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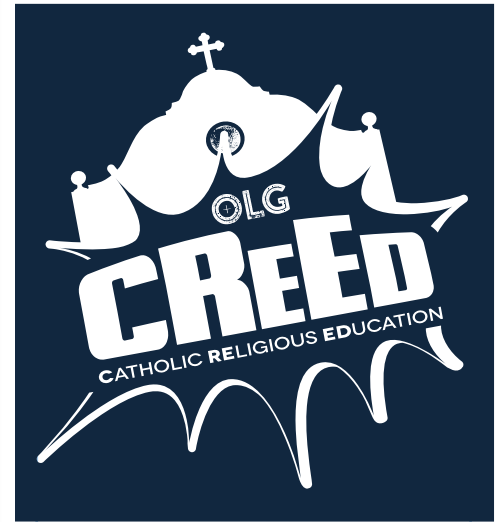
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The mission of OLG's CReEd program is to enable our children to carry on the Catholic faith as disciples and witnesses of Jesus.

The faith formation program at Our Lady of the Gulf will work to increase the interest and enhance our program by providing an interactive and cooperative learning experience for our children.

Program Goals:

- \*To help support parents in their role as primary educators of their children
- \*To teach the life of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Model of Christian life.
- \*To help students open their hearts to Gods presence in their daily lives.
- \*To develop a strong sense of belonging to the parish family, as evidence by participation in Sunday Mass and other church activities.
- \*To prepare families and their children to receive the Sacraments.



**Wednesdays  
& Sundays**  
**September 6 thru May 2**  
**Grades PreK- 8**

**Wednesdays**  
**6:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

**Sundays**  
*See Calendar*

*“Let the children  
come to me...”*  
*Matthew 19:14*

## Parish Catechetical Program Policies

### Attendance Policy

Students and parents should make every effort to attend the catechetical sessions parent meetings, and special events, as well as Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation offered at the parish.

### Arrival and Dismissal

Please bring your child to class on time (preferably no more than 5 minutes early), and pick your child up at dismissal time. Children, in 4th grade or below, must be escorted to and from their classroom by the custodial parent (or their designee who has been identified to the Director).

### Communication

Be sure you have signed up for Flocknote messages and *PLEASE check texts, email, website, and bulletin before calling with questions about times and dates.* Classroom concerns should be brought to your child's catechist before discussing with the Director or the Pastor, when possible.

Comments, suggestions and ideas are always welcome. Please share them using the emails provided in this pamphlet.

### Emergency Class Cancellation

If local schools are closed due to an emergency situation, catechetical classes will generally be cancelled. If you have any questions about cancellation, please contact your child's catechist.

### Fire Safety and Disaster Preparation

Procedures for fire or disaster evacuation are posted in each room. Each catechist will instruct the class on their evacuation procedures.

### Health Concerns

Please make your child's teacher AND the Director aware of any allergies or other health concerns.

### Student Behavior and Expectations

Students will be expected to show respect to their teachers and classmates. Period.

All students are expected to share in the faith learning experience of the parish program. They

are also expected to complete assignments and participate in group projects.

Students attending parish catechetical sessions are expected to regularly attend Mass every Sunday and on Holy Days, and celebrate sacraments in this parish. Parents or guardians are also encouraged to do so.

### Child & Adolescent Protection Policy

The Archdiocese of Mobile requires a catechesis be given to children and youth in all grades of Parish Programs and Catholic Schools. This training will take place during class in the month of October. All persons who work with children in the Archdiocese of Mobile will be required to have background checks as part of the CAPP training.

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