

## St. Lawrence Martyr Parish

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## **Re: Sacraments of First Reconciliation and Holy Communion**

"I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst." - John 6:35

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Grade two marks a special year in the faith life of your child. It is during this year that they will prepare to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion. These sacraments certainly mark not only a key milestone moment in your children's faith growth and development, but they also highlight the important role that the school and faith community play in that journey.

As part of your parish community, we are especially pleased to walk with you this year. Once again we joyfully embrace the task of helping your child/children prepare for the reception of these important sacraments. Our focus is simple: to witness our own love for Jesus Christ so that, in turn, our children may also have equal confidence in experiencing and loving him. Through our collective efforts - our schools, families and parish community - we aim to provide a well-balanced program that will lead our children into a deeper understanding of the mysteries in which we profess and live.

We look forward to seeing you at <u>ONE</u> of our "Registration and Information" meetings on Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm or Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am. This package includes: a First Reconciliation and Holy Communion Registration Form and a Sacramental Program Calendar. All your questions concerning your child's sacramental program will be addressed during this meeting.

Please be assured that the prayers of our parish community will be with you throughout this coming year. May God's blessings be upon you and your family!

Pax Christi,

Rev. Ai

Fr. Thomas Lim Pastor