Religious Education Catechist Requirements and Application



Requirements

- 1. Catechists must have received the Sacrament of Confirmation and be 18 or older.
- 2. Catechists should possess the following qualities:
 - A personal commitment to Jesus Christ
 - A love for youth
 - A love for the Catholic Church
 - Regular participation in the sacraments, particularly Sunday Mass
 - A personal prayer life
 - Regular reading of Scripture
 - · An openness to using the gifts of the Holy Spirit
- 3. Catechists must be fully compliant with the Archdiocesan Child Protection Policy and complete:
 - VIRTUS online registration and training*
 - Background check
 - Three reference forms
 - *Assistance provided. Please contact the Coordinator of Religious Education.
- 3. Catechists must attend training and planning meetings.
- 4. Those interested in being a Catechist interview with the Coordinator of Religious Education. After the interview, the Coordinator will consult with the Pastor and the two will select the most qualified and timely applicants.
- 5. Catechists must FACILITATE and not DOMINATE their small groups while utilizing their gifts and talents.

Application (Please Print	: Legibly)		
Full Name (last, first, middle):			
Complete Address (street, cit	y, zip):		
Phone Number:	E-mail Address:	Contact preference (Circle):	
		Phone	E-mail
Virtus/Shield Training Date:			