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INFORMATION FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

Enrolling your child for the Sacramental Programme at St Benedict's Parish Applecross

Dear Parents/Guardians please take the time to read through this information sheet before enrolling your child in the St Benedict's Parish Sacramental Programme for 2026.

Requirements for the preparation for each of the Sacraments:

Reconciliation	Eucharist	Confirmation
• Baptized in the Catholic Church • Year 3 or above • Attend all preparatory classes at the parish or catholic school • Attend Parent only Theology night • Attend Commitment Mass • Attend the Parent- Child workshop	• Baptized in the Catholic Church • Year 4 or above • Received the Sacrament of First Reconciliation • Attend all preparatory classes at the parish or Catholic School • Attend Parent only Theology night • Attend Commitment Mass • Attend the Parent-child workshop • Attend the Rehearsal	• Baptized in the Catholic Church • Year 6 or above • Received the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Holy Communion • Attend all preparatory classes at the parish or Catholic school • Attend Parent only Theology night • Attend Commitment Mass • Attend the Parent-child Workshop • Attend the Rehearsal

If your child is not baptised in the Catholic church or is baptised in other Christian churches (for example, the Anglican church) and you would like them to receive the sacraments you will need to arrange a meeting with Father Nelson prior to enrolling your child by calling the parish office on 08 9364 1120..

Steps to enrol your child for the Sacrament.

1. Download the enrolment form from the St Benedict's Parish website.
   www.stbenedicts.net.au
   Click on About us (Top Panel)
   Click on Sacraments
   Click on relevant Sacrament Form

2. Complete the form along and return to the Parish Office by **Friday 13th of March**.
   A copy of the Baptism certificate is only required for children making the Sacrament of Reconciliation/or if the child has made their Reconciliation or Eucharist in another parish.

3. Make the payment via direct debit into the Parish bank account the details are on the enrolment form. It is extremely important to state your child's name and Sacrament when making the payment.

ONCE ALL FORMS HAVE BEEN PROCESSED, AN EMAIL WILL BE SENT TO ALL ENROLLED FAMILIES WITH FURTHER INFORMATION AND IMPORTANT DATES AND PROCEDURES FOR THE RELEVANT SACRAMENT.