



The Catholic Tri-Parishes of Brockton

Christ the King Parish
508-586-1575

Our Lady of Lourdes Church
508-586-4715

Saint Edith Stein Parish
508-588-7032

Dear Families,

All students in grades 1 through 10 who will be attending our Religious Education program in Fall 2017 must register prior to the start of classes. If you have any questions, please call your parish religious education office at the number on the registration form.

1. **REGISTRATION & FEES:** Please fill out both sides and sign the registration form. There is a discount to the registration fee if a family **registers and pays in full by June 30th**. The fees are listed in detail on the second page of the registration form. You may mail or drop off your registration form and payment to your parish office, or place it in the collection basket (in a separate envelope, with "Religious Education" clearly written on the front). No child will be allowed to participate in the program without a completed, signed registration. **Please make checks or money orders payable to whichever parish you turn in the registration form**, even if your child will attend classes at one of the other parishes. To pay by bank account or credit card, please visit the Religious Education page on www.BrocktonCatholic.org.

Our religious education fees only cover about one half of the total cost of our program. The balance is paid out of parish funds. We offer an early registration discount to encourage families to pay early where possible, and to help us order sufficient materials for all students. If the fee is a hardship for your family, please call your parish religious education office as soon as possible to make confidential payment plan or financial aid arrangements. No student will be turned away for inability to pay.

2. **CALENDAR:** Classes for most grades begin in late September and run through late April. Families in sacramental years (i.e., First Communion II and Confirmation II) will have to attend some additional preparation sessions including retreats, parent meetings, and rehearsals. Remember that the sacramental programs for First Communion and Confirmation are two-year programs. Schedules will be published in the bulletin and sent home with your child.
3. **SPECIAL NEEDS:** We can accommodate students with some special educational needs in our regular classes, or if appropriate, place your child in a special needs group. If you feel that your child may need special accommodations, please call your parish religious education office as early as possible so that we may work together to create the best environment for your child to grow in the faith.
4. **"MISSED" SACRAMENTS:** The Tri-Parishes offer a *Rite of Christian Initiation* program for students who have not received their sacraments (Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion, and/or Confirmation) at the usual ages. Please call your parish office to inquire.
5. **CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS: All students seeking Confirmation must complete our two-year Confirmation program, usually in grades 9 and 10.** The Catholic High School curriculum does not include Confirmation preparation. Please share this information with families of high school students who might not be on our mailing list!
6. **CATECHISTS:** Please contact your parish religious education office if you are interested in becoming a Catechist. We offer training and support to all our teachers, and you will receive a 50% discount off your children's tuition. You will also find great fulfillment and joy in helping to pass along our Catholic faith to a new generation.

God bless you and your family. I look forward to working with you to help your child become an enthusiastic disciple of Jesus Christ!

Father Joe Raacke

**Catholic Tri-Parishes of Brockton
Religious Education Registration
for the 2017-2018 School Year**

Home Parish: **Christ The King** 508-586-1575 **Our Lady of Lourdes** 508-586-4715 **Saint Edith Stein** 508-588-7032

Please register & pay at your home parish, even if your child/children will attend class at another parish.

Family last name: _____ Date: _____
Home Address: _____ Home Phone: _____
City: _____ Zip Code: _____
Mother's full Name: _____ Mother's cell/work phone: _____
Father's full name: _____ Father's cell/work phone: _____
Mother's maiden name: _____ Emergency
Emergency contact: _____ contact phone: _____
Parent email(s): _____
Custodial parent, if different from above: _____
Will you volunteer to help with Religious Ed? Yes No Are you new to our program? Yes No
Are one or both parents Roman Catholic? Both Mother Father Neither

Child's full name: _____ Grade in Sept. 2017: _____
Date of birth: _____ School in Sept. 2017: _____
Sex: Female Male Will attend class at (parish): _____
Mo, Yr of Baptism: _____ Parish: _____ City, State _____
Mo, Yr of First Eucharist: _____ Parish: _____ City, State _____
Special medical, learning or physical needs: _____

Child's full name: _____ Grade in Sept. 2017: _____
Date of birth: _____ School in Sept. 2017: _____
Sex: Female Male Will attend class at (parish): _____
Mo, Yr of Baptism: _____ Parish: _____ City, State _____
Mo, Yr of First Eucharist: _____ Parish: _____ City, State _____
Special medical, learning or physical needs: _____

Child's full name: _____ Grade in Sept. 2017: _____
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Photograph/Video Release Consent - please check one box and print name and sign below

- I consent to have photographs and/or video taken of my child(ren) for use by the Catholic Tri-Parishes of Brockton. I understand that any photographs/video would be used solely to illustrate activities that take place at the Catholic Tri-Parishes of Brockton.
- I do NOT give my permission to have my son(s)/daughter(s) photographed or videotaped.

Parent/Guardian printed name: _____

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

Permission to Seek Emergency Medical Attention

By signing this section, I (we) hereby authorize the staff of the Catholic Tri-Parishes of Brockton to consent to any medical care and treatment for our child(ren) _____ that is recommended by a licensed healthcare provider to whom the child is presented for treatment. In order to ensure that the child receives prompt emergency medical care and treatment when necessary, I (we) hereby release any licensed health care provider providing medical care to the child in reliance of this form from liability relating to such provider's acceptance of my (our) substitute care giver's consent.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

If any of your children were baptized outside of the Tri-Parishes, and you have not already done so, please include a copy of each child's baptismal record with your registration (please do not send original certificates, they cannot be returned). Please call the office if you have questions. No tuition due for students in grades 1-8 who attend Catholic School.

Tuition – Grades 1-10:

EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT before 6/30/17	1 child \$85	2 children: \$120	3 or more: \$135	
July 1 or later:	1 child: \$100	2 children: \$135	3 or more: \$150	\$ _____

Tuition rebate – catechists (teachers) and aides only – 50% off tuition \$ _____

Grade 10 only – Add \$30 Confirmation fee – one fee per family \$ _____

Total enclosed – please make check or money order payable to your parish. \$ _____

-- or -- **Amount paid online at www.BrocktonCatholic.org (name of payer: _____)** \$ _____

Payment in full is expected at the time of registration. If you are unable to pay in full, **please pay a minimum of \$50** with your registration and you will be billed for the balance, due in full by December 31. *We will not turn any student away – if there is a financial hardship, please contact the parish office for assistance before classes begin.*

Refund Policy: if you withdraw your child prior to the 2nd class meeting, we will refund your tuition & fees in full upon receipt of a written request. Thereafter, no refunds will be made.

Mail form & payment to your parish, or deposit in the collection basket at Mass:

Christ the King Parish
54 Lyman Street
Brockton, MA 02302

Our Lady of Lourdes
439 West Street
Brockton, MA 02301

St. Edith Stein
71 East Main St.
Brockton, MA 02301

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Date rec'd: _____ Check # _____ Amount: _____ By: _____