

“MASS OF BELONGING”



Dear Parents,

On Saturday, January 20, 2018, at the 4:00 p.m. Mass we will celebrate a “Mass of Belonging” for the children preparing for First Eucharist at Holy Name. This Mass marks the beginning of your child’s formal preparation for First Eucharist. This Mass is a wonderful opportunity to gather together to celebrate our faith, and the gift of Jesus in the Liturgy of the Word and in the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

Please arrive no later than 3:45 p.m. Pick up your child’s special “Mass of Belonging” T-Shirt (one size fits all, free-of-charge) from a catechist who will be in the Gathering Space. Have your child put their t-shirt on over their clothing (remove their winter coat).

Seating is unassigned, however, we ask that you and your child/family sit in the pews in the main section of the church (if possible).

At Mass, Monsignor Zenz will speak to the children about their baptism, asking them if they know who their godparents are, when/where they were baptized, and so forth. Please talk with your child, prior to this Mass, about these questions. Monsignor will then ask the parents questions, for example: “do you promise to continue to support your child in their faith?” etc. We look forward to seeing you and your family at this Mass.

God Bless You.

Meg Eib, Director, Faith Formation