

RCIA CLASS  
2010/2011

Welcome

RCIA Class will meet every Monday evening in Columbus Hall. The class will start at 6:30p.m. and end at 8:00p.m.

The book we will use is called "Path through Catholicism", you will be required to read the assignment before coming to class. A class schedule is attached and if you cannot attend due to other commitments please call Deacon Cecil or any of the team members and let us know and we can get you the materials that we went over for that week.

We hopefully will have a web site for you to check and see what is going on in your class. Our web site is [www.elkonv.com/~stjoech/web/](http://www.elkonv.com/~stjoech/web/) and when this comes up it will have a special page for R.C.I.A. class. Hopefully I will post every week what we are doing and if you miss a class you will be able to get the information at this web site.

A fee of \$35.00 for the materials would be greatly appreciated. You will be receiving several books besides the class book "Path through Catholicism".

A sponsor to help you on your faith journey should be picked as soon as your class starts in September. This is really important to have someone whom you could speak and talk with about your classes. Having someone who can guide and help you is truly a gift. Choose wisely and if you do not know anyone in Elko, please see the Deacon.

Each week our class will start

6:30 Opening Prayer

6:30 Meditation

6:40 Next Sundays Readings

6:50 Reflection on the Readings/Saints of the week

7:00 Lesson from Book

7:20: Break

7:30 Guest Speaker

7:45 Questions

7:50 Closing Prayer/ 8:00 Class Dismissed

Books: Path Thru Catholicism, Catechism of the Catholic Church, Bible & for the team  
RCIA Catechist's Manual

<b>Class Schedule</b>	<b>Speakers and Teachers</b>	
September 13	Welcome/Intro to Using the Missal/Mass	Deacon
September 20	Faith (Chapter 2) /Doctrine of the Incarnation Church Bulletin/Intro to the Catechism	Deacon
September 27	Tradition and Scripture (Chapter 2) Using the Bible/ bible charts	Team
October 4	Explanation of Rites of Christian Initiation and the Importance of picking a sponsor Signs and Symbols of our Catholic Faith Angels (Manual)	Deacon
October 11	Hebrew Scriptures (Chapter 3) (Ten Commandments) Doctrine of the Immaculate Conception	Team
October 18	Christian Scriptures (Chapter 4) (Beatitudes/Parables)	Team
October 25	Church (Chapter 8) Church Tour/Vestments/Liturgical Colors All Saints/All Souls Tree/ 4 Marks of the church	Team
November 1	Sacraments	Deacon
November 8	Eucharist (Chapter 12)	Priest
<b><u>November 13</u></b>	<b>Retreat for RCIA Participants</b>	<b>Saturday (9:00 to 2:30)</b>
November 15	Afterlife (Chapter 9) Last Four Things (Manual)	
November 22	Our Father/Advent/Liturgical Calendar	
November 29	Personal Prayer (Chapter 10) Catholic Celebrations	
December 6	Trinity (c 5,4,7)	Deacon

December 13      Baptism (Chapter 11)

**Christmas Break until after January 1 –classes resume on January 3, 2011**

January 3	Conscience/ Morals (Chapters 17, 18, 19)	Deacon
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January 10	Morality	Deacon
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January 17	Sacrament of Penance (Chapter 13)	Priest
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January 24 Catholic Social Justice Team

January 31	TBA
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February 7 Holy Orders (Chapter 16) Priest

February 14	Marriage (Chapter 15)	Team
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February 21	Anointing of the Sick	Priest
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February 28 TBA

March 7	Stations of the Cross/Lent	Team
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**March 9** **Ash Wednesday**

<b>March 13</b>	<b>Rite of Enrollment</b>	<b>8:00am Mass</b>
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March 14	Saints/Mary	Team
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March 21	TBA
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**March 27**      **1<sup>st</sup> Scrutiny/Presentation of the Creed**      **5:00pm Mass**  
will present Nicene/Apostles Creed.

March 28	The Two Greatest Commandments (Manual)	TBA
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**April 3                                      2nd Scrutiny                                      10:00am Mass**

April 4 TBA

**TBA Penitential Service**

**April 10**      **3<sup>rd</sup> Scrutiny/Presentation of Lord's Prayer 8:00am Mass**  
will present the Lord's Prayer

<b>April 11</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Confession/novena</b>	<b>Team/Priest</b>
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<b>April 17</b>	<b>Palm Sunday</b>	
<b>April 18</b>	<b>Rehearsal for Easter Vigil</b>	<b>Team</b>
	Last words of Christ /Questions	
<b>April 21</b>	<b>Holy Thursday</b>	
<b>April 22</b>	<b>Good Friday</b>	
<b>April 23</b>	<b>Easter Vigil/Pot Luck</b> (following vigil)	
<b>April 24</b>	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	

Mystegogy: The four weeks after the Easter celebration is also a part of our faith formation. These classes are important to help you to continue your faith journey.

May 2	Remembering	Team
May 9	Ascension/ Pentecost	Team
May 16	Becoming part of the Community of St. Josephs. Service	Team
May 23	TBA	Team

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