St. Raphael Parish, Milford First Reconciliation (Penance) – 2024 Program Schedule

In-Person Sessions (for children with a parent/guardian)	Description
Saturday, September 7 from 10 am to 11 am or Tuesday, September 10 from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm.	First Reconciliation/First Communion Overview Meeting for Parents/Guardians
Saturday, October 5 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in two St. Ann Parish Center classrooms. A weekday evening make-up session will also be scheduled.	Introduction to Sacrament of Reconciliation Ten Commandments Jesus' Great Commandments and Law of Love Story of the Lost Sheep/Good Shepherd Story of the Lost Son/Forgiving Father Sin vs. Accident What happens during the Sacrament of Reconciliation Focus on God's forgiveness and love
Sunday, October 20, afternoon; or Tuesday, October 22, evening in St. Ann Parish Center classrooms. * Sunday - 12 noon to 2:15 pm * Tuesday - 6 pm to 8:15 pm Note: We will start with a pizza dinner at 12 noon on Sunday and at 6 pm on Tuesday.	GIFT Session. The Nicene Creed: Jesus Christ, Son of God – <i>required</i>
Saturday, November 2 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in two St. Ann Parish Center classrooms. A weekday evening make-up session will also be scheduled	Preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation Examination of Conscience Forgiveness in our lives Review of Sacrament of Reconciliation terms Sacrament of Reconciliation Video Purpose of Sacrament of Reconciliation Review and practice of Rite of Reconciliation Visit to Reconciliation Room
First Reconciliation Practice at Saint Ann Church * Two weekday evening date options - Late November (before Thanksgiving) or early December 2024.	Sacrament of First Reconciliation Practice – one practice required.
Saturday, December 14, 1:00 pm at Saint Ann Church	Sacrament of First Reconciliation