



## First Communion Dress Code

**Reminder: No extra prayer books or rosaries should be brought to Mass.** Special clothes highlight a special occasion; however, **the coming of Jesus is the most important part of the day.** Please keep your child and family focused on the fact that the Sacrifice of Jesus on the Cross is the "Perfect Sacrifice" and thus it is perpetuated with the Mass and Jesus' giving of His Flesh for the life of the world in Holy Communion. Girls dress like a bride and boys dress like a groom. This reminds them that when they receive their First Holy Communion, their soul is united to Christ like a bride and groom are united in matrimony. **PLEASE FOLLOW THE DRESS CODE.** Remember that there are dresses with sleeves available.

### **Girls:**

**White Dress with back and shoulders covered**

**No spaghetti straps**

**Sleeveless allowed, but would prefer at least capped sleeves**

**Neckline should come close to covering the collar bone**

**Length: below the knee**

**Must wear a white veil**

**No purses or gloves, please**

**Dress shoes required (No sneakers)**

### **Boys:**

**Suit or dress pants with a dress shirt**

**Tie is required**

**Dress shoes required (No sneakers)**