

## 2026 OCIA Schedule

OCIA Sessions – Mondays, 6:30-8:00 PM, Rooms 5 & 6

| Class | Date      | Topic                                       | USCCA Chapter  | Notes  |
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|       | 3/2/2026  | Introductions                               |  |  |
| 1.    | 3/9/2026  | The Human Quest for God                     | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 1  | Basic Theology Framework   |
| 2.    | 3/16/2026 | God Comes to Meet Us – Revelation           | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 2  | Basic Theology Framework   |
| 3.    | 3/23/2026 | Divine Revelation: Scripture & Tradition    | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 3  | Bible Overview   |
| 4.    | 3/30/2026 | Faith as the Response to God's Revelation   | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 4<br><b>Bible:</b> Ps. 130; Hebrews 11-12;<br>Romans 3:21, 10:10, 16:26<br><b>CCC:</b> 142-184                               | "I believe"  |
| 5.    | 4/13/2026 | I Believe in God                            | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 5<br><b>Bible:</b> Ps. 8; 1 Jn. 4:7-12<br><b>CCC:</b> 199-349  | "in one God,<br>the Father almighty,<br>maker of heaven and earth,<br>of all things visible and<br>invisible."                                       |
| 6.    | 4/20/2026 | The Good News: God Has Sent His Son         | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 7<br><b>Bible:</b> Jn. 1:14, 16; Jn 20:26-29; 1 Jn.<br>1:1-4; Phil. 2:5-8; Gal. 4:4-5; Heb.<br>10:5-7<br><b>CCC:</b> 422-682 | "I believe in one Lord Jesus<br>Christ...through him all<br>things were made."   |
| 7.    | 4/27/2026 | Man & Woman in the Beginning                | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 6<br><b>Bible:</b> Gen. 1:1-2, 27-28, 2:18-24, 3<br><b>CCC:</b> 279-324, 385-421   | "For us men and for our<br>salvation he came down from<br>heaven, and by the Holy<br>Spirit was incarnate of the<br>Virgin Mary,<br>and became man." |
| 8.    | 5/4/2026  | The Saving Death and Resurrection of Christ | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 8<br><b>Bible:</b> Is 53:1-12; Mt. 16:21-23; Mt.<br>17:22-23; Lk. 9:23; 1 Jn. 4:9<br><b>CCC:</b> 571-664                     | "For our sake he was<br>crucified...and his kingdom<br>will have no end."  |
| 9.    | 5/11/2026 | Receive the Holy Spirit                     | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 9<br><b>Bible:</b> Is. 11:1-2; Jn. 6:13, 14:16, 26;<br>Gal. 3:14; Rom. 8:15; Acts 2:1-4<br><b>CCC:</b> 683-747               | "I believe in the Holy<br>Spirit...who has spoken<br>through the prophets."  |

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| 10. | 5/18/2026        | The Church: Reflecting the Light of Christ       | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 10<br><b>Bible:</b> Acts 2:43-47; Mt. 16:18; Jn. 17:21; Eph. 4:3-5<br><b>CCC:</b> 784-975  | “I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.... and the life of the world to come.” Amen. |
|     | <b>TBD</b>       | <b>Rite of Welcoming</b>                         |  |  |
|     | <b>5/25/2026</b> | <b>Skip Week: Memorial Day</b>                   |  |  |
| 11. | 6/8/2026         | The Four Marks of the Church                     | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 11<br><b>Bible:</b> Acts 2:43-47; Mt. 16:18; Jn. 17:21; Eph. 4:3-5<br><b>CCC:</b> 811-870  |  |
| 12. | 6/15/2026        | Mary: The Church’s First and Most Perfect Member | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 12<br><b>Bible:</b> Lk. 1:26-38; Lk. 1:46-55; Mt. 1:18-25; Jn. 16:14-15, 19:26-27; 1 Cor. 1:17; Heb. 3:6<br><b>CCC:</b> 484-511; 963-975 |  |
| 13. | 6/22/2026        | Last Things: Our Eternal Destiny                 | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 13<br><b>Bible:</b> Jn 5:21-29; 1 Cor. 2:9-10; Rom. 8:19-23; 1 Tim. 2:4; 2 Thes 1:5-10<br><b>CCC:</b> 988-1065                           |  |
| 14. | 6/29/2026        | Celebration of the Liturgy in the Sacraments     | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 14<br><b>Bible:</b> Lk. 24:13-49; Eph. 1:3-6; Jn. 6:32, 20:21-23; 1 Pet. 3:21<br><b>CCC:</b> 1076-1209                                   |  |
| 15. | 7/6/2026         | Baptism: Becoming a Christian                    | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 15<br><b>Bible:</b> Mt. 3:13-17; Jn. 3:5; Rom. 6:1-11<br><b>CCC:</b> 1210-1284   |  |
| 16. | 7/13//2026       | Confirmation: Consecrated for Mission            | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 16<br><b>Bible:</b> Acts 2:1-12; Jn. 20:22; Joel 3:1; Acts 10:38   |  |

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|     |           |  | <b>CCC:</b> 1285-1321   |  |
| 17. | 7/20/2026 | The Eucharist: Source and Summit               | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 17<br><b>Bible:</b> Ps. 104; Mt. 26:17-29; Mk. 14:12-25; Lk. 22:14-20; Jn. 6; Jn. 13:1-17, 34-35; 1 Cor. 11:23-26; Acts 2:42-46, 20:7<br><b>CCC:</b> 1322-1419    |  |
| 18. | 7/27/2026 | Sacraments of Healing                          | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapters 18-19<br><b>Bible:</b> Ps. 130; Ps. 51; Mk. 1:15; Mk. 2:1-12; Lk. 7:48; Lk. 15:11-12; Jn. 20:19, 22-23; Ps. 23; Jas. 5:14-15<br><b>CCC:</b> 1420-1498, 1499-1532 |  |
| 19. | 8/3/2026  | Sacrament of Marriage                          | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 21<br><b>Bible:</b> Gen. 1:27-28; Gen. 2:18-25; Song 8:6-7; Hos. 2:21; Mt. 19:3-6; Mk. 10:9; Jn. 2:1-11; 1 Cor. 7:10-11; Eph. 5:25-32<br><b>CCC:</b> 1601-1666    |  |
| 20. | 8/10/2026 | Sacrament of Holy Orders                       | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 20<br><b>Bible:</b> Mt. 19:12; Jn. 20:22-23; Heb. 5:10; Heb. 6:20; Heb. 7:26; Heb. 10:14; Acts 1:8; Acts 2:4; 1 Tim. 4:14; 2 Tim. 1:6-7<br><b>CCC:</b> 1536-1600  |  |
| 21. | 8/17/2026 | God Calls to Us Pray – Foundations of Prayer   | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 35<br><b>Bible:</b> Ps. 130; Ex. 33:11; 1 Sam. 3:9-10; 1 Thess. 5:17; Rom. 8:26<br><b>CCC:</b> 2558-2758  |  |
| 24. | 8/24/2026 | Life in Christ – Foundations of the Moral Life | <b>USCCA:</b> Chapter 23<br><b>Bible:</b> Mt. 5:3-12; Mt. 9:17; Mt. 19:16-22; Mt. 22:37-39; Rom. 2:1-32; Rom. 2:14-16; Rom. 6:11; Rom.  |  |

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|     |                  |  | 12:15; 1 Cor. 12-13; Col. 3-4; Eph. 4-5; Gal. 5:22-23<br>CCC: 1691-2082  |  |
| 25. | 8/31/2026        | Life in Christ – Principles of the Moral Life/Social Justice | USCCA: Chapter 24<br>Bible: Ps. 139; Jer. 1:5; Ex. 20:13; Deut. 5:17; Mt. 5:43-44; Mt. 6:33; Mt. 25:40; Gal. 3:28; Eph. 2:14<br>CCC: 1691-2082 |  |
|     | <b>9/7/2026</b>  | <b>Skip Week: Labor Day</b>                                  |  |  |
| 26. | 9/14/2026        | Ten Commandments: 1-3  | USCCA: Chapters 25, 26, 27<br>Bible: Ps. 77, Deut. 5:6; 6:5; Ex. 3:14; Jn. 8:58; Jas. 3:2-12; Ex. 20:8-11<br>CCC: 2083-2195                    |  |
| 27. | 9/21/2026        | Ten Commandments: 4-6  | USCCA: Chapters 28, 29, 30<br>Bible: Sir. 3; Jn. 2:1-11; Gen. 1-2; Sir. 26:1-18<br>CCC: 2196-2400  |  |
|     | <b>9/28/2026</b> | <b>Skip Week: Family Promise</b>                             |  |  |
| 28. | 10/5/2026        | The Mass   |  |  |
| 29. | 10/12/2026       | Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship                 | <b>Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship: A Call to Political Responsibility from the Catholic Bishops of the United States</b>         |  |
| 30. | 10/19/2026       | Parable of the Sower: Growing in our faith journey           | <b>Mark 4:</b> Bible study   |  |
| 31. | 10/26/2026       | Vatican II History   |  |  |
| 32. | 11/2/2026        | Key Documents of Vatican II                                  |  |  |

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|     | <i>11/22/26</i> | <i>Christ the King Sunday</i><br>• <i>Reception of Sacraments</i> |  | <b>TBD in the Church</b><br><b>***Sponsors Attend***</b> |
| 33. | 11/23/2026      | Mystagogy Session – Q&A   |  |  |
| 34. | 12/7/2026       | Mystagogy Session   |  |  |
| 35. | 12/14/2026      | Mystagogy Session   |  |  |
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|  | Period of Purification/Enlightenment |
|  | Period of Mystagogy                  |
|  | Other Required Experience            |