



Memo

Date: August 7, 2020

To: Priest, deacons, men and women religious, parish communicators, principals school presidents and chancery staff

From: The Most Reverend Gregory J. Hartmayer, OFM Conv., Archbishop of Atlanta

Re: Updates to archdiocesan directives as of Aug. 7

We have several updates to the guidelines regarding in-parish worship as well as fall faith formation this week. You can find the full set of guidelines [here](#).

Below are the items that we have updated this week:

The Chrism Mass will take place Monday, August 17, at 4 p.m., with only deans, consultors and priests celebrating a jubilee in attendance. All others are invited to participate via the livestream at: <https://livestream.com/archatl/chrism>. A representative from each deanery will collect oils for their parishes. Deans will contact pastors regarding distribution of oils.

Regarding Fall Faith Formation, we offer the following more detailed guidance:

[Guidance for Parishes - Considerations for Faith Formation and Beyond](#)