

## St. Martha Parish Sacramental Schedule 2011-2012

### First Communion (rev. 7-19-11)

January 12, 2012	<b>Thursday</b> Parent Meeting, 7pm (in church)
January 22, 2012	Enrollment for First Communion, at 11:00am Mass.
February 16, 2012	<b>Thursday</b> 7pm – 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade parent meeting to plan First Communion Workshop (Bennett)
February 23, 2012	<b>Thursday</b> , Pretend Mass Planning Meeting, 7pm, (Bennett) 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Parent Meeting
March 3, 2012	<b>Saturday</b> First Communion Workshop, 9am-12pm, (Church & School)
March 16, 2012	<b>Friday</b> Pretend Mass Workshop, 8:30am - 2:30pm, (Bethany) We will send a letter to the ERE class's schools for excused dismissal so they can attend if they wish to do so.
April 28	<b>Saturday</b> , 4pm, (Group), <b>Sunday</b> , 9:30am Mass (Family) and 12:00 noon Mass, (Group)

All parents are invited to choose a Mass for First Holy Communion.  
More information later, for specific details.

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## First Reconciliation (Rev 7-19-11)

Children at all ages in a Catholic school or parish program prepare to tell God they are sorry for what they have done wrong. They learn God loves and forgives them and always calls them to do what is good.

**Canon 914, The Code of Canon Law tells us the Sacrament of Reconciliation occurs before First Eucharist.**

**1<sup>st</sup> Grade parents** will share valuable learning time helping to prepare their children for First Reconciliation. The Campus Minister and classroom teachers will lead a parent meeting and workshop that will help families to grow together in their understanding of this sacrament and share time together with guided lessons to be completed at home. Regular classroom instruction will reinforce these experiences to ready children for reception of the sacrament.

\*Sacramental reception is encouraged but not required except for serious sin before the reception of First Eucharist."

### St. Martha Day School

February 4, 2012	<b>Saturday</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Reconciliation Workshop and Parent meeting
March 22, 2012	<b>Monday</b> , 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade celebration of the Sacrament of First Reconciliation 7:00pm,

### The St. Martha Combined Evening Religious Education Program (Tuesday evenings unless otherwise indicated)

February 4, 2012	<b>Saturday 9-11am</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Reconciliation Parent Mtg. & Workshop
March 20, 2012	<b>Tuesday</b> . 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade ERE practice for First Reconciliation
March 22, 2012	<b>Monday, 7pm</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade celebration of the Sacrament in church

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Come, Holy Spirit! Enkindle in us the fire of your love.  
**Confirmation (Rev 7-19-11)**

October 13, 2011	<b>7pm Thursday</b>	Parent / Sponsor only Meeting in church
October 15, 2011	<b>3pm Saturday 4pm Mass</b>	Sponsor Meeting at in the Cafeteria. Enrollment for the Sacrament
October 20, 2011	<b>7pm Thursday</b>	Service Group Meeting - cafeteria Parents <b>and</b> candidates (sponsors welcome)
Please note change of dates, from the spring calendar, we sent.		
January 19, 2012	<b>7-9pm Thursday</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Parent Meeting in church, with David Metzger, Retreat Leader
January 27, 2012	<b>8:30-4:30pm Friday</b>	Retreat @ Mount St. Francis, Letters will be written requesting an excused absence for ERE students.
February 13, 2012	<b>9:30am Monday</b>	Field Trip to Cathedral to practice. Letters will be written requesting an excused absence for ERE students.
February 15, 2012	<b>7:30 pm Wednesday</b>	Cathedral of the Assumption 433 S. Fifth St. Louisville, KY 40202 Sacrament of Confirmation Students & sponsors to be in cathedral
	<b>7:00pm</b>	