

**HOLY SPIRIT PARISH FAITH FORMATION**  
**ELEMENTARY & JUNIOR HIGH PSR**  
**2016-2017 CALENDAR**

All grades Pre-K through 8 meet Sunday mornings at 9:45- 10:45 a.m.  
at Uniontown Elementary School (*unless otherwise noted below*).

**2016**

- September**    **11** -    **PSR Classes begin.** Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. (At Uniontown Elementary School).  
                         **18** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **25** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
- October**        **1** -    **Journey to Eucharist Session (First Communion Families)**  
                         **2** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **9** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **16** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **23** -    **PSR Parish Mission: Praying Through Art** w/ Ursuline College Professor Sr. Diane Pinchot,  
                         *All PSR grades/families. (6-8p.m. at the church)*  
                         **30** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
- November**     **5** -    **\*\* Children's Fall Reconciliation Service (3:00 p.m. at the church)**  
                         **6** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. (**PSR Service Outreach:** Used  
                         coats and canned food drive begins and runs throughout the month)  
                         **13** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **20** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **27** -    **No** Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes (**Thanksgiving**)
- December**     **4** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **11** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **18** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **25** -    **No** Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. (**Christmas**)

**2017**

- January**        **1** -    **No** Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. (**New Year**)  
                         **8** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **15** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **28** -    **First Reconciliation**  
                         **22** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **29** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
- February**      **5** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **12** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **19** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.  
                         **26** -    Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.

(Over)

2017

- March**
- 5 - Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. (7<sup>th</sup> grade class to meet at the church)
  - 12 - Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
  - 10 - \* **Living Stations of the Cross. (Led by High School and 7<sup>th</sup> grade at the church).**
  - 17 - \* **The Way of the Cross (8<sup>th</sup> grade class at the church)**
  - 18 - \*\* **Children's Lenten Reconciliation Service for All Grades. (3:00 p.m. at the church)**
  - 19 - Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. *Remember Daylight Savings Time!*
  - 26 - Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
- April**
- 2 - Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
  - 7 - \* **Stations of the Cross for Children 7pm. All grades. (Led by 3<sup>rd</sup> grade).**
  - 9 - Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes.
  - 16 - **No Elementary & Junior High PSR Classes. (Easter)**
  - 23 - \*\*\* Elem. & Junior High PSR Classes.  
(2<sup>nd</sup> grade students to meet at the church; T-shirts)  
(5<sup>th</sup> grade students and parents to meet at the church; *The Mass* with Fr. John)  
(8<sup>th</sup> grade to meet at church with High School Classes for remainder of the year.)
  - 29 - **Friendship Day & Parent Retreat (First Communicants & Parents)**
  - 30 - Elem. & Junior High PSR Classes. (8<sup>th</sup> grade to meet at church.)
- May**
- 7 - Elem. & Junior High PSR Classes. (8<sup>th</sup> grade to meet at church.)
  - 20 & 21 - **First Communion**
- June**
- 26-30 - **Vacation Bible School, theme undecided.**  
(Registration forms to be mailed home late spring.)

**Notes:** Grade 2 – A separate calendar for First Reconciliation and Communion preparation will be provided.

\* Grades 3, 7 & 8 - Stations of the Cross will be led by the respective class and are part of the PSR curriculum. They will be Friday evenings throughout Lent. Exact time will be announced closer to the date. *Attendance is required. See above calendar for specific grade/date.*

\*\* Grade 4 and 6 – Fourth and sixth grades will be studying the sacraments of healing as part of each grades curriculum. They are also required to attend the Children's Reconciliation Service as listed below to reinforce their understanding and enrich their faith experience. *Attendance is required.*

- Grade 4 - Fall Children's Reconciliation Service on **November 5<sup>th</sup>**.
- Grade 6 - Lenten Children's Reconciliation Service on **March 18<sup>th</sup>**.

\*\*\* Grade 5 students along with their parents will participate in a special class about the Mass with Fr. John and Deacon Mike on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. *Attendance is required.*

