**RCIA Proposed Presenter Schedule (Tuesday Evening Sessions)**

**Month Day Topic**

**September** 28 Welcome Team, Introduction to the RCIA Process, Church Tour

**October** 5 Symbolon I.1 – The Journey of Faith

12 Symbolon I.2 – Divine Revelation

19 Symbolon I.3 – The Bible

26 Symbolon I.4 – The Story of Salvation

**November *2 NO RCIA (All Souls Day – Mass at 7:00 pm)***

9 Symbolon I.5 – Who is Jesus?

**16 Advent/The Rite of Acceptance**

***23 NO RCIA (Thanksgiving Break)***

**27/28 Rite of Acceptance (Weekend Scripture Reflections Begin)**

30 Symbolon I.6 – The Paschal Mystery

**December** 4 Advent Retreat at St. John the Baptist (Time TBD) - OPTIONAL

4/5 Scripture Reflection

7 Symbolon I.7 – The Holy Spirit

*8 The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation – Masses at 7am, 12noon, 7pm)*

11/12 Scripture Reflection

14 Symbolon I.8 – Why Do I Need the Church?

18/19 Scripture Reflection

21 Symbolon I.9 – Mary and the Saints

*24 Christmas Eve – Masses at 5pm and 12midnight*

*25 Christmas Day – Masses at 8am and 10am*

**25/26 NO SCRIPTURE REFLECTION**

***28 NO RCIA (Christmas/New Year’s Break)***

**January** *1 Mary, the Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation – Mass at 9am)*

**2/3 NO SCRIPTURE REFLECTION**

4 Symbolon I.10 – The Last Things

8/9 Scripture Reflection

11 Church History, Part 1

15/16 Scripture Reflection

18 Church History, Part 2

22/23 Scripture Reflection

25 Symbolon II.1 – The Sacraments: Baptism & Confirmation

29/30 Scripture Reflection

**February** 1 Symbolon II.2 – The Eucharist

5/6 Scripture Reflection

8 Symbolon II.3 – Walk Through the Mass

12/13 Scripture Reflection

15 Symbolon II.4 – Penance & Anointing of the Sick

19/20 Scripture Reflection

**22 Lent/The Rites of Sending and Election**

26/27 Scripture Reflection

**March** 1 Symbolon II.5 – Matrimony & Holy Orders

**5/6 Rite of Sending (Day and Time TBD)**

5/6 Scripture Reflection

8 Symbolon II.6 – A Catholic Moral Vision

**12 Rite of Election at the Cathedral of the Madeleine at 1:30pm**

12/13 Scripture Reflection

15 Symbolon II.7 – A Love That Lasts, Part 1

**19/20 Scrutiny 1 – The Woman at the Well (Day and Time TBD)**

19/20 Scripture Reflection

22 Symbolon II.8 – A Love That Lasts, Part 2

**26/27 Scrutiny 2 – The Man Born Blind (Day and Time TBD)**

26/27 Scripture Reflection

29 Symbolon II.9 and II.10 – Catholic Social Teaching

**April** 2 Diocesan Lenten Retreat at St. Vincent de Paul in the morning - OPTIONAL

**2/3 Scrutiny 3 – The Raising of Lazarus from the Dead (Day and Time TBD)**

2/3 Last Scripture Reflection

5 Holy Week/Precepts of the Church

7Chrism Mass at the Cathedral (Time TBD) – OPTIONAL

9 Diocesan RCIA Lenten Retreat at St. John the Baptist – 9am-12noon – OPTIONAL

**HOLY WEEK:** **10** – Palm Sunday – Holy Week Begins

***12 NO RCIA (Holy Week)***

**(OPTIONAL 14** – Paschal Triduum – Holy Thursday – Mass at 7pm

**BUT HIGHLY 15 –** Paschal Triduum – Good Friday – Stations of the Cross at 3pm, Ceremonies of Good **RECOMMENDED)** Friday at 7pm

**16 – Paschal Triduum – Holy Saturday – Retreat at the Vaughan Center OR Cosgriff Peace Garden from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm; *Easter Vigil* at 8:30 pm**

**17** – Paschal Triduum – Easter Sunday – Masses at 8:30 and 11:00 am - OPTIONAL

***19 NO RCIA (Easter Break)***

26 Mystagogy – The Mass Revisited

**May** 3 Mystagogy – Devotions: The Rosary

10 Mystagogy – Devotions: Divine Mercy Chaplet/Sacred Heart Chaplet

17 Mystagogy – Devotions: The Liturgy of the Hours

24 Mystagogy – Get Involved at your Parish

**31 RCIA Party OFF CAMPUS – 6:30-8:30pm (Location TBD)**