

## The Sacraments

Sacrament preparation sessions will be starting in September/October.

If you would like to receive any of the sacraments then please read below and contact the lead catechist for further information.



### **BAPTISM**

“Baptism is the sacrament of regeneration through water in the word”.

If you have a child for Baptism or if you are not baptised yourself and wish to take instruction in the Faith with a view to Baptism then please contact

#### **Baptism**

For parents of infants:-

Contact: Mary and Peter Johnson 07712419702 [maryandpeter13@btinternet.com](mailto:maryandpeter13@btinternet.com)

Teenagers:-

Contact: Gianantonio Fusi (Toni) 07962014747 [tonifusi@btinternet.com](mailto:tonifusi@btinternet.com)

Adults:- Contact Katherine Edwards

### **Children’s Liturgy (pre-First Holy Communion)**

Children’s Liturgy takes place during the 9:00am Mass at St Teresa’s.

Aimed for 4-year olds +

Contact Joanna Hodgkinson 07791 912114 [joanna.hodgkinson1@nhs.net](mailto:joanna.hodgkinson1@nhs.net)

**Catholic Parish of  
St Teresa of Lisieux Lexden & St John the Baptist Shrub End**  
16 Clairmont Road Colchester CO3 9BE Phone 01206 576898

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**



Those who have been raised to the dignity of the royal priesthood by Baptism and configured more deeply to Christ by Confirmation participate with the whole community in the Lord's own sacrifice by means of the Eucharist.

**First Holy Communion**

For those in year 3:- Contact: Stephanie Conway 07462180245

[stephanie.conway@colchester.ac.uk](mailto:stephanie.conway@colchester.ac.uk)

Teenagers:- Contact: Gianantonio Fusi (Toni) 07962014747 [tonifusi@btinternet.com](mailto:tonifusi@btinternet.com)

Adults:- Contact Katherine Edwards 07799692045 [kthrnedwr@aol.com](mailto:kthrnedwr@aol.com)

**CONFIRMATION**



For “by the sacrament of Confirmation, [the baptised] are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit.

**Confirmation**

14-year olds and above:- Contact: Gianantonio Fusi (Toni) 07962014747

[tonifusi@10btinternet.com](mailto:tonifusi@10btinternet.com)

Adults:- Contact Katherine Edwards 07799692045 [kthrnedwr@aol.com](mailto:kthrnedwr@aol.com)

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)**

Adults who would like to receive any of the above sacraments:-

Contact Katherine Edwards 07799692045 [kthrnedwr@aol.com](mailto:kthrnedwr@aol.com)