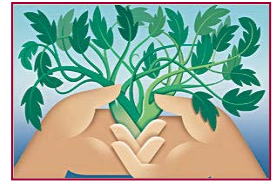


## WEEKEND CATECHISM PROGRAM

St Ignatius Church (24 Oct 2011)



### Information Sheet for Parents (2012)

Thank you for your interest to register your child/youth for our weekend catechism program.

This program is for baptized children/youth who are parishioners of St Ignatius and who are mainly studying in the local school system. Children in other school systems within our boundaries and Non-baptised children/youth may make enquiries too and we will guide as best as possible. These cases will all be subject to review and approval and space availability.

Please print or download the 2012 Registration Form, email the completed form together with copy of baptism certificates to [stignatius.wecat@gmail.com](mailto:stignatius.wecat@gmail.com) with subject heading as 2012 registration – xxxxx (child's name). If you are unable to do so, please submit the form/copy of the baptism cert. in an envelope marked Weekend Catechism Registration 2012 to the Main Church Office by 30 Nov 2011.

#### NOTES

- Registration closes on 30 Nov 2011 and outcomes will be advised at end Dec 2011
- Registration does not guarantee a place. You do need to await the outcome/confirmation.
- As a guide, priorities will be granted to those in our local school system, living within the parish boundaries, have siblings in the programme, or have parents currently teaching.
- Special cases may also be reviewed pending Parish Priest direction as mentioned above.

Catechetical Session Timing (correct at time of printing but subject to changes if required)

Saturday – Primary Level – 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm  
– Secondary Level – 4.00 pm to 5.30 pm

Sunday – Primary Level – 10.00 am to 11.00 am  
– Secondary Level – 10.00 to 11.30 am

Secondary 3 classes (confirmation yr) is held only on Sundays 9.45am-11.45am)

#### Rooms

All levels will be at the new facilities at St Ignatius

#### Start of Class

After Chinese New Year, February 2012

#### Books

Sales of textbooks will only begin on 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> week of class.

Programs: We use the Call to Faith Program (Pri 1- Sec 2) and Confirmed in the Faithful Community for Confirmation

#### IMPORTANT NOTES: Requirements.

- Parents are to bring their children to mass regularly. (catechism does not replace mass)
- Once assigned and confirmed for the preferred Catechism Day, changes would not be entertained to minimise disruption to scheduling
  - o children should be brought for classes punctually
  - o regular attendance is required (over 80%). Children / youth who are consistently absent (3 times) will have their enrolment reviewed.
  - o students are to bring stationeries and book/bibles as required by the catechists
- Parents are encouraged to participate in the children's/youth's faith formation too by doing some of the recommended family activities together
- Parents' support at all meetings or initiatives throughout the year is greatly encouraged
- Communication will mostly be by bulletin notices/email/website. Parents are requested to keep updated via these means. Email/website [www. stignatius.org.sg/church](http://www.stignatius.org.sg/church) weekly bulletin

#### Thank You For Your Co-operation

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