February Newsletter

Registration for CCD

Registration for CCD for 2017/2018 school year will begin Wednesday, Feb 22 in the cafeteria. Forms may be picked up in the Cafeteria that evening and may be turned in then or anytime by Wednesday, March 29. Please may be dropped off in the CCD office or mailed in to the Cathedral. All families that turn in forms during the spring registration will be guaranteed a place in the program. Late registration will be in August for any remaining spots. Families must be registered members of the parish. For more information or questions please call the R.E> office at 575-8132.

First Reconciliation/First Confession

On Wednesday Feb. 8 and 15 we will be having Reconciliation in the Cathedral for all those students in First Communion class and Special Sacrament classes. Parents please make sure your student is in class by 6:15 p.m. Parents are not expected to attend Reconciliation with their student, classes will be dismissed from the classroom at 7:30 p.m.

Confirmation Deadline

Wednesday, March 8 is the deadline for all Confirmation requirements to be turned in to the R.E. office. This applies to students in CCD and at St. Joseph's High School who plan on being Confirmed here at OLV on Sunday April 30. If you have any questions about the status of your student please call the office – this is a firm deadline so make sure all paperwork is in the R.E. office by 7:30 p.m. that evening.

Safe Environment Training

Any adult working with young people in the parish must have Safe Environment training. Our next session is Thursday, February 23 in the Religious Education Office at 6:00 p.m. If you would like to help with the CCD program in the future and have not had this training please join us. Additional sessions will be held March 23 and April 6.

Disciples on the Journey

This is a lectionary based resource for Faith Sharing in small group or in your own family. It begins Wednesday, March 1 and includes Prayers, Commentary of the Sunday Readings, Questions for Discussion with your family and suggestions for other Lenten observations. To order books for your small group or personal family use please call the CCD office at 575-8132.