

Request for the Sacrament of First Reconciliation 2024 (Year 2)

We request that our child in Year Two or above, who has already been baptised into the community of faith that is the Church to now continue their initiation in this life of faith as a disciple of Jesus Christ through preparing for and receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. **NB: If your child is not baptised in a Catholic Church they will need to be received into the Catholic Church before they start the Sacramental Program**

COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION FORM and return to any Sunday Mass
ABOUT OUR CHILD

Christian Names: _____ Surname: _____ ☐ M ☐ F
Place of Birth: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Church of Baptism: _____ Date: _____
School: _____ Grade: _____

If your child was baptised at another parish, please include a copy of their baptism certificate with this form.

ABOUT OURSELVES

Father's Full Name: _____ Religion: _____
Fathers DOB: _____ Mobile: No: _____
Mother's Full Name: _____ Religion: _____
Mothers DOB: _____ Mobile No: _____
Mother's Maiden Surname: _____
Address: _____
Email: _____

Enrolment Commitment: We desire to enrol our child into the Parish Preparation Program for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. We recognise that we are their first teachers in the ways of faith and that we are doing our best to provide for our child a true pattern of Christian living. We acknowledge a commitment to the celebration of Sunday Mass and of family prayer. We are aware that our child must be carefully prepared for full and active participation in the sacramental life of the church, and that the responsibility for this preparation is primarily our own. We rely on God's help and the continued support and encouragement of God's people in the Church to faithfully accept these responsibilities.

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

NB: The Parish of St Joseph's does not charge for this Sacrament of Reconciliation, but a cost will be incurred for your enrolment into First Holy Communion in 2025.