



St Francis of Assisi, Ohariu warmly invites your child to become a candidate in the Sacramental Programme.

This programme is available to all children who have been baptised into the Catholic faith and reached Year 4 or above in the primary school system.

During the course of the year, candidates work through the programme with the assistance and support of their families and the Parish to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Holy Communion. Sessions are a mixture of home and parish-based learning.

This is a rewarding and deeply spiritual experience designed to give all those involved a closer relationship to God and a deeper understanding of our faith.

SERVICE TIMES

Saturday Vigil

5pm

Sunday Eucharist Times

Sunday Mass 9am, 10.30am

Weekdays

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9am

Wednesday 11am

Reconciliation by Appointment



JANUARY 2019

St Francis of Assisi, Ohariu

Johnsonville & Newlands Sacramental Preparation Programme 2019

Contact Details

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Enrolment Form

Name of Child.....
Address.....
Suburb.....
Date of Birth.....
Parents Names.....
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Phone (Home).....
Phone (Work).....
Email.....

Parish of Baptism.....
in.....
Date of Baptism.....

(Attach a copy of child's Baptism Certificate where possible)

I commit to attending the Parent Evening on Tuesday 26 February at 7pm.

Signed.....

Please return this form to the Parish Office.

2019 SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

First Reconciliation:

Tuesday February 26

- 7pm Parents Session COMPULSORY

Sunday 10 March

– 10.15am – 11am First Children's session
At St Brigid's room12 behind School Library

Sunday 24 March

– 10.15am – 11am First Children's session
At St Brigid's room12 behind School Library

Friday 29 March

– 3.30pm (in the Johnsonville church) Practice

Sunday 31 March

-2pm Reconciliation service

Confirmation:

Sunday 2 June

– 10.15am – 11am First Children's session
At St Brigid's room12 behind School Library

Sunday 16 June

– 10.15am – 11am Second Children's session
At St Brigid's room12 behind School Library

Friday 21 June

– 3.30pm (in the Johnsonville church) Practice

Sunday 23 June

-2pm Confirmation Mass

First Holy Communion:

Sunday 4 August

– 10.15am-11am First Children's session
room12 behind School Library

Sunday 18 August

–10.15am –11am Second Children's session
room12 behind School Library

Friday 23 August

– 3.30pm (in the Johnsonville church)
Practice

Sunday 25 September

– TBC Holy Communion Mass

Preparation is required for each sacrament. Booklets will be distributed at the beginning of each section of the programme. There are normally two children's sessions and a practice before each event.

Families are asked to contribute to the cost of materials for the sacraments programme. The cost is likely to be \$40 for 2019, collected at the parents' evening in February. This covers materials for all three sacraments and the cost of a group photo for first Holy Communion.