

**ST. IRENAEUS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TUITION FEES 2020-2021**

Tuition is applied to staff salaries, textbooks, materials, catechist training and enrichment, rentals and speakers.

The Parish subsidizes the program, but we do depend on full payment of tuition.

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**ALL FAMILIES IN THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM MUST BE REGISTERED PARISHIONERS OF ST. IRENAEUS CHURCH OR A NEIGHBORING CATHOLIC CHURCH.**

Religious education is essential in educating our children about Christ, discipleship and our Church community. A huge part of being a Christ follower is our call to service. Family service hours demonstrates to our youth the importance of this. We have several opportunities and ways that your family may show their love of Christ through your service to others.

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Number of Children	Amount Due without volunteer hours	Amount Due with 20 Family Service Hours	Payment Plan without service hours (4 payments due at 10/1, 11/1, 12/1, 1/1)	Payment Plan with 20 service hours	Book Fee (must be paid at registration)	Sacramental Materials For those celebrating Communion/Reconciliation or Confirmation (may be paid at registration or at the sacramental meeting)
1	<del>\$230.00</del>	\$150.00	\$57.50	\$37.50	\$25	\$25
2	<del>\$250.00</del>	\$170.00	\$62.50	\$42.50	\$50	\$25/per child
3 or more	<del>\$270.00</del>	\$190.00	\$67.50	\$47.50	\$25/per child	\$25/per child

**Volunteer Options:**

- Serving as a Catechist
- Serving as a substitute Catechist
- Serving as a Adult Catechist Aide (occasionally stepping into teach children prayers)
- Serving as a room parent (assisting teachers for special events or crafts)
- Baking for special events or receptions
- Picnic Committee
- Special Needs aide
- Special Events Aide (Live Nativity, Christmas Pageant, Picnic, St. Nick's Party, etc.)
- Office Help/ Office Substitute