

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
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In order to provide support and input in small group discussions, each Inquirer needs to be accompanied by a Sponsor at each RCIA gathering.

Date	Location	Time	Topic	Speaker	Reference Material
Inquiry Stage	<i>A time for questioning POF-Profession of Faith Catechumen-person not baptized CCI-Catholic Completing Initiation</i>				
10/19/10	Wellnitz	7:30 – 9:00pm	THE BEGINNINGS: RCIA Process Faith Journey Witnesses	Sr. Joanne Fogarty, Dir of Faith Formation, Team & Faith Witnesses	The Art of Making New Catholics CU Godparents and Sponsors CU
10/26/10	Church	7:30 – 9:00pm	Tour of the Church	Sr. Joanne Team	A Tour of the Church CU Celebration of Mass – definitions
11/02/10	Church	7:30 – 9:00pm	Teaching Mass	Sr. Joanne RCIA Team	Changes in the Mass CU A Walk Through the Mass CU Mass Etiquette (tri-fold) Mass Explained CD
11/09/10	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	How The Church Came To “Be”... History/Evolution	Fred Kierner	Ten Peak Moments of Church History CU Christian Family Tree CU
11/16/10	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Journey To Catholicism	Fr Jimmie Hatfield	Liturgical Year calendar
11/23/10	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	The Written Word of God-Old Testament	Tim Rimmer	A Popular Guide to Reading the Bible CU Choosing and Using a Bible CU Intro to Scripture - copy
11/30/10	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	How Jesus Fulfilled OT Prophecies – New Testament	Tim Rimmer	Find Your Way Through the OT CU New Testament & Old Test. – copy Is the Bible True? - copy
Catechumen & Catechetical Formation Stage	<i>Celebration of the Rite of Acceptance into the Order of the Catechumens and of the Rite of Welcome Baptized but UnCatechized Adults who seek to complete their Christian Initiation.</i>				
12/05/10	Church	8:45 a.m.	Rite of Welcome	Meet your Sponsor in the Church Gathering space at 8:30a.m.	
12/07/10	School	7:30 – 9:00pm	The Creed – Our basic beliefs as rooted in Scripture	Tim Rimmer	Faith Essentials for Catholics-The Creed CU Nicene and Apostles Creeds – card The Prof. of Faith timeline - copy

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12/14/10	Wellnitz Hall	7:30-9:00pm	Who is MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD? Feast of All Saints-November 1 All Souls-November 2 Apparitions-Fatima, Lourdes, Guadalupe, Medjugorje and Kibeho	Sr. Joanne RCIA Team	How to Pray the Rosary (tri-fold) Mary of History CU The Rosary of the Virgin Mary CU The Feast of Mary CU Mary points to Jesus- copy How to Pray the Holy Rosary- copy Rosary & the Divine Mercy- CD
12/21/10	No RCIA				
12/28/10	No RCIA				
01/04/11	School	7:30-9:00pm	Trinity	Msgr. Fr John Johnson	
01/11/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Marriage, Divorce, Annulment	Fr. Rod DiPietro, pastor	10 Questions About Annulments CU
01/18/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Structure of the Church Navigating Our Future Rite of Welcome Explained	Sr. Pat McMahan, NOF Dir, Bereavement Facilitator Team	NOF packet
01/25/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Sacraments In General	Msgr. John Johnson	The Sacraments - copy
02/01/11	School	7:30-9:00pm	Sacraments of Initiation Baptism and Confirmation	Joanne Cavedine	Sacraments of Initiation/Sacraments of Invitation CU The Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation- copy
02/08/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Sacraments of Healing	Fr. Rod	How Do I Go To Confession? - copy
02/15/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Come To The Table: Sacrament of Eucharist	Tim Rimmer	
02/22/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Life Issues/ Death & Dying Heaven, Hell & Purgatory	Sr. Pat	End-of Life Ethics CU A Consistent Ethic of Life CU Living Will Durable POA The Last Things CU
03/01/11	School	7:30 – 9:00pm	Morality	Fr. Rod DiPietro, pastor	
03/08/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Understanding Lent...Rite of Sending/Election Pot Luck	Sr. Joanne & Team All – Bring Dish To Pass	Lenten Customs/Baptism is the Key Saying Yes to Jesus CU LENT-Opening the Gifts of the Holy Spirit CU The Way of the Cross CU Symbols of Lent pamphlet Dying to Live Worksheet
03/09/11			ASH WEDNESDAY		

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03/12/11	Church	5:30pm	Rite of Sending	Meet your Sponsor in the church Gathering space at 5:15pm	
Purification & Enlightenment Stage	<i>Celebration of the Rite of Election of Catechumens and of the Call to continuing Conversion of Candidates who seek to complete their Christian Initiation.</i>				
03/13/11	TBD	TBD	Rite of Election	Bishop Campbell	
03/15/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30-9:00pm	Vatican II and The Impact on our Church	Joanne Cavedine	
03/22/11	Church	7:30 – 9:00pm	Let's Talk-Interaction & expectations	Team	
03/27/11	Church	8:45am	First Scrutiny	Tim Rimmer & Trish Prendergast	Meet your Sponsor in the church Gathering space at 8:30am
03/29/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30-9:00pm	Apologetics: Most Common Questions Asked and Answered	Paul Pennino	
04/03/11	Church	10:30am	Second Scrutiny	Fred and Carrie Kierner	Meet your Sponsor in the church Gathering space at 10:15am
04/05/11	School	7:30-9:00pm	Prayer Eucharistic Thanksgiving	Trish Prendergast & Cindy Copeland	
04/10/11	Church	5:30pm	Third Scrutiny	Cindy Copeland & Linda Abraham	Meet your Sponsor in the church Gathering space at 5:15pm
04/12/11	Wellnitz Hall/ Church	6:45 – 9:15pm	Easter Vigil Practice	Meet in Wellnitz Hall by 6:45pm	
04/16/11	Wellnitz Hall/ Church	8:30am– 3:00pm	Retreat Rite of Ephphatha First Reconciliation	Team	
04/17/11	Church		Palm Sunday & Holy Week		
04/19/11	No RCIA		Holy Week – brief explanation of why Holy Week is Important		
04/21/11	Church	7:00 – 9:00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper		
04/22/11	Church		Good Friday Services (see Bulletin)		
04/23/11	Wellnitz Hall/ Church	TBD (sundown)	Easter Vigil	Team	
Mystagogia Stage	<i>Celebration at the Easter Vigil of the Sacraments of Initiation (unbaptized) and of the Rite of Reception into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church (baptized)</i>				
04/26/11	Wellnitz Hall	7:30 – 9:00pm	Unpacking the Individual Experience	Team	

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05/03/11	School	7:30 – 9:00pm	Evangelization: a sharing of how we are involved within the parish, etc. Last Class	Team	

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Meaning of Terms used:

C: Catechumen, one to be Baptized

POF: Profession of Faith (one Baptized in another faith turning Catholic)

CCI: Catholic Completing Initiation (has not received First Communion or been Confirmed)

Meeting Locations:

St. Brendan School Cafeteria (Enter school front doors, turn left into cafeteria at first set of doors inside hallway) - *We meet the first Tuesday of each month in the school cafeteria*

and in **Wellnitz Hall** (located in the bottom level of the parish office building) for the *remaining 3 weeks of the month.*

Emergency/Weather cancellation policy for RCIA:

If St. Brendan and Hilliard Schools are closed on a Tuesday than the RCIA class for that night will be cancelled. If the schools close during the school day, the same will hold true. If the snow accumulates during the afternoon toward evening, St. Brendan Faith Formation Classes will be listed with the local TV stations' closing reports. Look at their websites, too. In the end, you make the judgment call...please be safe.