

Jesus, take what I have
and bless it so
others may be fed.

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

Religious Ed. Volunteer Registration Form
Classes are on Wednesdays 6:15-7:30pm

For Office Use Only
Interview _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Best Phone Contact: _____ home cell

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

email: _____

Sacraments Received: ___ Baptism ___ Reconciliation ___ Communion ___ Confirmation

Please give 3 dates/times (ex: weekdays after 5pm or Saturdays 9-12, etc.) to choose from to schedule a brief interview to discuss the best fit to share your gifts. I will contact you to set up a short meeting. Thank you for your cooperation.

VOLUNTEER POSITIONS- *See Volunteer Descriptions attached -*

___ Catechist*

___ Substitute Catechist*

___ Classroom Assistant

___ Sacramental Preparation *

___ Security

___ VBS

___ RCIC core team*

___ EDGE core team*

___ Christmas Pageant core team

___ General help (snacks, retreats, supervision at events, assist where needed, etc)

***Please complete separate catechist application on back**

Safe Environment

*All volunteers over the age of 18 are required to complete safe environment training.
Criminal background search must be completed through Archdiocese of San Antonio.
Training and background search will be offered at no cost.*

Date Completed

_____ Informed on Archdiocesan Policy on Sexual Misconduct

_____ Criminal Background Search (must be renewed every 3 years)

_____ Child Lures (must be renewed every 3 years)



Catechist Application

(to be completed by catechists, substitute catechists, RCIC and EDGE core teams)
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Name _____ Date _____

Grade/Program you wish to teach _____

How many years have you been a catechist? _____ What grades have you taught? _____

Are you certified through the Archdiocese? _____ If so, at what level are you certified? _____

If not, would you be interested to receive information on becoming certified? _____

What is your professional background? (Current and/or previous) _____

What is your highest level of education (HS, college, graduate school)? _____

Please list your unique gifts and talents. _____

In what other ministries are you currently involved? _____

Why do you want to be a catechist? _____



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Volunteer Descriptions for Religious Education Volunteers

Catechist (lessons guidelines are already prepared)

- Serve as regular teacher for selected grade for entire school year
- Must be fully initiated in Catholic faith
- Develop and present lesson plans—training is available
- Prepare classroom & arrive 15 minutes prior class session to receive students

Substitute Catechist (lessons guidelines are already prepared)

- Serve on as-needed basis when primary catechist is unavailable
- Must be fully initiated in Catholic faith
- Prepare classroom & arrive 15 minutes prior class session to receive students

Classroom Assistant

- Assist catechist in classroom during sessions
- Must have received sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Holy Communion
- Help prepare classroom & arrive 15 minutes prior class session

Sacramental Preparation (lessons guidelines are already prepared)

- Must be fully initiated in Catholic faith
- Develop & present lesson plans specific to sacramental preparation

RCIC: Rite of Christian Initiation for Children

- Must be fully initiated in Catholic faith
- Develop and present lesson plans with core team specific to sacramental preparation
- Prepare classroom & arrive 15 minutes prior class session to receive students
- Class times will be in conjunction with the RCIA classes on Sunday morning

EDGE core team (lessons guidelines are already prepared)

- Must be at least 18 years of age and fully initiated in Catholic faith
- Facilitate EDGE curriculum with core team
- Prepare classroom for activities and be willing to incorporate social activities

Security

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Monitors campus & hallways while classes are in session
- Help with dismissal and child pick-up

VBS: Vacation Bible School

- Must be fully initiated in Catholic faith
- Help to plan, coordinate, and facilitate the activities for the week

Christmas Pageant core team

- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Be willing to work with DRE to coordinate skit for Christmas Eve homily

For more information contact: Sr. Misty Garriga, CDP
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