

## REMINDER

### ACTIVE PARISHIONER TUITION RATE POLICY

The four criteria (all of which must be met) for receiving the active parishioner reduced rate of tuition is:

- 1) Registration as a member of St. John the Baptist Parish in Harrison;
- 2) To participating in Sunday Mass at this parish on a regular basis (i.e., 60% of the Sundays) from July 2012 to July 2013.

This is verified by putting your church envelope or a piece of paper with your name and address in the collection basket. If no offering is included in the envelope, simply mark and "E" on it (for empty or electronic giving.) This will be evaluated periodically throughout the school year. Any family not meeting their obligation will be contacted.

- 3) Being as active in the life of the parish as possible

While this cannot be measured, it is expected that every family participate in parish events, either by offering time as a volunteer for individual or continuous activities and/or by participating in faith formation events in the parish (e.g., talks, Why Catholic)

- 4) Financially supporting the parish as best as you can afford.

There is not a set amount for this, nor does the parish assess each family, however, each family is expected to support the parish as best they can. The active parishioner tuition rate is dependent upon each family financially supporting the parish as best they can.

Because the active parishioner tuition policy was new in 2009-2010, a certain degree of adaptation was given to those who may not have remembered, understood, or taken the policy seriously. However, since the policy is no longer new, not fulfilling 60% attendance at Sunday Mass will require that the full tuition rate be paid. Exceptions may be granted for justifiable reasons if the pastor is contacted when the problem starts, not at the end.

Those families who did not meet the 60% attendance mark last year and have agreed to stricter arrangements are to follow those arrangements.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Fr. Kemper at 513-367-9086 ext 215, [jkemper@stjb.net](mailto:jkemper@stjb.net) or Paul Roell 513-367-9086 ext 211, [proell@stjb.net](mailto:proell@stjb.net).

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