

# St Luke's Sacramental Program 2023

Information and Enrolment  
**ALL SACRAMENTS**





# Application for St Luke's Sacramental Program 2023

STUDENT'S PERSONAL INFORMATION	
Child's Name	
Age	Date of Birth [dd/mm/yyyy]
Address _____	
School	Year Level

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONTACT INFORMATION –	
<i>** Please note if you have a shared parenting arrangement then please also provide the details of the other parent that needs to be kept informed.**</i>	
Name	
Address _____	
Phone No	Relationship to Child
Email	

SACRAMENT ENROLMENT INFORMATION		
<b>Has THIS student or a sibling attended St Luke's Sacramental Program in a previous year?</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <u>this student</u> has attended St Luke's Sacramental Program Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> A <u>Sibling</u> has attended St Luke's Sacramental Program	<input type="checkbox"/> NO our family is <u>new to the St Luke's Sacramental Program</u>
<b>Please select which sacrament(s) you would like your child to be enrolled into by ticking the appropriate box(es). Remember to provide your BAPTISM CERTIFICATE for all sacraments. Please let us know if you were baptised in the Melton Parish.</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PENANCE</b> [Child must be Year 3 or older and be a Baptised Catholic]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>EUCHARIST</b> [Child must be Year 4 or older and have received the Sacrament of Penance]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>CONFIRMATION</b> [Child must be Year 6 or older and have received the Sacrament of Penance AND Eucharist]	

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Payment Received on Enrolment?	<input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES    Amount \$ _____    Receipt # _____
<b>CHECK LIST</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Form checked for completeness	<input type="checkbox"/> Baptism Form provided
<input type="checkbox"/> Family workbook provided to new families	<input type="checkbox"/> Form entered into database

## St Luke's Sacramental Program

Dear Parents

Welcome to the Parish of Melton's Sacramental Program. We as a Parish will support you as you prepare your child to receive their Sacrament.

Parents are the first and foremost teachers of the faith for their children. If parents teach by example and by word, children will grow up to be people of Faith – believing in a loving and forgiving God and living a life of love and concern for others.

Several years ago we began a program of parents meetings to enable parents to feel confident in sharing their faith in their family and to help parents prepare their children to receive the sacraments of Penance, Eucharist and Confirmation.

The Sacraments are a celebration of the life and love of Jesus, they are not magic moments, therefore it is absolutely essential that parents understand each sacrament in order to help and support their child.

Our faith is a living, growing journey with our God. Children deserve the best, all the support, love and care we can give.

In the Parish of Melton we begin with helping our children to understand God's presence in our world, the role of the Church in the world, the story of our faith (the Bible) and the place of prayer in our lives.

*PENANCE PROGRAM:* for children who are in Year 3 or older.

*EUCCHARIST PROGRAM:* only after Penance Program – for children who are in Year 4 or older.

*CONFIRMATION PROGRAM:* only after Penance and Eucharist Program for children who are in Year 6 or older.

In order for our faith to be real and active our support and encouragement must ring true. Like many parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Melbourne, we, at the Melton Parish pledge to support and help parents as far as possible.

“The family is a place where we are special,  
Where we learn the rules of life to prepare us  
for the world.  
If we grow up in a loving, believing family –  
We are ready for the world”.

Yours In Christ

*Fr Michael Moody*

Parish Priest

## Preparation Classes

The Parish of Melton runs an intensive program and we do expect that you are committed to the preparation of your child and attend all the classes. **Please Note - A parent must attend with their child.**

**Venue:** St. Dominic's Parish Hall – Church Street, Melton

**Time:** 7.00pm – 8.30pm SHARP

**Cost (per sacrament):** \$100.00 per child per Sacrament

## Dates for Sacrament Preparation Classes

PENANCE	
Lesson 1	<b>9 February 2023</b>
Lesson 2	<b>16 February 2023</b>
Lesson 3	<b>23 February 2023</b>
Lesson 4	<b>2 March 2023</b>
<i>Presentation of Penance Candidates</i> <b>Weekend of 4<sup>th</sup>/ 5<sup>th</sup> March 2023</b> <i>Mass Times Saturday 6pm, Sunday 9am, 11am or 5pm</i>	
Lesson 5	<b>9 March 2023</b>
Lesson 6	<b>16 March 2023 [Held at St Catherine's Church]</b>
<b>Sacrament of Penance – 23 March 2023 at 7.00pm</b> <b>St Catherine of Siena Church, Bulman Rd, Melton West</b>	
EUCHARIST	
Lesson 1	<b>27 April 2023</b>
Lesson 2	<b>4 May 2023</b>
<i>Presentation of Eucharist Candidates</i> <b>Weekend of 6<sup>th</sup>/ 7<sup>th</sup> May 2023</b> <i>Mass Times Saturday 6pm, Sunday 9am, 11am or 5pm</i>	
Lesson 3	<b>11 May 2023</b>
Lesson 4	<b>18 June 2023</b>
Lesson 5	<b>25 May 2023</b>
Lesson 6	<b>1 June 2023</b>
Lesson 7	<b>8 June 2023 [Held at St Catherine's Church]</b>
<b>Sacrament of Eucharist - 10 June 2023 at 2pm</b> <b>St Catherine of Siena Church, Bulman Rd, Melton West</b>	
CONFIRMATION	
Lesson 1	<b>10 August 2023</b>
Lesson 2	<b>17 August 2023</b>
<i>Presentation of Confirmation Candidates</i> <b>Weekend of 19<sup>th</sup> / 20<sup>th</sup> August 2023</b> <i>Mass Times Saturday 6pm, Sunday 9am, 11am or 5pm</i>	
Lesson 3	<b>24 August 2023</b>
Lesson 4	<b>31 August 2023</b>
Lesson 5	<b>7 September 2023</b>
Lesson 6	<b>14 September 2023</b>
Lesson 7	<b>5 October 2023 [Held at St Catherine's Church]</b>
<b>Sacrament of Confirmation – 7 October 2023 at 2pm</b> <b>St Catherine of Siena Church, Bulman Rd, Melton West</b>	