



# Secretariat for Evangelization and Catechesis

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## ***Living and Leading by Faith Schedule for 2020-2021 On-line with LLF Instructor On-Your-Schedule Classes and the LLF Fact Sheet***

During the past several weeks, we have discussed at our SEC Weekly Meetings several updates to the *Living and Leading by Faith Catechetical Leader and Catechist Formation Program*. Please see the attached Fact Sheet for details regarding the updates to the program for 2020-2021.

**The diocesan policy follows:** All who administer or teach in parish programs of religious education or in a Catholic academy/parish school must be theologically prepared, spiritually mature, and skilled in the methods of religious education/formation. **Catechetical Leaders including** Directors of Faith Formation, Coordinators of Religious Education, Principals, Assistant Principals, and Teachers in a Catholic academy/parish school, Coordinators of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, Coordinators of Adult Faith Formation, Coordinators of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Rite of Christian Initiation Adapted for Children, other parish staff with significant catechetical responsibility, and diocesan or parish catechist are expected to fulfill the requirements of Catholic Faith Formation according to the approved *Living and Leading by Faith Catechetical Leader and Catechist Formation Program* of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn, approved by Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio, Bishop of Brooklyn, in January of 2010. **At least ten (10) hours of approved adult faith formation is required each year and must be recorded on one's online transcript managed by *My Catholic Faith Delivered***

Also, please review and generously share the schedule of online classes with an approved LLF instructor. These classes will take place on the TEAMS platform on the days and at the times listed. Some classes will be offered in English and some in Spanish. Registration for these classes will take place beginning in July on the [www.bgonlineformation.org](http://www.bgonlineformation.org) web site. The cost per class will be listed on the web site. Many other new classes are offered on the web site presently.

If you have any questions, please contact Maria Plasencia at [mplasencia@diobrook.org](mailto:mplasencia@diobrook.org) or 718-965-7300, ext. 1036.

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# LIVING AND LEADING BY FAITH

## Catechetical Leader and Catechist Formation Program

## NEW for 2020-2021

### Two Options

Living and Leading by Faith courses are available online using two formats this year. Until further notice, there will be no classes offered in the classroom.

#### 1. Live Presentation Class

These classes are presented online by an approved instructor using TEAMS just as it would be if it were held in the classroom.

#### 2. On Your Schedule Class

These classes are available online and can be taken at your convenience.

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To register for classes, go to  
[www.bqonlineformation.org](http://www.bqonlineformation.org)



#### LIVING AND LEADING BY FAITH



*The church must  
be attractive.  
Wake up the  
world!*

*Be witnesses of a different  
way of doing things, acting,  
living! It is possible to live  
differently in this world.*

THE HOLY FATHER  
FRANCIS

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**Diocesan Policy:** A minimum of ten (10) hours of approved adult faith formation is required annually (September through August) for all catechists and catechetical leaders in Catholic academies, parish schools, and parish programs of religious education in the Diocese of Brooklyn.

For program details, go to  
[https://www.bqonlineformation.org/home.aspx?pagename=category\\_resources](https://www.bqonlineformation.org/home.aspx?pagename=category_resources)

Contact Joann Roa, Director of Adult Faith Formation at [jroa@diobrook.org](mailto:jroa@diobrook.org)

# Catechetical Leader and Catechist Formation Program 2020-2021



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## 2020-2021 Online with LLF Instructor using GoToMeeting

Component	Course	Credit	Instructor	Option 1	Option 2
Initial Course 1 (English)	Creed	10 hours	Rose Ruesing, Aug. Dcn. Wagner, Sept.	Monday, August 3,10,17, 24 4:00-6:30PM	Wednesday, September 9,16,23,30 5:30-8:00PM
Initial Course 2 (English)	Sacraments	10 hours	Rose Ruesing, Sept. Dcn. Wagner. Oct.	Tuesday, September 8,15,22,29 7:00-9:30PM	Tuesday, October 6,13,20,27 4:00-6:30PM
Initial Course 3 (English)	Morality	10 hours	Rose Ruesing, Oct. Dnc. Wagner, Nov.	Saturday, October 3,10,17,24 9:00-11:30AM	Thursday, November 3,10,17,24 7:00-9:30PM
Initial Course 4 (English)	Prayer	10 hours	Sandra Jean, Nov. Rose Ruesing, Jan.	Wednesday, November 4,11,18,25 4:00-6:30PM	Thursday, January 7,14,21,28 5:30-8:00PM
Initial Course 5 (English)	Introduction to the Bible	5 hours	Rose Ruesing, Jan. Sandra Jean, Feb.	Saturday, January 9,16 10:00-12:30AM	Wednesday, February 3,10 4:00-6:30PM
Initial Course 6 (English)	Introduction to Catechesis	5 hours	Rose Ruesing, Feb. Dcn. Wagner, Mar.	Thursday, February 4,11 5:30-8:00PM	Wednesday, March 3,10 7:00-9:30PM
Initial (Spanish)	Credo	10 horas	Juan Perez-August Rev, Sanchez-September	lunes, Agosto 3,10,17, 24 6:30-9:00PM	miércoles, Septiembre 9,16,23,30 7:00-9:30PM

Initial (Spanish)	Sacramentos	10 horas	Dr. C. Gomz Sept. Rev. Sanchez-Oct.	martes, Septiembre 8,15,22,29 7:00-9:30PM	martes, Octubre 6,13,20,27 6:30-9:00PM
Initial (Spanish)	Moralidad	10 horas	Juan Perez, Oct. Dr. C. Gomez Nov.	sabado, Octubre 3,10,17,24 10:00-12:30AM	martes, Noviembre 3,10,17,24 7:00-9:30PM
Initial (Spanish)	Oracion	10 horas	Rev. Sanchez. Nov. Dr. C. Gomez, Jan.	miércoles, Noviembre 4,11,18,25 6:30-9:00PM	jueves, Enero 7,14,21,28 7:00-9:30PM
Initial (Spanish)	Introducción a la biblia	5 horas	Juan Perez- Jan. Rev. Felix Sanchez-Feb.	Sabado, Enero 9,16 9:00-11:30AM	miércoles, Febrero 3,10 6:30-9:00PM
Initial (Spanish)	Introducción a la catequesis	5 horas	Dr. Conrado Gomez, Feb. Rev. Felix Sanchez- Mar.	jueves, Febrero 4,11 7:00-9:30PM	miércoles, Marzo 3,10 6:30-9:00PM
Ongoing (English)	The Call to Holiness	10 hours	Sandra Jean, Aug. Sandra Jean, Sept.	Tuesday, August 4,11,18,25 5:30-8:00PM	Friday, September 4,11,18,25 4:00-6:30PM
Ongoing (English)	Lives of the Saints	10 hours	Dcn. Wagner, Sept. Sandra Jean, Oct.	Thursday, September 3,10,17,24 7:00-9:30PM	Wednesday, October 7,14,21,28 5:30-8:00PM
Ongoing (English)	Spirituality for Teachers and Catechists	10 hours	Sandra Jean, Oct. Rose Ruesing, Nov.	Saturday, October 3,10,17,24 9:00-11:30AM	Monday, November 2, 9, 16, 23 7:00-9:30PM
Ongoing (English)	Gifts of the Holy Spirit	5 hours	Sandra Jean, Nov. Sandra Jean, Jan.	Thursday, November 12,25 5:30-8:00PM	Friday, January 8,15 4:00-6:30PM
Ongoing (English)	Multi-cultural Catechesis	5 hours	Sandra Jean, Jan Rose Ruesing, Feb.	Friday, January 22,29 7:00-9:30PM	Friday, February 5,12 5:30-8:00PM
Ongoing (English)	The Gospels	5 hours	Rose Ruesing, March	Wednesday, February 17,24 4:00-6:30PM	Thursday, March 4,11 7:00-9:30PM

Ongoing (Spanish)	El llamado a la santidad	10 horas	Dr. Conrado Gomez, Aug. Juan Perez, Sept.	martes, Agosto 4,11,18,25 7:00-9:30PM	viernes, Septiembre 4,11,18,25 6:30-9:00PM
Ongoing (Spanish)	La vida de los santos	10 horas	Cruz Teresa	jueves, Septiembre 3,10,17,24 6:30-9:00PM	miércoles, Octubre 7,14,21,28 7:00-9:30PM
Ongoing (Spanish)	Espiritualidad para maestros y catequistas	10 horas	Dr. Conrado Gomez, Oct. Juan Perez, Nov.	sábado, Octubre 3,10,17,24 10:00-12:30PM	lunes, Noviembre 2, 9, 16, 23 6:30-9:00PM
Ongoing (Spanish)	Dones del Espíritu Santo	5 horas	Juan Perez- Jan. Rev. Felix Sanchez-Nov.	jueves, Noviembre 12,25 7:00-9:30PM	viernes, Enero 8,15 6:30-9:00PM