th

Afternoon Gathering 1:30-3:30PM STA School Gym Grade 1-5 Preparation for Lent

March

Wed., 2nd

Ash Wednesday Family Service 3:30-4:00PM Holy Family Chapel

Sun., 6th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 1st Sunday of Lent

Sun., 13th

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5 2nd Sunday of Lent

Fri., 18th

Family Lenten Supper, Grades 1-3 STA School Gym 5:30PM 6:30PM Stations of the Cross STA Church

Sun., 20th

GLM Grade 2, 3rd Sunday of Lent

Sat., 26th

Field Trip to the Holy Cross Cathedral ~ Understanding the “Holy Cross and the Great Sacrifice of Jesus, Grades 3-5. 4th Sunday of Lent

APRIL

Sun., 3rd

CLASS – (SJBS) Grades 1-5, 5th Sunday of Lent

Fri., 8th

Family Lenten Supper, Grades 4-5 STA School Gym 5:30PM *The Triduum* & *Easter* 6:30PM Stations of the Cross STA Church *Registrations for 2022-23 distributed *Season*

Sun., 10th

Last CLASS-/re-register for next year. Grades 1-5, **Palm Sunday****
Procession into Mass to follow.

Sun. 17th

Easter Sunday



As a new collaborative it is important to recognize the gift and amenities of both parishes. It is important to be attentive to the location of each gathering.

- **All classes** will be held on Sunday mornings in the St. John the Baptist Parish School from 8:45-9:45PM. For simplicity and ease, immediately following these classes we strongly encourage families to attend the 10:00 AM Mass at St. John the Baptist Church.
- **Some Masses** will be held at St. Thomas the Apostle Parish. *See schedule, noted as STA.
- Other afternoon or morning gatherings will be held for **special liturgical or sacramental activities** at either St. Thomas the Apostle School Gym or the Lower Church Hall of St. John's church.
- **Mass and Special liturgical or sacramental activities** are the most important parts of our Religious Education Program and attendance is expected.