

St. Mary's Basilica
2025-2026 OCIA Schedule

Inquiry – Ask questions and explore freely

September 10

- [Article: Something More](#)

September 17

- [Article: God's Fatherly Love](#)

September 24

- [Article: In the Dust of the Rabbi](#)

October 1

- Synod of Young Adults

Catechumenate – Learn and grow in faith with a sponsor

October 8

- [Article: Prayer](#)
- [Symbolon: Seeking the Face of God](#)

October 15

- [Article: Fellowship](#)
- [Symbolon: I Believe in God, the Father Almighty](#)

October 22

- [Article: Sacraments - The Eucharist](#)
- [Symbolon: Creator of Heaven and Earth](#)

October 29

- [Article: Sacraments - Confession](#)
- [Symbolon: I believe in Jesus Christ](#)

November 5

- [Article: The Apostles' Teaching](#)
- [Symbolon: His Only Son, Our Lord](#)

November 12

- [Article: Free to Love](#)
- [Symbolon: Born of the Virgin Mary](#)

November 19

- [Article: Gospel](#)
- [Symbolon: He Suffered Under Pontius Pilate](#)

November 26

- **Thanksgiving Break, No Class**

December 3

- [Article: Moral Authority](#)
- [Symbolon: I Believe in the Holy Spirit](#)

December 10

- [Article: Faithfulness to Christ](#)
- [Symbolon: Mary, the Mother of God](#)

December 17

- [Article: The High Call](#)
- [Symbolon: The Sacraments](#)

December 24/25

- **No Class**, visit smbphx.org for Christmas Mass schedule

December 31/January 1

- **No Class**, visit smbphx.org for Solemnity of Mary Mass schedule

January 7

- [Article: A Vision for Missionary Discipleship](#)
- [Symbolon: The Body and Blood of Christ](#)

January 14

- [Article: Incarnational Evangelization](#)
- [Symbolon: Made for Communion](#)

January 21

- [Article: The Power of Your Testimony](#)
- [Symbolon: Faith, Hope, and Charity](#)

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January 28

- Rite of Entrance
- Rite of Welcome

February 4

- [Article: Leading a Bible Study](#)
- [Symbolon: The Truth will set You Free](#)

February 11

- [Article: Sharing the Gospel](#)
- [Symbolon: Prayer, On Earth as It Is in Heaven](#)

Purification & Enlightenment – A prayerful Lenten preparation

February 18

- Ash Wednesday

February 25

- [Article: Walking w Others in Discipleship](#)
- [Symbolon: Discipleship and Mission](#)

March 4

- Prayer, Fast and Mission Discernment

March 11

- Prayer, Fast and Mission Discernment

March 18

- Service Day

March 25

- [Article: Tithing & Almsgiving](#)
- Prayer, Fast and Mission Discernment

April 1

- [Article: Seeking God's Will](#)
- Prayer, Fast and Mission Discernment

Mystagogy – Reflect and live your new faith after Easter

April 8

- [Article: Transformative Discipleship](#)
- Living in Mission

April 15

- [Article: Pursuing Christlike Character](#)
- Living in Mission

April 22

- [Article: Deeper Prayer](#)
- Living in Mission

April 29

- [Article: Works of Mercy](#)
- Living in Mission
- Confessions Available for Candidates

May 6

- [Article: Intercessory Prayer](#)
- Living in Mission
- Confessions Available for Candidates

May 13

- [Article: Take Up Your Cross, Follow Me](#)
- Living in Mission