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St. Aloysius Parish

Re: Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion 2017-18

Dear Parents,

It is with great joy that I welcome you to this process of preparing your children for the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. All the children must do the Reconciliation before they receive Holy Communion. All the Parents must come for the information Meeting which is scheduled on October 11th at 7:30pm. Last year 93 children received the sacraments. I am pleased to join with you this year in the introduction of your children to these important sacraments. It is my hope that you will continue to support your children in their faith by practicing the Catholic faith with them through your own example, especially by participating weekly in the Sunday Mass and also bringing them to the children's Mass and praying with them daily. It is important from the part of the parents to keep updated regarding the lessons to your children.

We are blessed to have Catholic Schools in our parish, which assist us in teaching the faith to the children. This help is very important to the parish in helping the children understand and practice their faith in their school environment.

On a parish level we will be involved in the immediate preparation for the sacraments. With the assistance of religious sisters, the school teachers and parish volunteers we will help in the preparation of your children. Please see the complete schedule of all events on the back.

In Christ,

Fr. Jerome Mascarenhas OCD
Parish Priest

First Reconciliation and First Communion 2017-2018
St. Aloysius Parish, Kitchener

FIRST RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE	
Events	St. Aloysius, St.Kateri, St.Timothy and Public schools
Parents information Meeting	Wednesday, October 11th at 7:30pm in the church
Reconciliation Lesson 1	Wednesday, October 18 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm -8:15pm
Reconciliation Lesson 2	Wednesday, November 1 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
Reconciliation Lesson 3	Wednesday, November 8 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
Reconciliation Lesson 4	Wednesday, November 15 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
Celebration of first Reconciliation	Wednesday, November 22 at 6:30pm for St. Aloysius, St.Timothy school And public school children AND Saturday, November 25 at 10am for St. Kateri school children

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION SCHEDULE	
Events	St. Aloysius, St.Kateri St.Timothy and Public schools
First Communion Lesson 1	Wednesday, January 10 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
First Communion Lesson 2	Wednesday, January 17 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
First Communion Lesson 3	Wednesday, January 31 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
First Communion Lesson 4	Wednesday, February 7 at 5:30pm-6:45pm or 7:00pm-8:15pm
First communion Retreat/ Rehearsal	Saturday April 7 at 10:00am -12:30pm for St. Aloysius, St.Timothy and Public schools
First Communion Mass	April 8 at 1:00pm for St. Aloysius, St.Timothy and Public schools
First Communion Retreat/Rehearsal	Saturday, April 14 at 10:00am -12:30pm for St. Kateri
First Communion Mass	April 15 at 1:00pm for St. Kateri

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