

# FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST COMMUNION 2020/2021

## ST PIUS BRANTFORD

Dear Parents of Children in Grade 2,

Our loving God has given us so many wonderful gifts: life, love, family, and our natural world to name only a few. You chose for your child another important gift that God offers us – the gift of Baptism. When you did so, you offered them a relationship with the God that created them and loves them more than anything. Now, you have the chance to help them deepen that relationship with two new gifts: the gift of God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and the gift of Christ's own body in the Sacrament of the Eucharist.

We are excited to have the chance to walk with you and your child on one of the greatest journeys they will ever make – the journey to reception of our Lord for the first time in Holy Communion. Will you lead them on this important journey? If so...

### Mark These Key Dates in Your Calendar

<i>December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020</i>	<i>@ 4:00pm</i>	<i>Registrations Close</i>
<i>January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021</i>	<i>@ 6:30pm</i>	<i>Initial Family Meeting</i>
<i>Feb 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021</i>	<i>@ 6:30pm</i>	<i>First Reconciliation Preparation</i>
<i>Feb 27<sup>th</sup> or March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021</i>	<i>@1:00pm</i>	<i>Reconciliation Celebrations</i>
<i>March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021</i>	<i>@6:30pm</i>	<i>First Communion Preparation</i>
<i>March 23<sup>rd</sup> or April 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021</i>	<i>@6:30pm</i>	<i>First Communion Preparation</i>

To find out more about the preparation process or to register, head to

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