

# SS Joseph and Swithun Catholic Parish Community Bromley

## First Reconciliation 2017/2018



### Sacramental Formation that Lasts a Lifetime!

<p>First Reconciliation &amp; First Holy Communion preparation will be on            Tuesday Evenings 4.30 -6.00pm in St Joseph's Upper Room. Saturday afternoons 4.15pm - 5.45pm in            St Joseph's Hall &amp; Sunday Mornings 10.30 – 12noon in the Upper Room &amp; Holy Trinity Convent</p>		
Dates	Group	Retreat & Rites
<b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September Parents' Preparation Day &amp; Workshop in St Joseph's Parish Hall 10.30am - 3.30pm starting with 10.00am Mass</b>	Parents	<b>Supporting your child on their faith Journey 10am -3.30pm Beginning with 10am Mass - Preparation Day including Shared Lunch &amp; Workshop with Catechists in Prep Groups</b>
<u>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October</u> <u>9.15 Mass in St Joseph's Church</u>	Whole Family	Rite of Enrolment – called by name
<u>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November 9.15 Mass in St Joseph's Church</u>	Whole Family	Signed with the Cross Liturgical Rite on the way to the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation Parents sign their children with the cross & present them with the gift of a crucifix
<u>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December</u> <u>9.15 Mass in St Joseph's Church</u>	Whole Family	Rite of Illumination – Parents relight & present their child's baptismal candles to their children Liturgical Rite on the way to the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation
Preparation Session Dates	Gospel	Focus
<b>Session 1</b> Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> October	Matthew 4: 18-20	God Chooses Me
<b>Session 2</b> Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> – Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	John 14: 21	I Grow Closer to Jesus
<b>Session 3</b> Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October – <b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November -</b>	Luke 10: 25-28	I Learn About Rules of Love
<b>Half Term 23<sup>rd</sup> October – 27<sup>th</sup> October</b>		
<b>Session 4</b> Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> November Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> – Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Matthew 18: 21-22	I Disobey the Rules Sometimes
<b>Session 5</b> Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> – Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Matthew 19: 13-15	Being Sorry: Asking Forgiveness
<b>Session 6</b> Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> – Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	1 Corinthians 2:9	Reconciliation: Let's Celebrate
<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November</b>	Whole Parish	Advent Timeout
<b>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November</b> <b>7.30–8.45pm in Parish Hall</b>	Parents Review Evening	Reviewing the Sacrament of Reconciliation
<b>FIRST RECONCILIATION WILL BE CELEBRATED IN ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH</b> <b>On Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December 11am for Tuesday and Saturday Groups</b> <b>and</b> <b>2.30pm for Sunday Groups</b>		