First Communion FAQs

What should my son/daughter wear for their First Communion?

Girls should wear white dresses. Their shoulders should be covered. Dresses should not be too short. If their dress has spaghetti straps, they should wear a white sweater. Their shoes should be white. Please no heals, flip flops or open backed/toed shoes.

Boys should wear dress pants, a dress shirt and a tie. A suit is nice, but not required. They should wear dress shoes, no sneakers please.



• When is First Communion?

First Communion is on May 5, 2019 at 1 p.m. in the church. We will see you there!

• What time should they arrive at the church?

They should be in the gym and be lined up by 12:45 p.m.

Can I take pictures?

Yes. But, please remain in your seats during the Mass. There will be a professional photographer taking pictures, and you will have an opportunity to purchase photos of your child.

• The banner— Help, I don't know where to start.

The diagram for the banner can be found on the St. Mary's website. Ideas can be found by searching for First Communion banner either at pinterest.com or on Amazonsmile.com

• What do I need to know about the retreat?

The retreat is on May 2 from 8:15 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at St. Mary's School. SOR parents will need to send a note to school with their child no later than May 1. Children will be dropped off and picked up at the bell tower entrance. You can send \$2.75 for a school lunch or pack a lunch for your child.

*** IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL 419-238-3079 ***