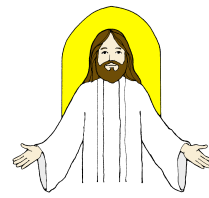


Padre Serra Parish
Spark Calendar 2021-2022
(Faith Formation Grades 1-5)



SEPTEMBER

20 or 21 Parent Meeting (choose one)
6:30 pm - Serra Center

OCTOBER

4/6 Centers: The Word of God is Living and Effective
11/13 Centers: Grace comes to All Who Hope in God's Kindness
18/20 Centers: Take Courage, Jesus is Calling
25/27 NO CENTERS
29 Trunk or Treat (Fri.) - Trunks only

NOVEMBER

1/3 Centers: True Love of God and Neighbor
8/10 Centers: The Son of Man Returns
15/17 NO CENTERS
16 Reconciliation Service (Tues)
22/24 NO CENTERS
29/Dec. 1 Centers: Deliverance is Coming

DECEMBER

6/8 Centers: The Lord is Near
13/15 Centers: Leap for Joy
20/22 NO CENTERS
27/29 NO CENTERS

JANUARY

3/5 Centers: Here is Your God
10/12 Centers: Through Joys and Concerns
17/19 NO CENTERS
24/26 Centers: Tell What I Command
31/Feb. 2 Centers: Living Our Vocation

FEBRUARY

7/9 Centers: Sermon on the Plain
14/16 NO CENTERS
21/23 Centers: Living the Life
28/March 2 Centers: Strength from Scripture

MARCH

7/9 Centers: Covenant Ritual
14/16 Centers: Christ the Living Water
21/23 NO CENTERS
25 Interactive Stations of the Cross (Fri.)

In addition to the children's weekly Centers, there are three family events included as part of the regular curriculum which are highlighted above.

28/30 Centers: Christ the Resurrection and the Life

APRIL

4/6 Centers: The Paschal Mystery
11/13 NO CENTERS
18/20 NO CENTERS
25/27 Centers: Obedient Witnesses

MAY

2/4 Centers: Safe in the Hands of God
9/11 Centers: The Kingdom of God is for All the Ages
16/18 Centers: God Remains with Us

June 1 Registration for next Fall begins online

First Communion THIS year (sacrament prep. year 2), the following Saturday events are required:

Feb. 5, 2022 First Reconciliation Retreat (8:45am - 12noon)
March 5, 2022 First Reconciliation Service (10:00 am)
April 2, 2022 First Communion Retreat (8:45am - 12noon)
First Holy Communion dates to be determined.

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Optiona Parish Events your family may enjoy:

- **La Posada Dec. 1** - Beautiful Mexican tradition, a novena commemorating Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem (prayer, songs, snacks, pinatas)
- **Our Lady Of Guadalupe Feast Day Celebration Dec. 12**, Celebrate the apparitions of Our Lady in Mexico to St. Juan Diego. 11:00am Mass followed by a gathering in the Serra Center patio.
- **Christmas Concert Dec. 17**
- **Simbang Gabi Dec. 18** - Beautiful Filipino Novena Mass and traditional homemade Filipino meal (Yum!) celebrating Advent and the Blessed Mother