

2016–2017

Catechetical Statistics for Pastors and Catechetical leaders

Includes information on:

- ◆ Size of Catechetical Programs
- ◆ Ethnic/cultural Programs
- ◆ Sacramental Preparation
- ◆ Catechesis for those with Disabilities
- ◆ Adult Faith formation

Information gathered from the Parish Catechetical programs and Catholic Schools.

Parish Catechetical Program Serving Languages

Chinese

San Jose Chinese Catholic Mission
St. Clare

Croatian

St. Mary of the Assumption

Korean

Holy Korean Martyrs

Polish

St. Brother Albert Chmielowski

Portuguese

Five Wounds

Vietnamese

Christ the King
Most Holy Trinity
Our Lady of La Vang
Our Lady of Refuge
St. Elizabeth
St. Maria Goretti
St. Martin, Sunnyvale

Spanish

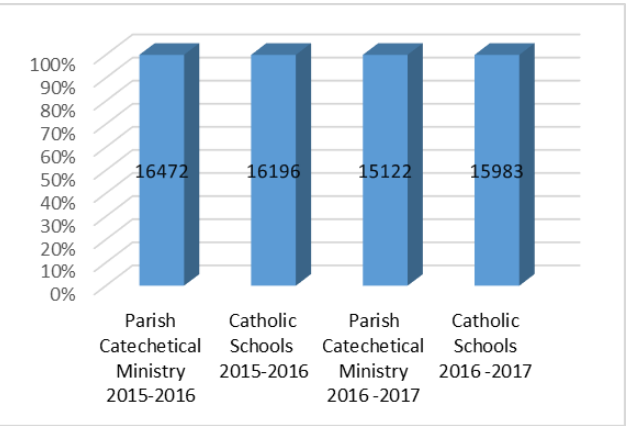
Christ the King
Holy Cross
Most Holy Trinity
Our Lady of Guadalupe
Our Lady of La Vang
Our Lady of Refuge
Our Lady of Peace
Our Lady Star of the Sea
Sacred Heart of Jesus
St. Athanasius
St. Catherine of Alexandria
St. Clare
St. Cyprian
St. Elizabeth
St. John Vianney
St. Joseph Mtn. View
St. Joseph Cathedral Basilica
St. Julie Billiart
St. Lawrence the Martyr
St. Leo the Great
St. Lucy
St. Maria Goretti
St. Martin, Sunnyvale
St. Mary, Gilroy
St. Thomas Aquinas

Please keep this on hand to reference for those inquiring catechetical programs in another language

#1 Those We Serve in Our Programs: Catholic Schools and Parish Catechetical Ministry

2016-2017 31,105 Participants
2015-2016 32,668 Participants

Pre-K–12



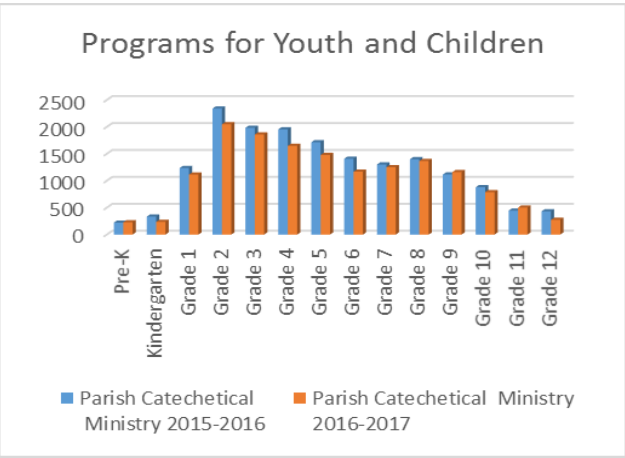
#2 Verified Religious Education Participants in Schools and Parishes of the Diocese of San Jose.

Responding Parishes 2015-2016 2016-2017

Grade	Catechetical Ministry Parish 2015-2016	Catholic Schools 2015-2016	Totals 2015-2016	Catechetical Ministry Parish 2016-2017	Catholic Schools 2016-2017	Totals
Pre-k	220	547	767	227	635	862
K	332	839	1171	236	769	1005
1	1175	816	1991	1114	828	1942
2	2281	863	3144	2049	818	2867
3	1966	931	2897	1859	848	2707
4	1913	934	2847	1647	921	2568
5	1688	1017	2705	1479	923	2402
6	1380	1044	2424	1168	1072	2240
7	1281	1074	2355	1252	1041	2293
8	1369	1044	2413	1367	1077	2444
9	1115	1911	3026	1160	1841	3001
10	878	1883	2761	788	1822	2610
11	444	1670	2114	501	1787	2288
12	430	1623	2053	275	1601	1876
Total	16472	16196	32668	15122	15983	31105

#3 When Students Participate in Pre-k-12 Parish Catechetical Ministry Programs

Catechetical Ministry Program Registrants by Grade 2016-2017



#4 Sacramental Preparation

	2015-2016	2016-2017
First Eucharist	#	#
Number of children or teens receiving Eucharist for the first time in the Diocese	5,250	5,350
Responding Parishes	49	49
First Reconciliation	#	#
Number of children or teens celebrating reconciliation for the first time.	5,359	4,961
Responding Parishes	49	49
Confirmation	#	#
Number of children or teens being confirmed	2,300	2,607
Responding Parishes	49	46
Average number of sessions for godparents for confirmation celebration.	1	1
Responding Parishes	43	44
R.C.I.A. (Adults, teens and childre of catechetical age)	#	#
Number of Adult candidates ages 18 and up	417	453
Responding Parishes	45	45
Number of Adult Catechumens ages 18 and up.	179	164
Responding Parishes	44	45
Number of children and youth catechumens. Ages 7-17	662	1818
Responding Parishes	45	46
Number of children and youth catechumens ages 7-17	271	290
Responding Parishes	45	49

5 Catechesis for those with Disabilities

Percentage of parishes that offer catechesis for those with disabilities.

2016-2017	
Enter the number of parishes that offers catechetics for those with deafness/blindness/ cognitive	11
Responding Parishes	43
Enter the number of par-ishes that offers catechetics for those with attention deficit, learning/physical disabilities.	30
Responding Parishes	46

2015-2016	
Enter the number of par-ishes that offers cate- chetics for those with deafness/blindness/ cognitive	9
Responding Parishes	42
Enter the number of parishes that offers cat-echetics for those with attention deficit, learn- ing/physical disabilities	23
Responding Parishes	45

6 Adult Faith Formation

Percent ranking for parish Adult Faith Formation offerings

Responding Parishes	49	49
	2015-2016	2016-2017

Scripture study	92%	88%
Spirituality Prayer Group	75%	88%
Ministry Formation	73%	60%
One time only event on a specific topic	62%	69%
Formation programs connect- ed to liturgical year	60%	64%
Parish sponsored Service Programs	60%	50%
Courses (for a set number of sessions)	54%	56%
Service Opportunities Con- nected to Faith Formation	52%	54%
Young Adults Offerings	50%	47%
Does your parish have an adult faith formation team?	49%	58%
Grief Ministry	43%	39%
Spiritual Practice Formation and Offerings	35%	35%
Spiritual book reading	33%	41%
Online Faith Formation Content	28%	30%
Faith Formation Opportunities for the elderly	24%	30%
Family Transitions and mile- stone (Parenting)	.09%	.11%
Ecumenical inter-religious Formation	.09%	.09%

A. Number of Participants for each of the following programs.

B. Percentage of parishes responding.

	A	B
Retreats-family intergenera- tional	3,203	81%
Retreats -Tens	2,356	86%
Retreats-Adults	3,086	81%
Resources for faith practices in the Home (enter number of house- holds)	7,082	67%
Small Faith Sharing Groups	2,019	81%
Family Faith Formation Gather- ings	2,547	84%