

St. Thomas Aquinas RCIA

2015-2016 Schedule

All Tuesday Sessions 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Date	Session Focus	Journey of Faith #	Session Leader
Aug. 25, 2015	Journey of Faith	Q1	Jody Morhammer
Sept. 1	Who's Who in the Church / Tour of the Church	Q8&9	Rose Anne Moldovan
Sept. 8	What Catholics Believe – The Creed	Q2	Jody Morhammer
Sept. 15	Catholics and the Bible / Navigating the Bible	Q4&5	Jody Morhammer
Sept. 22	The Bible – The Old Testament	C9	Bill Walker
Sept. 29	Christian Moral Living	C13,14,15,16	Jody Morhammer
Oct. 6	The Bible – The New Testament	C11	Bill Walker
Oct. 13	God's people worship together – The Meaning of the Mass	Q3	Fr. Mike Lydon
Oct. 20	Am I ready for the next step? / Preparation for the Rites of Acceptance & Welcoming		Jody Morhammer
Sun., Oct. 25	<i>Rite of Acceptance & Rite of Welcoming at the 10:30am Mass</i>		
Oct. 27	The Communion of Saints / All Saints & All Souls Day	Q6	Deacon Mel Dunphy
Nov. 3	Communicating with God – Prayer in many forms – A Prayer Pilgrimage	Q10&11	RCIA Team
Nov. 10	The Great Commission		Bill Walker
Nov. 17	The Liturgical Year / Advent	Q11	Jody Morhammer
Nov. 24	No session – Thanksgiving Holiday		
Dec. 1	Who is Jesus Christ?	C10	Bill Walker
Dec. 8	Mary – in Catholic dogma, doctrine and tradition	Q7	Deacon Mel Dunphy
Dec. 15	The Sacraments: Marriage & Holy Orders	C7&8	Deacon Mel Dunphy
Dec. 22	No session...Merry Christmas		
Dec. 29	No session...Happy New Year		
Jan. 5, 2016	The Sacraments: Baptism	C2	Rose Anne Moldovan
Jan. 12	The Sacraments: Confirmation	C3	Jody Morhammer
Sun., Jan 17	<i>Anointing of Catechumens at Mass</i>		
Jan. 19	The Sacraments: Eucharist	C4	Fr. Mike Lydon
Jan. 26	The Sacraments: Reconciliation	C5	Fr. George Varkey
Feb. 2	The Sacraments: Anointing of the Sick	C6	Fr. George Varkey
Feb. 9	Saying Yes to Jesus: Preparing for the Rite of Election		Jody Morhammer

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<i>Wed., Feb. 10</i>	<i>Ash Wednesday</i>	
<i>Sunday, Feb. 14</i>	<i>Rite of Sending at the 8:30am Mass, brunch after Mass, & the Rite of Election at the Cathedral of St Jude the Apostle in afternoon</i>	
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Feb. 16	Reflections on the Rite of Election / What is Lent?	Jody Morhammer
<i>Sun, Feb. 21</i>	<i>Penitential Rite for the Baptized at the 5pm Mass</i>	
Feb. 23	Preparation for the 1 st Scrutiny – Personal Sin	Jody Morhammer
<i>Sun, Feb. 28</i>	<i>1st Scrutiny at the 10:30am Mass</i>	
Mar. 1	<i>Presentation of the Creed</i> / Preparation for the 2 nd Scrutiny – Social Sin	Deacon Mel & Jody Morhammer
<i>Sat., Mar. 6</i>	<i>2nd Scrutiny at the 6pm Mass</i>	
Mar. 8	Preparation for the 3 rd Scrutiny – Hopelessness	Jody Morhammer
<i>Sat., Mar. 13</i>	<i>3rd Scrutiny at the 4pm Mass</i>	
Mar. 15	<i>Presentation of the Lord’s Prayer</i> / Holy Week	Deacon Mel & Jody Morhammer
<i>Sat., Mar. 19</i>	<i>Retreat 8:30am – 2pm</i>	
Mar. 22	Preparation for the Easter Vigil	Jody Morhammer
<i>Thur, Mar 24</i>	<i>Holy Thursday – Mass of the Lord’s Supper 7 pm</i>	
<i>Fri, Mar 25</i>	<i>Good Friday – Living Stations 3pm, Celebration of the Lord’s Passion 7 pm</i>	
<i>Sat, Mar 26</i>	<i>Holy Saturday - Preparation Rites & Practice 9 am</i> <i>Easter Vigil Service : Celebration of Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist 8:00 pm</i>	
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Mar. 29	Reflections on the Easter Vigil Service	RCIA Team
Apr. 5	Being “chosen in Christ” by baptism – checking out the gift	Rose Anne Moldovan
Apr. 12	“They will know we are Christians by our love.” – Our call to evangelization	Bill Walker
Apr. 19	Staying Alive in the Faith	Former RCIA participants
Apr. 26	Staying Alive in the Faith	Former RCIA participants
May 3	What do the Scriptures say about living out the Christian life? Part 1	RCIA Team
May 10	What do the Scriptures say about living out the Christian life? Part 2	RCIA Team
<i>Sun., May 15</i>	<i>Pentecost – Go forth!</i>	