Faith on Fire Formation Guide 2023-2024

Faith on Fire 2023-2024	Early Childhood (Enrichment Options for Early Learners)			Grades 1-8-Formal Formation If eldest child is in first grade or your children had catechesis last year at St. Max, Catholic School or Home school.		Missing Formal Formation? If your children, grade 2 and up missed catechesis last year.	Grade 6-8 Jr. High Youth Group (Enrichment)	High School Youth Group (Enrichment)
Program Name	Mighty Max 18 months – Pre-Kindergarten	Fuel Family Home Study 3s, 4s, Kindergarten	Faith on Fire Family Gatherings 3s, 4s, Kindergarten	Fuel Family Home Study **See bottom of this column for additional Sacrament info.	Faith on Fire Family Gatherings ***See Bottom of this column for additional Sacrament info.	Spark	Ignite	Ablaze
Setting Time, place, frequency	In-Person Gatherings Weekly-Parent and child M, T, Th. (10-11 AM) Begins week of Sept. 11	Family Home Study Weekly lessons in the home with family. Pick up materials weekend of 9/16-9/17.	In-Person Family Gatherings Children with catechist/parent. Bi-weekly on Sundays (4:30-6:00) or Mondays (6:00-7:30) Kick-off: 9/17 and 9/18	Family Home Study Weekly lessons in the home with family. Pick up materials weekend of 9/16-9/17.	In-Person Family Gatherings Children with catechist/parent. Bi-weekly on Sundays (4:30-6:00) or Mondays (6:00-7:30) Kick-off: 9/17 and 9/18	Blended Learning Weekly lessons in the home and attend in person Family Gatherings. Family Gatherings: Sundays (4:30-6:00) or Mondays (6:00-7:30) Kick-off: 9/17 and 9/18	In-person Meetings Bi-weekly on Sundays from 4:30-6:00. Kick-off: 9/24/23	In-person Meetings Weekly on Sundays from 7:00-9:00 pm. Kick-off: 8/27/23
Formation Focus/Goals Approaches to deepen relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church.	Parent/child interaction through activity, craft, story. Themes are connected to Faith.	Family Faith Discussions by exploring Gospel/Catechism. Equipping parents to pass on Faith/witness.	Children will explore Gospel/Catechism with peers/catechists/family. Parent focus is on relationship/prayer/ equipping parents to pass on Faith/witness. Families will engage in activities related to the Catechism/Catholic tradition.	Family Faith Discussions by exploring Gospel/Catechism. Equipping parents to pass on Faith/witness. **Grades 2, 7, and 8 home study lessons will focus on the Sacraments.	Children will explore Gospel/Catechism with peers/catechists/family. Parent will focus on relationship/ prayer/equipping parents to pass on Faith/witness. Families will engage in activities related to Catholic tradition. ***Additional home study lessons for grades 2, 7, and 8 focusing on Sacraments.	Family Faith Discussions by exploring Salvation History/Catechism. Equipping parents to pass on Faith/witness. Children will explore Gospel/Catechism with peers/catechists. Parent focus is on relationship/catechism/ prayer/equipping parents to pass on Faith/witness. Families will engage in activities related to the Catechism/Catholic tradition.	Team building activities, games, group prayer, and small group discussion on important topics related to our Faith/living in our world as Catholics.	Community building, growing together, challenging each other with sports, events like music nights and adoration nights/Small group discussion on various topics.