



Sacramental Calendar 2021

Confirmation

Confirmation this year will be celebrated on **Saturday 5th June**, and **Sunday 6th June**. Children in Year 6 and above who have already received the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion are eligible for Confirmation. All candidates will be confirmed in Nowra, however lessons to prepare the candidates will occur after school in both Nowra and Vincentia. Timings and dates of these lessons will be advised. All meetings for Confirmation will be held at St Michael's Hall and Church, Nowra.

Wednesday 24th May Signs and Symbols for Nowra parents and candidates at 4.30 pm in the Church
Wednesday 26th May Reflection Evening for parents and candidates at 6.30pm in the Hall.

Reconciliation

Wednesday 23rd June Information night for Nowra & Berry Parents in St Michael's School Hall at 6.30pm
Wednesday 11th August Second Parent Meeting in St Michael's School Hall at 6.30pm
Meetings will also occur in Vincentia for those in the Bay and Basin region – timings to be advised.

Lessons will occur in Nowra, Berry, Culburra and Vincentia from the 19th July 2021. Times and dates will be advised at the meetings.

Sacramental celebration of First Reconciliation is planned for the 9th September in Nowra at 7pm. Those in Culburra and Vincentia your times and dates will be advised at your initial meeting.

First Holy Communion

First Holy Communion will be celebrated on the **Sunday 17th October** in Nowra at **10.30am** or **12.30pm** in **St Michael's School Hall**. Prior to receiving First Holy Communion, children will need to have made their First Reconciliation. An integral aspect of First Holy Communion preparation is parents ensuring regular attendance at Mass. Important dates are listed below.

Wednesday 21st July Initial Parent Meeting in St Michael's Hall at 6.30pm

Wednesday 25th August Signs and Symbols Night for children and parents in St Michael's Hall at 6.30pm

Wednesday 22nd September Reflection Evening in St Michael's Church at 6.30pm

Meetings will also occur in Vincentia for those in the Bay and Basin region – timings to be announced.

Tuesday 12th October Reconciliation Evening for Parish children – 4.30pm to 5.30pm at St Michael's Church.

Thursday 14th October Practise Evening 5pm or 6pm depending on your choice of Celebration time will be held in St Michael's Hall.

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