

ST. MARY'S VISITATION

Catholic Parish  Elm Grove, WI

April 15, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Preparation for the Sacraments of 1st Reconciliation and 1st Eucharist is an exciting time for the children, their families, as well as for the parish! Children 7 -8 years old, who are members of SMV parish, are invited to prepare for these Sacraments by registering via SMV's web site, www.stmaryeg.org starting **May 1st**.

Please send the completed registration form, a copy of your child's baptismal certificate (if not baptized at SMV) and a check for \$55 to the parish office no later than August 30th. Family seating for 1st Eucharist is assigned by the order in which we receive your registration form. The parish office mail slot is available 24x7. Office hours are Monday-Thursday, 8:30 AM-4:00 PM and Friday, 8:30 AM- noon.

Please join Father Peter Berger and I on **Sunday, September 8, 2019 at 10:00 AM** in the parish Senior Center for a parent Sacrament preparation meeting. The main purpose of this meeting is to present foundational catechesis of the Sacraments, give an overview of the program events and respond to your questions about the year ahead. A packet of information with your registered child's name should be picked up as you enter the Senior Center.

<i>Event</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>
<i>Parent Meeting</i>	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>September 8th</i>	<i>10:00 AM-10:40 AM</i>	<i>senior center</i>
<i>1st Reconciliation Rehearsal</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>January 8th</i>	<i>7:00 PM</i>	<i>church</i>
<i>1st Reconciliation</i>	<i>Saturday</i>	<i>January 11th</i>	<i>10:00 AM -11:00 AM</i>	<i>church</i>
<i>Bread of Life Day</i> <i>Optional chalice painting</i>	<i>Saturday</i>	<i>February 22nd</i>	<i>10:00 AM – 11:30 AM</i> <i>11:30 AM-noon</i>	<i>church</i> <i>school cafeteria</i>
<i>1st Eucharist Rehearsal</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>April 29th</i>	<i>7:00 PM</i>	<i>church</i>
<i>1st Eucharist</i>	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>May 3rd</i>	<i>1:30 PM</i>	<i>church</i>

We look forward to seeing you on September 8th and may Christ's peace be with you and your family.

Sincerely,

*Father Peter Berger &
Elizabeth Harrison*