

What is RCIA ...

A process for preparing and welcoming new members into the Catholic Church

We grow in faith together

RCIA is ...

a programme?

a course?

Getting a driver licence

Stage 1: Finding out

Stage 2: Learning

Stage 3: Taking the test

Stage 4: Driving with P

Becoming a Catholic

- Finding out: *Pre-Catechumenate*
 - Concludes with Rite of Welcome
- Learning: *Catechumenate*
 - Concludes with Rite of Election
- Challenge: *Purification & Enlightenment*
 - Concludes with Baptism/Confirmation/Communion
- Living My Faith: *Mystagogia*
 - Enter into the mystery

Format

- 34 Evening Faith Formation Sessions
- Attendance at weekend masses from Sep.
- Evening sessions on every Tuesday 7.30 pm to 9.00 pm
 - Songs, Presentation, Discussion / Sharing over a cup of coffee
 - No evening meeting during school holidays
- Commences 27 Jul 2021 (Tue)
Concludes 5 Jun 2022 (Pentecost)
- Plus ceremonies, reflection day, etc to help you along the way.

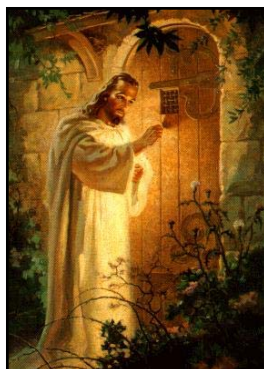
Who do you travel with?

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| Tour Guide | Priests
Catechists |  |
| Companions | Sponsors/Godparents
Other Volunteers | |
| Tour Group | The RCIA and Parish Community | |



Ok, there is a Creator

So
What?



Listen! I am standing at the door, knocking; if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to you and eat with you, and you with me.

Revelation 3:20

Admin matters ...

- Pamphlet
- Calendar
- Registration Form

Key Dates

- 27 Jul 2021: RCIA Commences
- 17 Apr 2022: Easter Vigil
- 5 Jun 2022: Conclusion (Pentecost)

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My Story



Highs and Lows

*When it feels like the dark
Lingers longer than the night
When the shadows feel like giants
Are You chasing me down?*

*Tell me where could I run
From Your light, where could I hide?
Hemmed within Your precious thoughts
There's no hiding from Your love*

*Highs and lows
Lord, You're with me either way it goes
Should I rise or should I fall?*

*Even so
Lord, Your mercy is an even flow
You're too good to let me go*

*Should I dance on the heights
Or make my bed among the depths?
Your mercy waits at every end
Like You planned it from the start*

*Should the dawn come with wings
Or find me far-side of the sea?
There Your hand still fastens me
Ever closer to Your heart*

Highs and lows

*Lord, You're with me either way it goes
Should I rise or should I fall*

Even so

*Lord, Your mercy is an even flow
Should I rise or should I fall?
You are faithful through it all
You're too good to let me go*

Highs and lows

*You surround me either way it goes
Should I rise or should I fall?
Lord, You're with me through it all*

Highs and lows

*In the rhythms of Your grace I know
Should I rise or should I fall?
You are faithful through it all
You're too good to let me go*



Getting to know you ...



In Control

*From heaven You can hear
I know You're drawing near
As I worship
Held within Your love
The wind and waves will come
But I will stay here*

*I lift my hands to heaven
Hear my heart surrender
I tell my soul again
You are Lord of all*

*And though the seas are raging
You will speak and tame them
In You I find my rest
You are in control*

*Through valleys I will trust
 Your Spirit is enough
 To keep me walking
 You guide my every step
 Speak life to me again
 Lord I need You*

*I lift my hands to heaven
 Hear my heart surrender
 I tell my soul again
 You are Lord of all
 And though the seas are raging
 You will speak and tame them*

*In You I find my rest
 You are in control (2x)*

*I will trust in only You
 No one can add to Your perfection
 You're the beginning and the end
 More than I can comprehend
 There is no one like You
 No one*

*I will trust in only You
 No one can add to Your perfection
 You're the beginning and the end
 More than I can comprehend
 There is no one like You
 No one*

*I will trust in only You
 No one can add to Your perfection
 You're the beginning and the end
 More than I can comprehend
 There is no one like You
 Jesus*

*I lift my hands to heaven
 Hear my heart surrender
 I tell my soul again
 You are Lord of all
 And though the seas are raging
 You will speak and tame them*

*In You I find my rest
 You are in control (3x)*