

**St. Patrick Parish**  
**Lawrence, MA**  
 Religious Education Program 2020-2021

## Catholics Celebrate the Sacraments

### Family Activities for the Week

1. Place this page in a visible place. For instance, your refrigerator, the door at the entrance of your child/children's room, or the living room.
2. Do these activities at least once this week and do them as a family: adults and children together.
3. Say together the following prayers at least once a day: 1) Our Father, 2) Hail Mary, 3) Glory Be  
*Advice: Say these prayers together at the same time of the day every day. Many families say them together before going to bed. Try it!*

### 1. Let us pray for people who are preparing to receive the sacraments

Many people of all ages in our parish are preparing to receive the sacraments. Some may be in your own home! As members of the same community of faith, we have a responsibility to pray for one another as we prepare to receive God's grace through the sacraments. Gather as a family and say the following prayer:

*Leader:* Let us pray for all people in our parish and in the world who are preparing to receive the sacraments. That they be true disciples of Jesus Christ.

*All respond:* We pray to the Lord!

### 2. Remember when we received the sacraments

Meet as a family and search for available pictures of family members at moments when they received the sacraments: Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, etc. If the pictures are printed, display them on a small table in the living room of your home. You can print a few of them to do this on the table or a wall. If you only have digital pictures, then create a short presentation with several pictures. Visit the display or the presentation as a family and talk about those moments.

### 3. Remember to go to Mass on Sunday (10:00 am in English or 11:30 am in Spanish)