

St Joseph's Catholic Church Oatley **Proposed dates for Sacramental Program 2022**

This program assumes COVID restrictions will not be in place for 2022

Confirmation* (Year 6 & above) Term 2

** This program is for children who missed out on Confirmation in 2021, and any in year 6 or above this year who are eligible for Confirmation. Priority will be given to parishioners of St Joseph's Oatley.*

NOTE: *Confirmande will be prepared with the parish however, the Mass for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be held at St Mary's Cathedral on 7 August 2022, together with children from other parishes. Details to be confirmed.*

Information Night: Thursday 28 April 7.30pm via ZOOM

Preparation Classes: (Maximum 25 candidates per group)

Group 1: Saturday 3.00 - 4.45pm	14 May & 21 May & 28 May & 4 June
Group 2: Sunday 8.00 – 9.45am	15 May & 22 May & 29 May & 5 June
Group 3: Monday 6.00 – 7.45pm	16 May & 23 May & 30 May & 6 June

Children are expected to attend Mass every week as part of their preparation. Available Masses are Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8am or 10am. If your family regularly attend Mass at another parish this is also acceptable.

APPLICATIONS NOW CLOSED

Reconciliation 2021 Catchup* (Year 3 & above) Term 3

**This program is only for children who missed out on Reconciliation in 2021. Children in year 2, who are eligible for reconciliation this year will need to wait until Term 4. Priority will be given to parishioners of St Joseph's Oatley.*

Information night: Thursday 21 July 7.30pm via ZOOM

Preparation Classes: (Maximum 25 candidates per group)

Group 1: Saturday 3.30-4.45pm	30 Jul & 6 Aug & 13 Aug
Group 2: Sunday 8.30-9.45am	31 Jul & 7 Aug & 14 Aug

Children are expected to attend Mass every week as part of their preparation. Available Masses are Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8am or 10am.

Liturgy: Thursday 18 August 6-7pm

Sacrament: Saturday 20 August half hourly from 9am-12noon

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First Holy Communion 2022* (Year 3 & above) Term 3

**This program will follow on directly from the Reconciliation 2021 Catchup program. Any candidate eligible to receive Communion is welcome to participate. Priority will be given to parishioners of St Joseph's Oatley.*

Information night: Thursday 25 August 7.30pm via ZOOM

Preparation Classes: (Maximum 25 candidates per group)

Group 1: Saturday 3.30-6pm (includes Mass)	3 Sept & 10 Sept & 17 Sept
Group 2: Sunday 8.30-11am (includes Mass)	4 Sept & 11 Sept & 18 Sept

Children are expected to attend Mass every week as part of their preparation. Available Masses are Saturday 5pm, Sunday 10am.

Sacrament of First Holy Communion: (Maximum 24 candidates per Mass)

Mass: Saturday 24 Sept 1.00pm	Practice: Thursday 22 Sept 4.30pm
Mass: Sunday 25 Sept 1.00pm	Practice: Thursday 22 Sept 6.00pm

APPLICATIONS NOW CLOSED

Reconciliation* (Year 2 & above) Term 4

** This program is for children in year 2 and above who are eligible to receive Reconciliation. Priority will be given to parishioners of St Joseph's Oatley.*

Information night: Thursday 27 October 7.30pm via ZOOM

Preparation Classes: (Maximum 20 candidates per group)

Group 1: Saturday 3.30-6pm (includes Mass)	5 Nov & 12 Nov & 19 Nov
Group 2: Sunday 8.30-11am (includes Mass)	6 Nov & 13 Nov & 20 Nov

Children are expected to attend Mass every week as part of their preparation. Available Masses are Saturday 5pm, Sunday 10am.

Liturgy: Thursday 24 November 7 – 8 pm

Sacrament: Saturday 26 November half hourly from 9am-12noon

APPLICATIONS OPEN 12 SEPT – 14 OCT 2022

Information letters and application forms will be handed to students prior to each program and will be available to download via our parish website as each program opens. If you have any questions regarding the program, please email our Sacramental Coordinator, Sandra Green sacraments.oatleycc@gmail.com