

**St. John Vianney Catholic Community
Ministry of Faith Formation**

**The New Testament:
Encountering Jesus in the Gospels**

Please attend class on the day your family is assigned. If you know in advance that you are unable to attend, your family is welcome to make up the class on one of the other two days. You do not need to call the Faith Formation Office, just show up. **If your child is preparing for First Communion, you are only allowed one absence without make-up for the year.** The Teaching Touching Safety class is scheduled the week of January 7th. This class is optional but highly recommended. Missing this class does not count as an absence; however, if your child attends, it will be counted as a make-up for a missed class.

2016 - 2017

	Topics	Thursday Dates 6 - 7:50 pm	Sunday Dates 10 – 11:50 am + 12 pm Mass	Monday Dates 4 - 5:50 pm
1	Orientation - Jesus promises eternal life. Luke 16:19-31	Sept. 22	Sept. 25	Sept. 26
2	Jesus teaches us to be grateful. Luke 17:11-19	Oct. 6	Oct. 9	Oct. 10
3	Jesus teaches us how to be a disciple. Luke 18:9-14	Oct. 20	Oct. 23	Oct. 24
4	Jesus tells us that the Resurrection is real. Luke 20:27, 34-38	Nov. 3	Nov. 6	Nov. 7
5	Jesus replied, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise." Luke 23:35-43	Nov. 17	Nov. 20	Nov. 21
6	"Repent, for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand!" Matthew 3:1-12	Dec. 1	Dec. 4	Dec. 5
7	Emmanuel, "God is with us." Matthew 1:18-24	Dec. 15	Dec. 18	Dec. 19
8	Jesus teaches us how to be happy. Matt 5:1-12 & Matt 5:17-37	Feb. 9	Feb. 12	Feb. 13
9	Jesus shows us the glory of Heaven. Matthew 17:1-9	Mar. 9	Mar. 12	Mar. 13
10	Jesus shows us that He is God. John 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38	Mar. 23	Mar. 26	Mar. 27
11	Jesus reveals to us that there is hope in suffering. Matthew 27:11-54	April 6	April 9	April 10
12	Jesus tells us that there is no need to doubt. He is still with us. John 20:19-31	April 20	April 23	April 24
13	I am the Shepherd, and my sheep will follow. John 10:1-10	May 4	May 7	May 8

First Communion Year 2 Parent & Child Retreats

Retreat	Thursday Class	Sunday Class	Monday Class
First Reconciliation Retreat Including Confession	January 7, 2017 1:00 - 4:00 pm	January 7, 2017 9:00 - 12:00 pm	February 11, 2017 9:00 - 12:00 pm
First Communion Retreat	March 18, 2017 2:30 - 6:00 pm	March 19, 2017 9:30 - 1:00 pm	March 19, 2017 9:30 am - 1:00 pm