

## Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Grade Program 2011-2012

**Catechists Meetings:** This year all Catechists (Grade 1-11) are invited on September 18, 2011, to attend the 9:00am Mass and come together after this Mass in the Gathering Space for a mini breakfast and a short meeting.

Wednesday, February 15, 2012 – Thursday, February 16, 2012 – call/email Mary Sheedy for an appointment. Work No. 617-696-8978; Cell No. 508-320-6918. Email: MSheedy@StAgathaParish.org

### Schedule for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Graders for 2011-2012

9/20/11	Opening Session (parents and children) 7:00pm	Upper Church
10/1-10/2	Bottle and Can Drive	Garage
10/6/11	Teaching Mass ( <b>Sixth – Eighth Graders</b> )	7:00pm Church
10/16/11	Retreat (two sessions – 1:00-3:00pm/3:00-5:00pm)	Gym
10/29-10/30	St. Francis House Clothing Drive and Bake Sale	Garage
November	Fruit Baskets for Christian Service	Individual Classes
11/3/11	Reflection Session for Christian Service – 6:30pm	*Gathering Space
12/6/11	Reconciliation (parents and children)	7pm Church
1/21-1/22/12	Clothing collection for LI Shelter and Fr. Bill's	Garage
3/14/12	Reflection Session for Christian Service - 6:30pm	*Gathering Space

\* Gathering Space (GS) is located under the Church

#### (Mandated by Archdiocese)

#### Seventh Graders' Special Chastity Meeting:

10/23/11	Part 1	*Gathering Space	2pm-5pm GS
11/6/11	Part 2	*Gathering Space (if needed)	4pm-5pm GS

#### Drop-In Dates at St. Agatha Parish:

Parents' Meeting and first dance: 10/21/11(Sign-up 6:30pm – Dance 7:00-9:00pm)

Other Dances (7:00-9:00pm): 11/4/11, 12/2/11, 1/20/12, 2/3/12, 3/9/12 and 3/23/12

Outside Activities: 10/7 – Barretts' Haunted House and Amesbury Sport Park on 2/11 for snow tubing. Bus details and other information will be on the web site.

**My Brother's Keeper Giving Tree December 2011:** The ornament assembly will be on December 3rd at the Gathering Space. Help is needed before and after Masses at the trees to hand out instructions, replenish the trees with ornaments etc. on December 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4th and December 10<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>. Gifts are returned December 18<sup>th</sup> and help is needed that day in the cafeteria. Contact Jack Riley at 617-698-2439.