

RCIA Program at St. Pius X Parish

The Basic Information

RCIA (the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the current process by which the Roman Catholic Church educates adults in the faith. These were formerly called “convert classes.” While many people who participate in the RCIA do become Catholic, others just want to know more about the Catholic faith. Occasionally, even lifelong Catholics decide that a little refresher course is helpful.

To briefly summarize the program at St. Pius X:

- Who:** Interested parties, called Inquirers
Parish Team Members/Clergy
Parish at large (we use a lot of volunteers)
- What:** Basics of the Catholic Faith
Can lead to becoming a member of the Catholic Church, if one so desires.
Introduction to the prayer life of St. Pius X Parish
- Where:** St. Pius X
Parish Meeting Room # 1
- When:** Thursday evenings beginning September 15, 2011
6:30pm – 8:00pm
- Why:** To become familiar with how Catholics are to live their faith.
To learn current teachings of the Church.
- How:** Main text is the Scripture and Catechism of the Catholic Church
Various other readings
Evangelium - Power Point Presentations

For more specific information or to schedule a time to fill out the initial paperwork please contact the Director of Religious Education: Christine Newman at 341-4900, ext 113 or you can e-mail questions to the Office at Cnewman@stpiusx.com.