



SDS Parent Catechism Hours

To qualify for the Stewardship Tuition Rate, families are required to complete 3 catechism hours per year. This requirement is intended to provide school parents an opportunity to learn more about their Catholic Faith. These hours should be over-and-above parental requirements, such as attending altar server training or 1st Eucharist retreat with your child(ren). Classes that count toward parent catechism hours will be noted in the Sunday bulletin, the school newsletter and on the parish website. (Examples listed below). *Service hours cannot be used as Catechism hours.*

What counts:

- Visiting Speakers
- Parish Sponsored Bible Study
- Catechism Classes
- Q&A Talks
- Catholics Returning Home
- RCIA (full program with pastor approval)
- Events Listed in the Bulletin as: “*This will count toward SDS Catechism Hours”

What doesn't count:

- Ministering at mass, i.e. lector, EM, usher
- Confirmation parent meetings
- Sacrament Prep parent meetings/retreats
- Altar server training
- Adoration
- Community Service, i.e. KOC, SVDP
- Baptism/Wedding preparation

Family Name _____

School Year _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Facilitator Signature</u>

Completed forms need to be turned into the parish office.