

St. Ambrose Catholic Church
2026-2027 OCIA/OCIC Calendar

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August

August 17: OCIA/OCIC Info Session
August 24: First Day of OCIA/OCIC Classes; Intro to OCIA/OCIC Theory and Practice
August 31: Catholicism – God Wants His Family Back

September

September 7: No Class
September 14: Divine Revelation: Sacred Scripture and Sacred Tradition
September 21: Existence of God, Holy Trinity, Fall of Man, Jewish Roots
September 28: Jesus Christ: Fully Divine and Fully Human

October

October 4: Parish Picnic (1pm)
October 5: The Blessed Virgin Mary and the Communion of Saints
October 12: No Class
October 19: The Church: The Family of God
October 26: The Papacy and Infallibility

November

November 2: Baptism: The Door to the Sacraments
November 9: Confirmation: The Fullness of the Spirit
November 14: Optional Field Trip to Pope St. John Paul II Shrine in Washington
November 16: The Eucharist (Holy Communion)
November 23: Holy Orders (The Priesthood)
November 29: First Sunday in Advent
November 30: No Class

December

December 7: Holy Matrimony (Marriage)
December 14: Catholic Christmas
December 21: No Class
December 25: Christmas
December 28: No Class

January

January 4: Penance (Confession) and Anointing of the Sick
January 9: Optional Field Trip to the National Basilica Shrine of the Immaculate Conception

January 11: Introduction to Moral Life: God Wants Us to Be Happy! And The 1st, 2nd and 3rd Commandments

January 18: No Class

January 25: The 4th and 8th Commandments

February

February 1: The 5th Commandment
February 8: The 6th and 9th Commandments
February 10: Ash Wednesday
February 15: No class
February 22: The Last Things: Death, Judgment, Heaven, Hell, and the Resurrection
February 27: Optional Field Trip to the National Gallery of Art
February 29: The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass (Part 1)

March

March 8: The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass (Part 2)
March 15: Overview of Holy Week Liturgies
March 21: Palm Sunday
March 22: No class
March 27: Easter Vigil
March 28: Easter Sunday
March 29: No class

April

April 5: The Beatitudes
April 12: The 7th and 10th Commandments
April 19: No class
April 26: Prayer

May

May 3: Tour of the Church
May 10: The Discernment of Spirits: Rules of the Road in the Spiritual Life
May 17: Where Do I go From Here? The Call to Holiness and Having a Plan of Life
May 24: The Devotional Life (Litanies, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Brown Scapular, Miraculous Medal, Sacramentals, etc)
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