

**DRAFT St. Mary Church and Newman Center Catholic Initiation of Baptized Adults DRAFT  
Summer/Fall 2020**

**Discussion and Question Sessions on Zoom with 2 Weekly Options  
Sunday Mornings 10:45am-11:25am**

**or**

**Tuesday Evenings, 7:00-7:40pm**

**Last Revised 08/27/2020**

- 8/30 or 9/1**      **God's Love (Dan Teets)**
- 9/5-9/7**            **NO DISCUSSION AND QUESTION SESSION Labor Day Weekend**  
**9/13 or 9/15**      **The Gift of Salvation (Deacon Joe Welter)**  
**9/20 or 9/22**      **What is the Catholic Church? (Deacon Joe Welter) / New Life in Christ (Christine Martin)**  
**09/26-09/27**      **CHRIST OUR LIFE CONFERENCE, Wells Fargo Arena, Des Moines, Iowa**  
**9/27 or 9/29**      **Sacraments (Overview) (Sr. Agnes Giblin) / Baptism - Confirmation (Dan)**
- 10/4 or 10/6**      **The Mass / The Eucharist (Dan)**  
**10/10-10/11**      **NO DISCUSSION AND QUESTION SESSION Rite of Welcome Weekend**  
**Two Options for the Rite of Welcome (Candidates and Confirmandi only; with Sponsors)**  
**Sun. Oct. 11**      **Meet in St. Mary Church Hall at 10:00am before the 10:30am Mass or**  
**Sun. Oct. 11**      **Meet in gathering space at the Newman Center at 5:30pm before the 6:00pm Mass**  
**10/18 or 10/20**      **The Sacrament of Penance (Fr. Jeff Belger or Fr. Larry Richards)**  
**10/25 or 10/27**      **Using the Catechism of the Catholic Church and Catholic Morality / Ethical Decision Making (Dan or Mary Merkel-Hess)**
- 11/1 or 11/3**      **Anointing of the Sick (Sr. Agnes) / Last Things (Death, Purgatory, Heaven, Hell) (Dan)**  
**11/8 or 11/10**      **Sacraments of Holy Orders (Deacon Joe Welter) / Holy Matrimony (Dan & Janet Teets)**  
**11/15 or 11/17**      **The Our Father (The Lord's Prayer) / How to Pray the Rosary (Dan and Team)**
- Sat. Nov. 21**      **Morning of Reflection – Includes Sacrament of Reconciliation – 9:00am-Noon in St. Mary Church Hall - NO DISCUSSION AND QUESTION SESSION Confirmation Weekend**  
**Two Options for Confirmation (Candidates and Confirmandi only; with Sponsors)**  
**Sat. Nov. 21**      **Meet at 4:00pm at the Newman Center - Rites of Initiation (Confirmation and Holy Eucharist) at 4:30pm Mass**  
**Sun. Nov. 22**      **Meet at 10:00am at St. Mary Church - Rites of Initiation (Confirmation and Holy Eucharist) at 10:30am Mass**
- 11/26-11/29**      **NO DISCUSSION AND QUESTION SESSION Thanksgiving Weekend!**
- 12/6 or 12/8**      **Reflection on Rites of Nov. 21 or 22 / Liturgical/Service Ministries Panel, Scripture Study and Spiritual Growth Opportunities (will be scheduled on Zoom)**  
**12/13 or 12/15**      **Catholic Trivia on Zoom – actual date tba (Cradle Catholics vs. Others)**

**Questions: Call Dan at St. Mary's (337-4314, Ext. 105) or home (351-8477) before 10:00pm, or e-mail me at St. Mary's at: [dteets@icstmary.org](mailto:dteets@icstmary.org)**