

The Parish of St. Katharine Drexel

Religious Education Program

Mission Statement

At Saint Katharine Drexel Parish, we recognize and value the domestic church as the strength and foundation of the whole Church. The Christian home, through the context of a loving family environment, is a child's first encounter with the love of Christ. By bringing their child to the sacrament of Baptism, parents begin a child's journey towards discipleship and lead them to the universal call to holiness, which is the primary calling of all those baptized in Christ. In an effort to support parents in this unique and vital vocation, the parish of St. Katharine's invites all families to participate in a formal religious education program, emphasizing prayer, virtues, and the Truth of the Church. It is our belief that faithful practice and catechesis in these areas will foster a sense of belonging to the Church, a deep understanding of our responsibility in accepting Salvation, and most importantly, a profound relationship with our Lord Jesus Christ and all the joys that lie within it.

The Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) depends largely on the spiritual support of the parish of St. Katharine Drexel and requests continued prayers for our students, catechists and families.