

Testimonials

Here's what those who have taken the
Diploma in Catechetics say...

"A life changer, I learnt so much and it really deepened
my faith. I can't recommend it enough."

Margo Saliba, Edinburgh

"The Diploma in Catechetics really stirred up my faith
and has given me a thirst to delve even deeper into the
riches of our beautiful catechism."

Brenda Drumm, Ireland

"Inspirational. You won't want to miss a session."

Liz Brown, London

"As a cradle Catholic it helped to enable me to develop
my Faith and deepen my understanding of scripture."

Gwen Gemmell, Dunfermline

Want to know more?



30 min Zoom event

"If you'd like to find out more about the Diploma in
Catechetics please join me on **Wednesday 4
January at 7:00pm**. You'll hear from those who
have taken the course and can ask any questions
you want."

Sr Anna Marie

Catechetics Advisor
St Andrews & Edinburgh

Register for this webinar at bit.ly/aboutdiploma



ZOOM

Renew your
Catholic Faith
in the new year!

Take the

**Diploma in
Catechetics**



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What is the Diploma in Catechetics?

It is the perfect opportunity to learn more about the Catholic faith! Make 2023 the year you delve into the richness and depth of the Catholic spiritual tradition with course leader Sr Anna Marie McGuan RSM.

The Basics

- The year-long course begins **Thursday 12 Jan 2023**.
- Sessions are on Zoom and take place each Thursday at 7:30pm (1hr max) and are delivered by a range of speakers from across the Archdiocese.
- There are regular one-to-one sessions with Sr Anna Marie or another course leader.

Format

The course is broken down into six modules. Here's a look at the weekly topics and dates for Module 1:

Module 1: The Role of the Laity in the Church Today

- Topic 1:** Intro to the Diploma. What does a 'relationship with God' mean? What is a disciple? *Thursday 12 January 7:30pm.*
- Topic 2:** The Lay Vocation in the Church. *Thursday 19 January, 7:30pm.*
- Topic 3:** Participation in the Life of Christ: the priestly office of the laity. *Thursday 26 January, 7:30pm.*
- Topic 4:** Participation in the Life of Christ: the prophetic office of the laity. *Thursday 2 February, 7:30pm.*
- Topic 5:** Participation in the Life of Christ: the kingly office of the laity. *Thursday 9 February, 7:30pm.*
- Topic 6:** The Call to the Secular and the Leaven in the World. *Thursday 16 February, 7:30pm.*

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FAQs

Do I have to sit an exam?

No. Each module concludes with a one-to-one session where you'll have a chance to talk about what you've learnt and ask any questions.

Do I need to buy course material?

No.

Is the course difficult?

Some elements will be challenging. We have gathered a range of speakers who are experienced in simplifying difficult concepts in an engaging way.

What if I miss a session?

No problem, each session is recorded and available online the following day allowing you to catch up.

How do I log in to sessions?

Sr Anna Marie will send you a link by email each week that you simply click to enter the session.

I've never used Zoom!

Don't worry, we can help set you up.

The cost

The cost of the Diploma in Catechetics is £200. Group rates are available, as are bursaries. For details contact Sr Anna Marie McGuan at sranna.marie@staned.org.uk

Register at
bit.ly/archdiploma2023

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