

Welcome to Assumption Parish School of Religion!

This letter intends to provide families with both introductory information about the Assumption Parish School of Religion Program and information regarding the enrollment process.

The primary focus of the Assumption Parish School of Religion Program is to assist parents in their role as the primary religious educators of their children by providing religious education and formation classes for children of the parish who attend area public schools. Our PSR program offers classes for children in kindergarten through eighth grade, and prepares the children to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist in second grade and Confirmation in eighth grade. Parish School of Religion classes meet on Monday evenings from 6:15 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. during the school year.

Parishioners, seminarians, and professional educators serve as Catechists in the PSR program. Several of the Catechists are teachers by profession. Our Catechists attend in-service training provided by the parish and the Archdiocese of St. Louis. The parish Coordinator of Faith Formation for Children, Mrs. Donna Koppy, serves as Principal of the Parish School of Religion.

Parental involvement in your child's religious education through prayer, attendance at weekly mass, and keeping in contact with your child's PSR catechist is essential. We welcome volunteers; many of our parents serve as classroom assistants or safety monitors, while others help with various projects throughout the year.

PSR registration and enrollment information has been included with this letter. Please review the information, complete all the enclosed forms, and return them to the Parish Office. PSR classes for the 2009 -2010 school year will begin on Monday, September 14, 2009, at 6:15 p.m. All registered families will receive additional information during the summer months.

If you would like more information about the Assumption Parish School of Religion Program, please contact the PSR Principal, Mrs. Donna Koppy at 314-487-6520 ext. 2219 or [kopyyd@assumptionstl.org](mailto:kopyyd@assumptionstl.org) ; or the PSR administrative assistant Mr. Matt Schoen at 314-487-6520 ext. 2212 or [schoenm@assumptionstl.org](mailto:schoenm@assumptionstl.org).