# ST. JOSEPH'S FAITH FORMATION

#### St. Joseph Faith Formation Schedule 2017-18

K-2nd grade 8:30am Sunday Oct. 15th: Class

Oct. 22nd: NO Class Oct. 29th: Class Nov. 5th: Class

Grades 3rd-5th Wednesday Morning Release Time

Oct. 26th: 1st Class

6th-Confirmation 7:00pm Wednesdays Oct. 11th: NO Class Oct. 17th: NO Class

Oct. 25th: JHYM 6:30pm Nov. 1st: Class



### **6th grade- Confirmation Class Notes:**

Please note that there will not be any classes or youth ministry for the following 2 weeks due to homecoming and MEA weekend. The next class will be Wednesday, November 2nd at 7:00pm.

Confirmation Notes: Sunday, October 15th is the parent/sponsor meeting for Confirmation at 2:00pm. At least one parent needs to be present. Final letters to Bishop are to be turned in that day.

**Box of Joy!** We have 10 boxes yet to be claimed to be filled with items that will be given to a child this Christmas overseas. Please consider taking a box if you have not yet to bring joy to a child this Christmas. All boxes will need to be returned to the church by Sunday, October 29th. What a great project you can do as a family.

# **Baby Bottles for Life:**

Next Sunday, October 8th we will have available Baby Bottles for families to take home. You can take the bottles home and place in a spot that will remind your family to pray for a respect of life through the month of October. You will also be invited to fill the bottles during the month of October with money that will be given to FirstChoice clinic in Fargo. FirstChoice clinic is a pregnancy crisis center hat helps women to make life affirming choices. You can bring the bottle back to the parish at the end of the month. We will also have a bassinet full of diapers that will have an item listed on it that you can purchase for the FirstChoice clinic. If you would like more information about the clinic you can go to www.teamfirstchoice.com

### Sr. High Diocesan Youth Rally:

Join us on Sunday, October 29th for he Diocese of Crookston Senior High Youth Rally at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Detroit Lakes, MN from 1:30pm-8:00pm. This year's theme is "The Lord Is My Strength". Rally highlights will include Keynote talk featuring Kris Frank, praise and worship, reconciliation, mass, Adoration and activities! This is for anyone in grades 9-12. Please contact Terry for more details.

#### AGASSIZ VALLEY TEC XLT:

On Sunday, October 22nd you are invited to attend an afternoon of Praise & Worship at St. Andrew's in Hawley, MN hosted by the AVTEC community starting at 2:00pm. Whether you have attended a TEC retreat or not you are encouraged to come! If you would like more information or interested in attending please contact Terry.

**Cursillo:** What a great time of year to take care of your spiritual health! **Cursillo** is pronounced KER-SEE -O meaning - short course in Christianity. Weekends are being offered this fall and next spring at Sand Hill Bible Camp, just south of Fosston. The weekends include quiet time, inspirational talks, and most importantly, time to be with Jesus without the many distractions of daily life. Grow closer to Jesus by taking the time to join us. HE will bless your sacrifice of time for HIM. The weekend starts Thursday evening and ends Sunday afternoon. The Women's will be October 26-29. Contact Carol Olsonawski (218-689-9081) or Bobbi Mercil (701-866-5706) for more information. Applications can be printed at <u>crookstoncursillo.weebly.com</u> or picked up at your parish office.