

## Order of Christian Initiation of Adults For the BAPTIZED

Period	Name	Aim	Content	Time	Rites
<b>1-FIRST:</b> Period of the Precatechumenate	Inquirers	Awakening Faith <b>ONGOING EVANGELIZATION</b>	Time to build trust to share personal stories, questions; time to proclaim the message of salvation, foster initial conversion, introduce into parish life.	As long or as Short as necessary...	No specific Rites suggested
<b>CELEBRATION</b>	<b>OF</b>	<b>THE</b>	<b>RITE</b>	<b>OF</b>	<b>WELCOME</b>
<b>2-SECOND:</b> Period of the Catechumenate	Candidate (BAPTIZED)	Deepening initial conversion and passing on Catholic tradition <b>PASTORAL FORMATION</b>	Time to deepen faith / conversion within the living community Through: - Catechesis based of the LITURGY OF THE WORD - Participation in the LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY - PRAYER and WORSHIP - Introduction to the APOSTOLIC LIFE	As long or as Short as necessary...	+ Sunday Mass + Sacrament of Reconciliation
<b>CELEBRATION</b>	<b>OF THE</b>	<b>RITE</b>	<b>OF</b>	<b>CALLING TO</b>	<b>CONTINUING CONVERSION</b>
<b>3-THIRD:</b> Period of the Purification and Enlightenment	Candidate (BAPTIZED)	Eliminate what is weak and sinful; Affirm what is holy. <b>SPIRITUAL FORMATION</b>	Time for spiritual reflection an recollection, retreats, and reconciliation.	For the Protestant: anytime  For the Catholic: LENT	+ Sunday Mass + Sacrament of Reconciliation
<b>CELEBRATION</b>	<b>OF THE</b>	<b>SACRAMENTS</b>	<b>OF</b>	<b>CONFIRMATION</b>	<b>AND EUCHARIST</b>
<b>4-FOURTH:</b> Period of Mystagogy	Newly Confirmed	Celebration of faith, ministries, "Missioning" AND <b>ONGOING FAITH FORMATION</b>	Time for deepening of sacramental life. - Eucharist - Reconciliation And Ongoing Formation	For the Protestant: anytime  For the Catholic: EASTERTIME	+ Sunday Mass + Sacrament of Reconciliation