

Gather the Children

"Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." — *Matthew 19:14*

What is Gather the Children?

During the **11:30 AM Mass**, children are invited to gather and process to a dedicated space to experience the Sunday Scripture readings. Led by trained catechists, they hear the Word broken down into language that is engaging, accessible, and deeply meaningful for their age group.

- **The Word Made Simple:** Readings from the official Children's Lectionary.
- **Active Participation:** Interactive reflections, singing, and age-appropriate prayers.
- **Family Connection:** Children receive a take-home leaflet to share the Gospel message with you all week.
- **Seamless Rhythm:** Children return to the main church during the Offertory to rejoin their families for the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

When & Where

- **Who:** Open to all school-age children in **Grades K-5**. No pre-registration required!
- **When:** Held **1-2 times per month** at the **11:30 AM Mass**. Children are called forward after the Collect
- **Schedule:** Dates mirror the **Family Faith Formation Schedule**.

Share Your Faith: Join Our Team!

We are always looking for joyful adult leaders, assistants, and student helpers to keep this beautiful ministry thriving.

