



**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.

**Application** (Please Print Legibly)

Full Name (last, first, middle):

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Complete Address (street, city, zip):

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Phone Number:

E-mail Address:

Contact preference (Circle):

Phone

E-mail

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Virtus/Shield Training Date: