



*St. André Bessette*  
ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH



***Building a Church ...it all starts with a vision***

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Dear Parents of First Communicants and/or Confirmandi,

Please find enclosed important information and dates for your child's upcoming First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation.

Kindly visit our parish website ([www.standrebesette.ca](http://www.standrebesette.ca)) and visit the "Sacrament" portal and click the appropriate sacrament name. Please fill in the fillable registration form, print it and bring it with you to the Parent Information Meeting along with a copy of your child's baptism and the Registration Fee of \$50 (either cash or cheque).

**Parent Information Meetings for First Holy Communion and Confirmation:**

<b>Wednesday, September 12</b>	<b>@St. Raphael CES</b>	<b>@7pm</b>
<b>Thursday, September 13</b>	<b>@ St. Cecilia CES</b>	<b>@7pm</b>

The **Letter of Intent** may also be printed off the parish website and may be submitted at any of the weekend Masses as follows:

**First Communicant Letter of Intent:**

Saturday, October 27 @ 5pm or Sunday October 28 @ 10am or 12pm

**Confirmandi Letter of Intent:**

Saturday, November 3 @ 5pm or Sunday November 4 @ 10 am or 12 pm

**Passport Program**

We will continue to use the Passport Program. Each child registered to receive either the Sacrament of First Holy Communion or Confirmation will receive a passport. Please ensure that your child brings the passport to weekly Sunday Mass at which time your child will receive a stamp at the end of Mass. Regular attendance at Sunday Mass is encouraged as this will help to spiritually prepare your child to receive the Sacrament. Your child will receive their passport once you have submitted the registration form, a copy of your child's baptism certificate and the registration fee.

**Confession (Sacrament of Reconciliation):**

St. Cecilia CES                      Wednesday, February 20  
SNOW DATE                            Tuesday, February 26

St. Raphael CES                      Thursday, February 21  
SNOW DATE                            Wednesday, February 27

Children attending private, public or other schools to make special arrangements with Fr. Peter.

**Ceremony Dates:**  
(@ St. Joseph the Worker 191 Wade Gate)

**Confirmation: (Gr. 7)**  
St. Cecilia CES:  
Thursday, May 23                      @ 7pm

St. Raphael CES & Private, Public and other schools:  
Thursday, May 30                      @ 7pm

**First Holy Communion: (Gr. 2)**  
St. Cecilia CES:  
Saturday, May 25                      @ 10am  
Sunday, May 26                            @ 3:30 pm

St. Raphael CES & Private, Public and other schools:  
Saturday, May 25 @ 1pm

Should you have any questions, comments or concerns, feel free to contact me.

Yours in Christ,

*Fr. Peter Jae Choi*

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