



Symbolon: The Catholic Faith Explained

2019

How can I enrich and better understand my faith? That's the burning question on the hearts of Catholics the world over. That's why there's Symbolon. In the early Church, Christians described their Creed, their statement of faith, as the Symbolon, the seal or "symbol of the faith". In ten video sessions, the Symbolon program walks through the entirety of the Catholic Faith – everything the participants need to know to live as faithful Catholics. Participants will grow together in their knowledge of the Catholic faith and in relationship with our Lord. Journeying deeper into the core teachings of the Catholic Church, our lives are transformed by God's truth and grace.

The 10 topics for this calendar year are:

1) The Sacraments:

Monday, Jan. 14, 7:00-8:30 pm Eymard Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Jan. 17, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC).

2) The Eucharist:

Monday, Feb. 4, 7:00-8:30 pm Eymard Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Feb. 7, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC).

3) Walk Through the Mass:

Monday, Mar. 11, 7:00-8:30 pm Eymard Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Mar. 14, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC).

4) Penance & The Anointing of the Sick:

Monday, Apr. 8, 7:00-8:30 pm Eymard Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Apr. 11, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC).

5) Matrimony & Holy Orders:

Monday, May 6, 7:00-8:30 pm Kazel Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, May 9, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC).

6) A Catholic Moral Vision:

Monday, June 10, 7:00-8:30 pm Kazel Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, June 13, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC).

7) A Love That Lasts - Part 1:

Monday, Sept. 9, 7:00-8:30 pm Kazel Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Sept. 12, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC)

8) A Love That Lasts - Part 2:

Monday, Oct. 7, 7:00-8:30 pm Kazel Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Oct. 10, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC)

9) Catholic Social Teaching - Part 1:

Monday, Nov. 4, 7:00-8:30 pm Kazel Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Nov. 7, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC)

10) Catholic Social Teaching - Part 2:

Monday, Dec. 9, 7:00-8:30 pm Kazel Rm. (SPB),
Thursday, Dec. 12, 12:30-2:00 pm Harvest Rm. (CSC)

Why Should I Participate?

*If you want your faith to become so much more than following a set of teachings or customs...
to enliven and transform your life with God's truth and grace.*

*If you want to learn more about Church, Scripture, history, the sacraments or living a life of faith...
to deepen your understanding of your faith.*

*If you have belonged to an ARISE or a JOURNEY Group...
to continue to grow in the faith through study, discussion, prayer and service.*

*If you have belonged to a Bible Study Group...
to explore the profound connections between the Scripture and Catholic Church teachings.*

*If you want to prepare for a meaningful Lent or Advent...
to enhance your efforts for ongoing conversion.*

*If you are a parent and have a child preparing for Baptism, First Communion, or Confirmation...
to help you fulfill your role as the first educator of your child.*

How do I become involved?

The program will be held on a Monday evening once a month at Saint Paschal and on Thursday afternoon of the same week at the Church of Saint Clare. There is no registration fee, so please just come to become part of this new and exciting adult faith formation program.

**If you have any questions or would like further information, call
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