

**Our Lady of the Valley Parish
First Holy Communion Preparation
~ Religious Education Year 2026-27 Calendar ~**

- ✠ **First Holy Communion Preparation Informational Meeting:**
 - Thursday, August 27, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **General Religious Education Class Session 1:**
 - Thursday, September 3, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 1 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, September 17, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **General Religious Education Class Session 2:**
 - Thursday, October 1, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 2 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, October 15, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **General Religious Education Class Session 3:**
 - Thursday, November 5, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 3 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, November 19, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **General Religious Education Class Session 4:**
 - Thursday, December 3, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Thursday, December 10, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 4 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, December 17, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Friday, December 18, 2026
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **General Religious Education Holy Mass and Class Session 5:**
 - Thursday, January 7, 2027
 - Holy Mass: 6:00 p.m., church
 - Class: 6:30 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Thursday, January 14, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 5 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, January 21, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Thursday, January 28, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- ✠ **General Religious Education Class Session 6:**
 - Thursday, February 4, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Thursday, February 11, 2027

- 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- † **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 6 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, February 18, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Thursday, February 25, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- † **General Religious Education Class Session 7:**
 - Thursday, March 4, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Thursday, March 11, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- † **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 7 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, March 18, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
 - Snow date: Tuesday, March 23, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- † **General Religious Education Class Session 8:**
 - Thursday, April 1, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- † **First Holy Communion Preparation Class Session 8 (Children of Mary Sodality):**
 - Thursday, April 15, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., parish hall
- † **First Holy Communion Retreat:**
 - Saturday, April 17, 2027
 - 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- † **First Confession for First Holy Communion students:**
 - Thursday, April 22, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., church
- † **First Holy Communion Mass Rehearsal:**
 - Thursday, April 29, 2027
 - 6:00 p.m., church
- † **Mass of First Holy Communion:**
 - Saturday, May 8, 2027
 - 11:00 a.m., church
 - Reception: 12:00 p.m., parish hall